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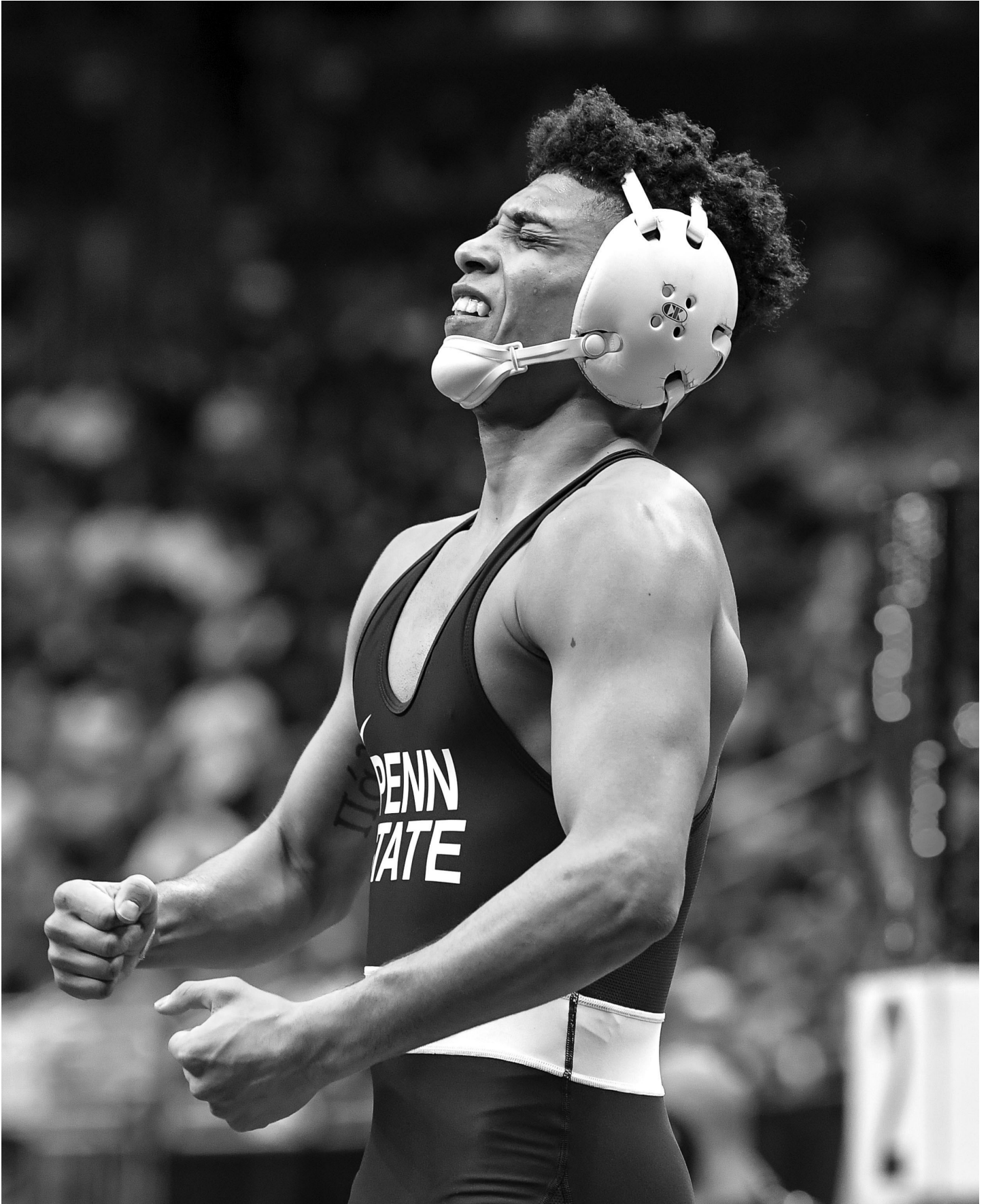


# 8 OF THE LAST NINE NCAA TITLES LIVE HERE!

2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019



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## 2019-20 SCHEDULE

### NOVEMBER

Sun.	10	NAVY	2 p.m.
Sun.	17	at Army-West Point Invite	10 a.m.
Fri.	22	at Arizona State	TBA

### DECEMBER

Fri.	6	at Lehigh	TBA
Sun.	8	PENN	2 p.m.

### JANUARY

Fri.	10	ILLINOIS*	TBA
Sun.	12	NORTHWESTERN*	TBA
Sun.	19	RUTGERS*	TBA
Fri.	24	at Nebraska*	TBA
Fri.	31	at Iowa*	TBA

### FEBRUARY

Sun.	2	MARYLAND*	TBA
Fri.	7	at Wisconsin*	TBA
Sun.	9	at Minnesota*	TBA
Sat.	15	OHIO STATE* (BJC)	TBA
Sun.	23	AMERICAN	2 p.m.

### MARCH

Sat.-Sun.	7-8	Big Ten Championships (Piscataway, N.J.)	
	Sat. 7	Session 1 -- Opening Round	
	Sat. 7	Session 2 -- Semifinals	
	Sun. 8	Session 3 -- Conso/Places/Championships	
Thur.-Sat.	19-21	NCAA Championships (US Bank Stadium, Minneapolis, Minn.)	
	Thur. 19	Session 1 -- 1st Round	
	Thur. 19	Session 2 -- 2nd Round/Consolations	
	Fri. 20	Session 3 -- Quarterfinals/Consolations	
	Fri. 20	Session 4 -- Semifinals/All-America Round	
	Sat. 21	Session 5 -- Medal Rounds	
	Sat. 21	Session 6 -- Championship Finals	

*\* Big Ten Dual*

*All Dates and Times Subject to Change -- All Times EASTERN*

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## WRESTLING SOCIAL MEDIA!

Assistant Director of Strategic Communications Patrick Donghia (phone 814-865-1757; email pad11@psu.edu) proudly serves as the strategic communications director for the Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling program. The office of strategic communications in Penn State athletics offers media and fans countless ways to stay on top of everything going on in and around the Penn State program. The main source for information, live audio and video streaming, live stats and multimedia features is the university's official athletics website:

### WWW.GOPSUSPORTS.COM

There are many features offered for wrestling fans by the strategic communications office: match notes, live video of home duals, live audio broadcasts for the entire season, live stats at home events, photo galleries, video highlights, stats, history, player profiles and more.

### PENN STATE WRESTLING ON TWITTER @pennstateWREST

Twitter is the place to get updates this year as the official Penn State Wrestling Twitter will be keeping you up to date on a bout-by-bout basis, both home and away, from the season opener through the national championships at US Bank Stadium in Minneapolis.

### PENN STATE WRESTLING ON FACEBOOK www.facebook.com/pennstatewrestling

Stop by the Penn State wrestling Facebook page and give us a 'like'! We'll welcome you into our Facebook family and you can interact with other Penn State wrestling fans on Facebook!

### PENN STATE WRESTLING ON INSTAGRAM @pennstateWREST

Follow us on Instagram for some great behind the scene pics, pre-dual photos and short videos of our home events in both Rec Hall and the Bryce Jordan Center!

## WRESTLING DIRECTORY

All Area Codes are 814	
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**863-3164**

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## PENN STATE QUICKS

Location	University Park, Pa.
Founded	1855
Enrollment	46,848 (40,541 undergraduate)
Conference	Big Ten
Colors	Blue & White
Nickname	Nittany Lions
President	Dr. Eric Barron
Faculty Athletic Representative	Dennis Scanlon

## WRESTLING QUICKS

Head Coach	Cael Sanderson (Iowa State '02)
Career Record	184-24-2 (14th year)
Record at Penn State	140-14-2 (11th year)
Associate Head Coach	Cody Sanderson (Iowa State '00)
Head Assistant Coach	Casey Cunningham (Central Michigan '99)
Assistant Coach	Jake Varner (Iowa State '10)
Director of Operations	Adam Lynch (Penn State '10)
Office Manager	Jess Bastardi
Head Athletic Trainer	Dan Monthley
Strength & Conditioning	Michael Schroeder
Communications Director	Pat Donghia
	pad11@psu.edu -- 863-3164
Home Arena	Rec Hall (6,202; 6,502 w/ SRO)
2018-19 Dual Record	14-0
2018-19 Big Ten Duals	9-0
2019 Big Ten Dual Finish	1st
2019 Big Ten Tournament	1st
2019 NCAA Tournament	1st
2019 NCAA Qualifiers	9
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	18/9
National Champions Returning/Lost	3/2*
All-Americans Returning/Lost	7/2+
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost	8/2+
Starters Returning/Lost	8/2

\* Including national champions from 2017, 2018, 2019

+ Including All-Americans and qualifiers from 2018

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# ROSTER

## 2019-20 PENN STATE WRESTLING ROSTER

NAME	Wt.	YR./EL.	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL
Donovon Ball	184	Fr./Fr.	New Cumberland, Pa./Cedar Cliff
Terrell Barraclough	149	Fr./Fr.	Kaysville, Utah/Layton
Michael Beard	197	Fr./Fr.	Pottstown, Pa./Malvern Prep
Brady Berge	157	Jr./So.	Mantorville, Minn./Kasson-Mantorville
Joey Blumer	141/149	Jr./So.	Leechburg, Pa./Kiski Area
Roman Bravo-Young	133	So./So.	Tucson, Ariz./Sunnyside
Aaron Brooks	184	Fr./Fr.	Hagerstown, Md./North Hagerstown
Keagan Carmenatty	197/285	Fr./Fr.	Ovid, N.Y./South Seneca
Anthony Cassar	285	Sr./Sr.	Rocky Hill, N.J./Montgomery
Austin Clabaugh	133	Jr./So.	York Springs, Pa./Bermudian Springs
Kyle Conel	197	Gr./Sr.	Ashtabula, Ohio/Lakeside
Jack Davis	125/133	So./Fr.	Hanover Township, Pa./Wyoming Seminary
Creighton Edsell	165/174	So./Fr.	Wyalusing, Pa./Wyalusing
Paul Feite	149	So./Fr.	Dillsburg, Pa./Northern
Luke Gardner	149	Sr./Jr.	Pottsville, Pa./Pottsville
Dominic Giannangeli	141	Sr./Sr.	Murrysville, Pa./Franklin Regional
Mark Hall	174	Sr./Sr.	Apple Valley, Minn./Apple Valley
Ritchie Heywood	174/184	Fr./Fr.	Heber, Utah/Wasatch
Austin Hoopes	184/197	Jr./So.	Afton, Wyo./Star Valley
Vincenzo Joseph	165	Sr./Sr.	Pittsburgh, Pa./Central Catholic
Konner Kraeszig	165	So./Fr.	Louisville, Ky./St. Xavier
Joe Kurtz	197	Fr./Fr.	Easton, Pa./Bethlehem Catholic
Joe Lee	165	Fr./Fr.	Evansville, Ind./Evansville Mater Dei
Nick Lee	141	Jr./Jr.	Evansville, Ind./Homeschool
Mason Lindenmuth	133	Sr./Jr.	Brockway, Pa./Brockway
Brandon Meredith	125/133	So./Fr.	Limerick, Pa./Spring-Ford
Seth Nevills	285	Fr./Fr.	Clovis, Calif./Clovis
Scott Obendorfer	141/149	Jr./So.	Germantown, Md./Damascus
Bo Pipher	149/157	Sr./Jr.	Paonia, Colo./Paonia
Shakur Rasheed	184	Sr./Sr.	Coram, N.Y./Longwood
Devin Schnupp	125	Sr./Jr.	Lititz, Pa./Warwick
Baylor Shunk	125	Fr./Fr.	Centre Hall, Pa./Penns Valley
Eddie Smith	184/197	Fr./Fr.	Scotch Plains, N.J./Scotch Plains Fanwood
Carter Starocci	174	Fr./Fr.	Erie, Pa./Cathedral Prep
Brody Teske	125	So./Fr.	Duncombe, Iowa/Fort Dodge
Jarod Verkleeren	149	Jr./So.	Greensburg, Pa./Hempfield

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HEAD COACH: Cael Sanderson (Iowa State '02)  
ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH: Cody Sanderson (Iowa State '00)  
HEAD ASSISTANT COACH: Casey Cunningham (Central Michigan '99)  
ASSISTANT COACH: Jake Varner (Iowa State '10)  
DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS: Adam Lynch (Penn State '10)

# FOREVER *Blue & White*

## Endowments For Penn State Wrestling

**Penn State Intercollegiate Athletics would like to thank our generous donors for their commitment to and financial support of our Forever Blue & White endowment program. We are grateful for their support and below is a listing of our wrestling scholarships and program support endowments.**

### Endowed Position Scholarships for Wrestling

**A gift of \$300,000 or more can establish an endowed position scholarship for a designated sport.**

Michael and Patricia Allegrucci Wrestling Position Scholarship  
Kenton & Audrey Broyles Endowed Wrestling Scholarship (118 lb. Weight Class)  
Galen E. Dreibelbis Wrestling Scholarship (125 lb. Weight Class)  
Mel Kling Endowed Scholarship for Wrestlers (157 lb. Weight Class)  
Rich Lorenzo, Head Wrestling Coach From 1979-1992,  
Endowed Wrestling Scholarship (197 lb. Weight Class)  
Raymond Shibley Wrestling Endowment (174 lb. Weight Class)

### Endowed Scholarships for Wrestling

**A gift of \$50,000 or more can establish a named endowed scholarship.**

Homer Barr Memorial/Jack Light Wrestling Scholarship  
D.F. and Charlotte Bennett Wrestling Scholarship  
Richard P. Boehmer Memorial Wrestling Scholarship  
Lauren E. Brinjac Wrestling Scholarship  
R. Paul & Ora Campbell Wrestling Scholarship  
Central Pennsylvania Chapter of the Nittany Lion Club Wrestling Endowment  
Robert J. Chaney Family Endowed Wrestling Scholarship  
Rodney L. & Casey C. Fletcher Wrestling Scholarship  
Larry Fornicola Award  
William & Henrietta Grosz Endowed Wrestling Scholarship  
Terry D. Hyde Wrestling Scholarship  
Thomas H. Irving Wrestling Scholarship  
Martin G. Lane, Jr., and Sheri L. Phillips Endowed Wrestling Scholarship  
Bill and Kim Kerlin Endowed Wrestling Scholarship  
Dan & Kathy Langdon Wrestling Scholarship  
The Lowe Family Endowed Wrestling Scholarship  
Navasky Family Endowed Fund for Wrestling  
Robert & Kim Nielsen Endowed Wrestling Scholarship for Intercollegiate Athletics  
Michael & Andrew Ortenzio Endowed Wrestling Scholarship  
Pangburn Family Wrestling Scholarship  
Michael J. & Ruth S. Patrick Endowed Wrestling Scholarship  
Mark Piven Wrestling Scholarship  
Richard & Lorraine Puleo Endowed Wrestling Scholarship

Dean B. Seltzer Wrestling Scholarship  
Thomas F. Songer II & Sara H. Songer Athletic/Engineering Scholarship  
Sourbeer Families Endowed Wrestling Scholarship  
Edwin J. Stewart Jr. Endowed Wrestling Scholarship  
Martin L. Strayer & Eleanor H. Strayer Endowed Wrestling Scholarship

### Program Support for Wrestling

**A gift of \$25,000 or more can establish a program support endowment.**

Lloyd and Dorothy Huck Family Wrestling Fund  
Howard K. Johnston Memorial Wrestling Graduate Scholarship  
Ira M. Lubert Endowment  
Lubert Family Varsity Wrestling Coaches Endowment  
Penn State Wrestling Endowment  
Tarvin Family Program Support Fund for Wrestling  
Peter G. & Ann C. Tombros Program Endowment for Wrestling  
Tucker-Oishi Greco Roman/Freestyle Program Support Fund



**Two-time NCAA Champion and three-time finalist Vincenzo Joseph has been the recipient of Central Pennsylvania Chapter of the Nittany Lion Wrestling Club Wrestling Endowment and the Raymond Shibley Wrestling Endowment.**



# REC HALL

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Rec Hall has been the home of Penn State Wrestling since the building opened in 1929. Since then, Rec Hall (officially titled Recreation Building) has been the site of numerous wrestling battles, many that will live in the memory of Penn State wrestling fans forever.

Last year, Penn State SOLD OUT its ENTIRE season of regular Rec Hall seats before the first home dual, leaving just limited standing room only (SRO) tickets for each match. Penn State also sold out yet another dual in the near-16,000 seat Bryce Jordan Center, welcoming 15,703 for a dual win over Michigan on Feb. 1, 2019 (the sixth-largest indoor crowd in NCAA history).

Nearly 62,000 fans packed Rec Hall and the Jordan Center for Penn State's eight home duals. Rec Hall has a listed capacity of 6,202, with the ability to hold SROs and house over 6,500. Penn State heads into this year with 45 of 47 sell-outs, including 41 straight in Rec Hall and four of six in the BJC.

**Penn State averaged 7,715 fans per dual last year with every single dual coming in at more than 6,400. The single-season dual attendance average at Penn State is 2015-16's 8,756 (featuring two duals in the BJC).**



**9 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS - 8 IN THE LAST 9 YEARS!**





## ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

*Penn State has been ranked among the top 25 teams in the NWCA All-Academic list in 26 of the last 29 years, including all 10 under head coach Cael Sanderson.*

### NWCA TOP 25 PLACINGS AND NCAA FINISHES SINCE 1991

Year	Acad. Place	GPA	NCAA
2019	21st	3.22	1st
2018	19th	3.27	1st
2017	19th	3.27	1st
2016	9th	3.26	1st
2015	12th	3.19	6th
2014	10th	3.18	1st
2013	10th	3.15	1st
2012	26th	3.03	1st
2011	11th	3.10	1st
2010	15th	3.06	9th
2009	14th	3.06	17th
2008	DNP		3rd
2007	17th	2.90	11th
2006	17th	2.93	T9th
2005	21st	2.97	23rd
2004	16th	2.98	12th
2003	11th	3.07	6th
2002	12th	3.08	35th
2001	14th	2.99	T25th
2000	18th	2.94	T16th
1999	4th	3.09	4th
1998	10th	2.92	4th
1997	15th	2.90	10th
1996	25th	2.60	4th
1995	9th	2.86	5th
1994	24th	2.57	3rd
1993	None selected		2nd
1992	DNP		3rd
1991	6th	2.75	3rd

\* Penn State wrestlers have earned eight NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarships.

\* Nittany Lion wrestlers have earned 66 NWCA Academic All-America honors.

\* Penn State wrestlers have earned 10 first-team CoSIDA Academic All-America honors.

\* A total of 35 Nittany Lions have earned Academic All-America laurels from the coaches association during Sanderson's 10 years at Penn State.

\* Penn State wrestlers have earned 198 Big Ten All-Academic Team selections in 26 years.

\* A total of 111 Nittany Lions have earned Big Ten All-Academic honors in Sanderson's 10 years as mentor.

**\* Penn State has had only two male athletes ever named the nation's National Academic All-America of the Year and BOTH were wrestlers. Jim Martin was honored as such in 1989 and Matt Brown was honored in 2015.**



## THE PENN STATE WRESTLING CLUB

Since 1980, the Penn State Wrestling Booster Club has made Penn State Wrestling a family affair. Approximately 1,200 members provide volunteer support for the team.

They join wrestlers, parents, coaches and administrators at picnics, socials and the annual team banquet honoring team and individual accomplishments. They fill busses with fans to cheer on the team at away meets and at the Big Ten and NCAA Championships.

Working alongside the Student Affiliate Club, the two organizations share the workload for Club events. The affiliates spread posters around town and campus to promote Penn State matches. The Student Affiliate Club creates fundraisers (like Dodgeball Domination) and is in charge of promoting the Penn State student section in Rec Hall.

The Club produces 8-10 newsletters a year for its membership, which ranges across the United States in 29 states – from California to New England, Wisconsin to Texas. Fans get detailed reports on every club activity and every match, covering all squad members in and out of season and even independent redshirt competition.

The Booster Club is now developing new strategies to better promote Nittany Lion wrestling. Proceeds from membership and donations have helped purchase equipment, produced both recruiting tapes for the coaches and annual highlight films available to the public, funded satellite broadcasts of matches and supported promotional activities such as schedule magnets and vacation prizes at wrestling matches.

The Club's many long-time members are always looking for new blood willing to share their commitment to the best wrestling program East-of-the-Mississippi. Their wide-range of fundraising, promotional and social activities gives them all a deeply felt and widely shared sense of involvement in the program's success.

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# NCAA CHAMPIONS



**Howard  
JOHNSTON**  
165 pounds  
1935



**JOE  
LEMYRE**  
167 pounds  
1952



**HUD  
SAMSON**  
191 pounds  
1953



**LARRY  
FORNICOLA**  
137 pounds  
1955



**BILL  
OBERLY**  
Heavyweight  
1955



**JOHN  
JOHNSTON**  
130 pounds  
1957



**ANDY  
MATTER**  
167 pounds  
1971 & 1972



**JOHN  
FRITZ**  
126 pounds  
1975



**CARL  
DeSTEFANIS**  
118 pounds  
1984



**SCOTT  
LYNCH**  
134 pounds  
1984




**JIM  
MARTIN**  
126 pounds  
1988



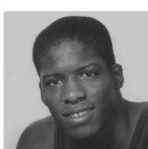
**JEFF  
PRESCOTT**  
118 pounds  
1991 & 1992



**JOHN  
HUGHES**  
142 pounds  
1995




**SANSHIRO  
ABE**  
126 pounds  
1996



**KERRY  
McCOY**  
Heavyweight  
1994 & 1997



**GLENN  
PRITZLAFF**  
174 pounds  
1999



**JEREMY  
HUNTER**  
125 pounds  
2000



**PHIL  
DAVIS**  
197 pounds  
2008



**QUENTIN  
WRIGHT**  
184/197 pounds  
2011 & 2013



**FRANK  
MOLINARO**  
149 pounds  
2012



**ED  
RUTH**  
174/184 pounds  
2012, 2013 & 2014



**DAVID  
TAYLOR**  
165 pounds  
2012 & 2014



**MATT  
BROWN**  
174 pounds  
2015



**NICO  
MEGALUDIS**  
125 pounds  
2016

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## 30 NITTANY LIONS HAVE WON 44 NATIONAL TITLES, INCLUDING 23 UNDER CAEL SANDERSON



# NCAA CHAMPIONS



ZAIN  
**RETFERFORD**  
149 pounds  
2016, 2017, 2018



JASON  
**NOLF**  
157 pounds  
2017, 2018, 2019



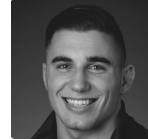
VINCENZO  
**JOSEPH**  
165 pounds  
2017, 2018



MARK  
**HALL**  
174 pounds  
2017



BO  
**NICKAL**  
184/197 pounds  
2017, 2018, 2019



ANTHONY  
**CASSAR**  
285 pounds  
2019

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## COACHING STAFF



CAEL  
SANDERSON

### HEAD COACH

11th year at Penn State  
14th overall  
Iowa State '02

On April 17, 2009, Penn State named national wrestling legend Cael Sanderson as its 12th head wrestling coach and immediately the nation looked East. Since that time, the wrestling landscape across the country has changed as Penn State has claimed eight of the last nine NCAA championships and numerous Big Ten regular season and tournament titles, all while crowning numerous individual champions and maintaining the highest of academic standards.

#### A career begun in the Midwest...

At just 29 years old, Sanderson came to Penn State after three very productive years as the head coach at his alma mater, Iowa State. Sanderson's teams did not finish any lower than fifth at the NCAA Championships and he never had a wrestler not qualify for nationals, getting 30-of-30 grapplers through to the championship tournament.

After graduating from ISU in 2002, Sanderson spent 2003 and 2004 as a special assistant in the athletic department at Iowa State before joining the ISU coaching staff as an assistant coach in 2004-05. He was promoted to the assistant head coach position the next year and then became the Cyclones' head coach for the 2006-07 season.

In 2007, during Sanderson's rookie campaign, he led ISU to a 13-3 dual meet record and the first of three-straight Big 12 Championships. An outstanding NCAA runner-up finish in Detroit capped off a wildly successful year as the Cyclones crowned one National Champion and Sanderson was honored as Big 12 Coach of the Year, National Rookie Coach of the Year and National Coach of the Year. The next year, Sanderson led ISU to a 16-4 dual meet mark, another Big 12 title and a fifth place finish at nationals. Iowa State's seven All-Americans in 2008 were the most at the school since 1993.

In 2009, Sanderson's team went 15-3 in duals, won its third-straight Big 12 title and took third place at the NCAA Championships in St. Louis (just 12 points out of first place). The Cyclones also crowned another National Champion. In three years at Iowa State, Sanderson's teams went 44-10, won three conference crowns, qualified all 30 wrestlers for nationals, earned 15 All-American awards and two individual national titles.

#### A move East and a rapid ascent...

His first season at Penn State was solid. Sanderson led Penn State to a 13-6-1 dual meet record, much improved over the prior year's 8-12-2 mark. After a year outside the top 10, Sanderson led the Lions back to their place among the nation's elite with a ninth-place finish at the NCAA Championships and a No. 10 final dual meet ranking from the NWCA Coaches. Sanderson picked up three more All-Americans (including a national finalist) and a Big Ten Champion in younger brother, Cyler Sanderson.

In 2010-11, Sanderson reached the pinnacle of the collegiate coaching mountain by guiding Penn State through a stunning season filled with records, championships and memories that thrilled the Penn State faithful. Sanderson led the Nittany Lions to their first-ever Southern Scuffle Co-Championship and first Virginia Duals Championship since 1991. While guiding Penn State to a 6-1-1 conference mark, Sanderson equaled the highest Big Ten dual meet wins in Penn State history (1998). He led Penn State to the school's first ever Big Ten Championship and was named 2011 Big Ten Coach of the Year. He became the first coach in NCAA history to be named both the Big Ten and Big 12 Coach of the Year. Saving the best for last, he led the Nittany Lions to the 2011 NCAA National Championship in Philadelphia, Penn State's first since 1953 and Sanderson's first as a collegiate head coach.

During the 2011-12 season, the nation watched as Sanderson led Penn State to a 13-1 dual mark, including a school record 7-1 Big Ten dual record to earn a share of the 2012 Big Ten dual meet championship. Sanderson then made it two in a row by leading Penn State to the 2012 Big Ten Championship at Purdue. He was named 2012 Big Ten Coach of the Year, earning the honor for the second-straight season. Two weeks later, Sanderson led Penn State to a second-straight NCAA crown, helping Penn State to become the fifth team in NCAA history to win back-to-back titles. He was named NWCA National Coach of the Year for the second time in his career at the conclusion of the championships in Des Moines.

In 2012-13, Penn State posted an identical 13-1 mark, 7-1 Big Ten dual record and won its third-straight Big Ten Championship in Illinois in March. Sanderson earned his third-straight Big Ten Coach of the Year honor (co) in the process. Two weeks after that, Sanderson guided Penn State to a thrilling third-straight NCAA crown, helping Penn State to become just the third team in NCAA history to win three-straight team titles. At the tournament's end, he was named NWCA National Coach of the Year.

In 2013-14, Penn State went 15-1 overall and won a share of the Big Ten dual meet title with a 7-1 record. The Nittany Lions won their fourth-straight Big Ten Championship in Madison, Wisconsin, helping Sanderson win his fourth-straight Big Ten Coach of the Year honor. Two weekends later, the Nittany Lions won their fourth-straight NCAA title, becoming the third team in NCAA history to win four-straight NCAA titles.

In 2014-15, Sanderson led Penn State to an 11-4 dual meet record, a fifth-straight Southern Scuffle title, garnering five All-Americans and another individual National Champion at the NCAA Championships.

In 2015-16, he added a sixth-straight Southern Scuffle championship, a third Big Ten dual meet title (co-) and the 2016 NWCA National Dual Series championship. He led Penn State to its fifth Big Ten Championship in six years in Iowa City and followed that up with his fifth NCAA National Championship in six years in New York City's Madison Square Garden.

In 2016-17, Sanderson led Penn State to its second-straight NCAA title and sixth in seven years. Penn State posted a perfect 14-0 dual meet record, won the 2017 Big Ten regular season (dual meet) title and the NWCA Dual Championship Series crown for the second-straight season. Sanderson's team posted a gaudy 35-6 record at NCAAAs and won five-straight individual championships to close out the national finals.



In 2017-18, Sanderson led Penn State to its seventh NCAA title in eight years and third-straight. Penn State posted a perfect 14-0 dual meet record and won the Big Ten regular season (dual meet) title yet again. Sanderson's team posted a superb 39-9 record at NAAs. Penn State ended the season riding a 45-dual win streak and set an NCAA record for attendance at an indoor dual meet with 15,998 in the BJC for a win over Iowa.

In 2018-19, Sanderson closed out a decade as Penn State's mentor by leading Penn State to its eighth NCAA title in nine years and fourth-straight for the second time in his first ten years as head coach. Penn State posted a perfect 14-0 dual meet record for the fourth-straight year, won the Big Ten regular season (dual meet) and Big Ten tournament championship. Sanderson's team posted a 35-11 record at NAAs and had the team title clinched before the finals began Saturday night. Penn State ended the season riding a 59-dual win streak. Sanderson was named Big Ten Coach of the Year and InterMat National Coach of the Year.

In 10 years as Penn State's coach, Sanderson led the Nittany Lions to eight Southern Scuffle titles, six B1G dual meet titles, six Big Ten Championships, eight of the last nine NCAA Championships, collected 58 All-Americans, 23 National Champions, including an NCAA record-tying five in 2017, four Gorriaran winners, five NCAA Tournament Outstanding Wrestlers, one CoSIDA Academic All-American of the Year, one NCAA Elite 89 winner, one NCAA Top 10 Award winner and five Hodge Trophy Winners. Sanderson, who has coached 73 total All-Americans and 25 total National Champions (including his three years at Iowa State), grabbed his 100th win as Penn State's head coach in its 36-6 victory over Stanford in Rec Hall on 11/13/16.

### A coaching career after the most storied collegiate wrestling career ever...

To this day, Sanderson is considered the most dominant collegiate competitor in NCAA history. In four years, Sanderson never lost. From 1999-2002, Sanderson posted a 159-0 career record (going 39-0, 40-0, 40-0 and 40-0); won four individual National Championships; won four Most Outstanding Wrestler awards at the NCAA Championships (the only wrestler in NCAA history to do so); became the first freshman in NCAA history to win the Outstanding Wrestler honor and won three Dan Hodge Trophies as the nation's best collegiate wrestler (also a collegiate first). He wrestled his first three years at 184 and then moved to 197 as a senior.

The four-time All-American's four-year streak of perfection was called the No. 2 most outstanding achievement in collegiate sports history by Sports Illustrated. The NCAA called his final win (in the 2002 NCAA 197-pound championship) one of the NCAA's "25 Defining Moments" for its Centennial celebration. His wrestling career culminated in 2004 when the Heber City, Utah, native won the 84 kg Olympic Gold Medal in Athens, Greece.

## THE SANDERSON FILE

Full Name: Cael Norman Sanderson  
 Birthday: June 20, 1979  
 Birthplace: Provo, Utah  
 Hometown: Heber City, Utah  
 Alma Mater: Iowa State '02  
 Spouse: Kelly  
 Children: Tate, Teag

## COACHING HONORS

- \* 2007 NWCA Coach of the Year
- \* 2007 Big 12 Conference Coach of the Year
- \* 2007 Amateur Wrestling News Rookie Coach of the Year
- \* 2007 RevWrestling.com Coach of the Year
- \* 2011 Big Ten Coach of the Year
- \* 2012 Big Ten Coach of the Year
- \* 2012 InterMat National Coach of the Year
- \* 2013 Big Ten Coach of the Year (co)
- \* 2013 NWCA Coach of the Year
- \* 2013 W.I.N. Magazine Coach of the Year.
- \* 2014 Big Ten Coach of the Year
- \* 2016 Big Ten Coach of the Year
- \* 2016 InterMat National Coach of the Year
- \* 2017 InterMat National Coach of the Year
- \* 2018 InterMat National Coach of the Year
- \* 2019 Big Ten Coach of the Year
- \* 2019 InterMat National Coach of the Year
- \* Only person in NCAA history to earn both Big Ten and Big 12 Coach of the Year honors
- \* Coached 25 National Champions (23 in 10 years at PSU)
- \* 73 All-Americans in just 13 years (58 in 10 years at PSU)
- \* 116 of 130 of his wrestlers qualified for NAAs
- \* Coached 28 Big Ten Champions in ten years in the conference.

## AS A WRESTLER...

- \* The only wrestler in NCAA history to never lose a bout over four years
- \* Four-time NCAA National Champion
- \* Four-time NCAA Most Outstanding Wrestler
- \* 2004 Olympic Gold Medalist
- \* 159-0 as collegiate wrestler
- \* Four-time Big 12 Champion
- \* Sports Illustrated called unbeaten streak #2 most outstanding achievement in collegiate history
- \* Three-time Hodge Trophy winner
- \* Final NCAA win named one of 25 Defining Moments by NCAA
- \* ESPY Award for Best Male Collegiate Athlete
- \* ESPN SportsCentury special on his career
- \* One-time appearance on Wheaties cereal box

### Sanderson's Career Coaching Record

Season	Record	%	B1G Dual	B1G Trn.	NCAA	Qual.	AA	NC
2006-07	13-3-0	.813	---	1st	2nd	10	4	1
2007-08	16-4-0	.800	---	1st	5th	10	7	0
2008-09	15-3-0	.833	---	1st	3rd	10	4	1
2009-10	13-6-1	.675	5-3-0	5th	9th	6	3	0
2010-11	17-1-1	.921	6-1-1	1st	1st	8	5	1
2011-12	13-1-0	.929	7-1-0	1st	1st	9	6	3
2012-13	13-1-0	.929	7-1-0	1st	1st	10	5	2
2013-14	15-1-0	.938	7-1-0	1st	1st	10	7	2
2014-15	11-4-0	.733	6-3-0	5th	6th	7	5	1
2015-16	16-0-0	1.000	9-0-0	1st	1st	9	6	2
2016-17	14-0-0	1.000	9-0-0	2nd	1st	9	6	5
2017-18	14-0-0	1.000	9-0-0	2nd	1st	9	8	4
2018-19	14-0-0	1.000	9-0-0	1st	1st	9	7	3
<b>Career</b>	<b>184-24-2</b>	<b>.881</b>	<b>74-10-1</b>	<b>---</b>	<b>---</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>25</b>

*Italics are at Iowa State*

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# COACHING STAFF



**CODY SANDERSON**

**ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH**

11th year at Penn State  
18th overall  
Iowa State '00



Cody Sanderson is heading into his 11th season as the associate head coach of the Penn State wrestling program. Sanderson, who played a major role in the Iowa State wrestling program's rapid ascent as Big 12 powerhouse and NCAA team title contender, is the oldest brother of Penn State head coach Cael Sanderson and a former head coach himself. Sanderson is in his 18th year as a collegiate coach.

During Sanderson's years at Penn State, the Nittany Lions have won eight NCAA titles, six Big Ten titles, six Big Ten regular-season crowns, eight Southern Scuffle titles and produced 58 All-Americans and 23 NCAA Champions.

Sanderson served as associate head coach at Iowa State during brother Cael's three-year run as a mentor of the Cyclones. Prior to joining Cael in Ames, Iowa, Cody was the head coach at Utah Valley State (now Utah Valley University), where he started the school's wrestling program from scratch in 2003. Sanderson's efforts helped create the nation's first Division I wrestling program started from the ground up in 30 years. Prior to beginning the program at UVU, Cody served as administrative assistant at Iowa State from 2001-03.

As a student-athlete, Sanderson was a two-time national finalist at 133 pounds, advancing to the NCAA title bout in 1999 in the Bryce Jordan Center and in 2000 in St. Louis. He ended his stellar Cyclone career with 116 wins. He also claimed the Big 12 title as a senior and helped spur ISU to a national runner-up finish at the NCAA Championships in 2000.

Sanderson graduated from Iowa State in 2000 with a bachelor's degree in psychology with a pre-medicine curriculum. His wife, Sarah, was a standout gymnast at Iowa State. The couple has two sons, Kade and Mason; and a daughter, Tylar Ann.



Cody Sanderson is entering his 11th year as Penn State's associate head coach.

## THE SANDERSON FILE

Birthday:	August 8, 1976
Birthplace:	Provo, Utah
Hometown:	Heber City, Utah
Alma Mater:	Iowa State '00
Spouse:	Sarah
Children:	Tylar Ann, Kade, Mason

## COACHING EXPERIENCE

- \* 2009-Pres.: Associate Head Coach, Penn State
- \* 2006-09: Associate Head Coach, Iowa State
- \* 2004-06: Head Coach, Utah Valley State
- \* 2001-03: Administrative Assistant, Iowa State

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## CASEY CUNNINGHAM

### HEAD ASSISTANT COACH

11th year at Penn State  
20th overall  
Central Michigan '99

Casey Cunningham is in his 11th year on the Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling staff. Named head assistant coach by Cael Sanderson in April 2009, Cunningham is in his 20th year as a collegiate coach.

During Cunningham's years at Penn State, the Nittany Lions have won eight NCAA titles, six Big Ten titles, six Big Ten regular-season crowns, eight Southern Scuffle titles and produced 58 All-Americans and 23 NCAA Champions. He was the USA Wrestling National Freestyle Coach of the Year in 2018.

Cunningham served as Cael Sanderson's head assistant coach at Iowa State as well. Prior to his one-year stint in Ames, he was head assistant coach at Central Michigan for seven years (2001-08). He began his coaching career in 1999 as a graduate assistant at CMU and then spent a year at the Olympic Training Center. During his tenure at CMU, he helped lead 18 Chippewas to All-American honors and 35 Mid-American titles. During Cunningham's last season as an assistant, Central Michigan finished seventh at the 2008 NCAA Championships.

As a wrestler, Cunningham is among Central Michigan's all-time greats. He capped off his collegiate career in 1999 by winning the 157-pound title in the Bryce Jordan Center, earning the school's first Division I national title and only the second individual title in the school's history in any sport. The two-time All-American (national runner-up in 1998) won three MAC championships (1996, 1997, 1999) and was twice named MAC Wrestler of the Year (1998, 1999). Cunningham finished his Chippewa career with a 134-19 record. An accomplished international competitor, Cunningham won the 2008 Pan American Games silver medal and was two time U.S. Nationals and World Team Trials runner-up. An outstanding student, Cunningham was a four-time NWCA Academic All-American.

Cunningham earned his bachelor's degree in sociology with an emphasis in criminal justice from CMU in 1999. His wife, Tara (Nott), is an Olympic champion, having won the gold medal in weight lifting at the 2000 Sydney Olympic Games. The couple has three sons, Hayden, Asher and Ryder and



Casey Cunningham is entering his 11th year as Penn State's head assistant coach.

two daughters, Saige and Sterling.

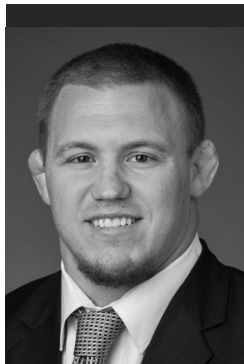
### THE CUNNINGHAM FILE

Birthday:	April 25, 1976
Birthplace:	Carson City, Mich.
Hometown:	Middleton, Mich.
Alma Mater:	Central Michigan '99
Spouse:	Tara
Children:	Hayden, Asher, Ryder, Saige, Sterling

### COACHING EXPERIENCE

- \* 2009-Pres.: Head Assistant Coach, Penn State
- \* 2008-09: Assistant Head Coach, Iowa State
- \* 2001-08: Assistant Coach, Central Michigan
- \* 1999-2000: Graduate Assistant, Central Michigan

# COACHING STAFF



**JAKE  
VARNER**

**ASSISTANT COACH**

4th year at Penn State  
4th overall  
Iowa State '10

NCAA Champion and Olympic Gold Medalist Jake Varner is in his fourth season as an assistant coach at Penn State.

Varner moved to State College after an outstanding career at Iowa State University. The Cyclone ended his collegiate career as the best in the country, winning the 197-pound title in 2010. Varner posted a 31-0 record as a senior and was 121-10 over the course of his career. The NCAA title he won as a senior was his second, having won his first as a junior in 2009. Varner was the 184-pound NCAA finalist as a sophomore and freshman. One of Iowa State's all-time greats, Varner was a four-time All-American, four-time NCAA finalist and two-time NCAA Champion.

As a freestyle wrestler, Varner reached the sport's pinnacle by claiming the 2012 Olympic Gold Medal at 96kg in London. His performance in the Olympics capped off a stellar 2012 that also saw him win the Pan American Games Gold and the Yarygan Bronze. He also claimed a World Bronze in 2011 in Istanbul.

Varner was a two-time California High School champion during his prep days, amassing a 159-10 career record with 132 falls. Varner graduated from Iowa State with a degree in criminal justice.

He and his wife, Brittany, have five children; four daughters and a son: Kylynn, Brynlee, Brael and twins Blakeley (girl) and Jaxton (boy).



Jake Varner is in his fourth season as an assistant coach at Penn State.

## THE VARNER FILE

Birthday:	March 24, 1986
Birthplace:	Bakersfield, Calif.
Hometown:	Bakersfield, Calif.
Alma Mater:	Iowa State '10
Spouse:	Brittany
Children:	Kylynn, Brynlee, Brael and twins Blakeley (girl) and Jaxton (boy).

## COACHING EXPERIENCE

\* 2016-Pres.: Assistant Coach, Penn State

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**ADAM  
LYNCH**

**DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS**  
9th year at Penn State  
Penn State '10

**THE LYNCH FILE**

Birthdate:	June 3, 1987
Birthplace:	Brunswick, Maine
Hometown:	Mifflinburg, Pa.
Alma Mater:	Penn State '10
Spouse:	Taylor
Children:	Hank

**EXPERIENCE**

\* 2011-Pres.: Director of Operations, Penn State

Former Nittany Lion wrestler Adam Lynch is heading into his ninth season as director of operations for Penn State wrestling. Lynch was a member of Penn State's 2011 Big Ten and NCAA Championship team.

Lynch ended his Penn State career as one of the team's leaders, coming back for a fifth year to continue the work of building a championship dynasty. As a junior in Sanderson's first season (2009-10), Lynch went 13-13 overall but posted a superb 6-2 record in Big Ten duals. He debuted in the national rankings at 141 in February of that year. During his final season in 2010-11, Lynch went 7-3 with three pins.

Lynch received his bachelor's degree of science in kinesiology in the movement science option in December 2010 and wrapped up his graduate degree in sports management and sports administration in December 2013. He is a native of Mifflinburg, Pennsylvania.

Lynch and wife, Taylor, were married in June 2016. They have a son, Hank.

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# SUPPORT STAFF



MICHAEL  
**SCHROEDER**

**STRENGTH & CONDITIONING**



JESS  
**BASTARDI**

**OFFICE MANAGER**



DAN  
**MONTHLEY**

**HEAD ATHLETIC TRAINER**



RICK  
**KALUZA**

**ASSOCIATE  
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR/  
SPORT ADMINISTRATOR**



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**EPSTEIN**

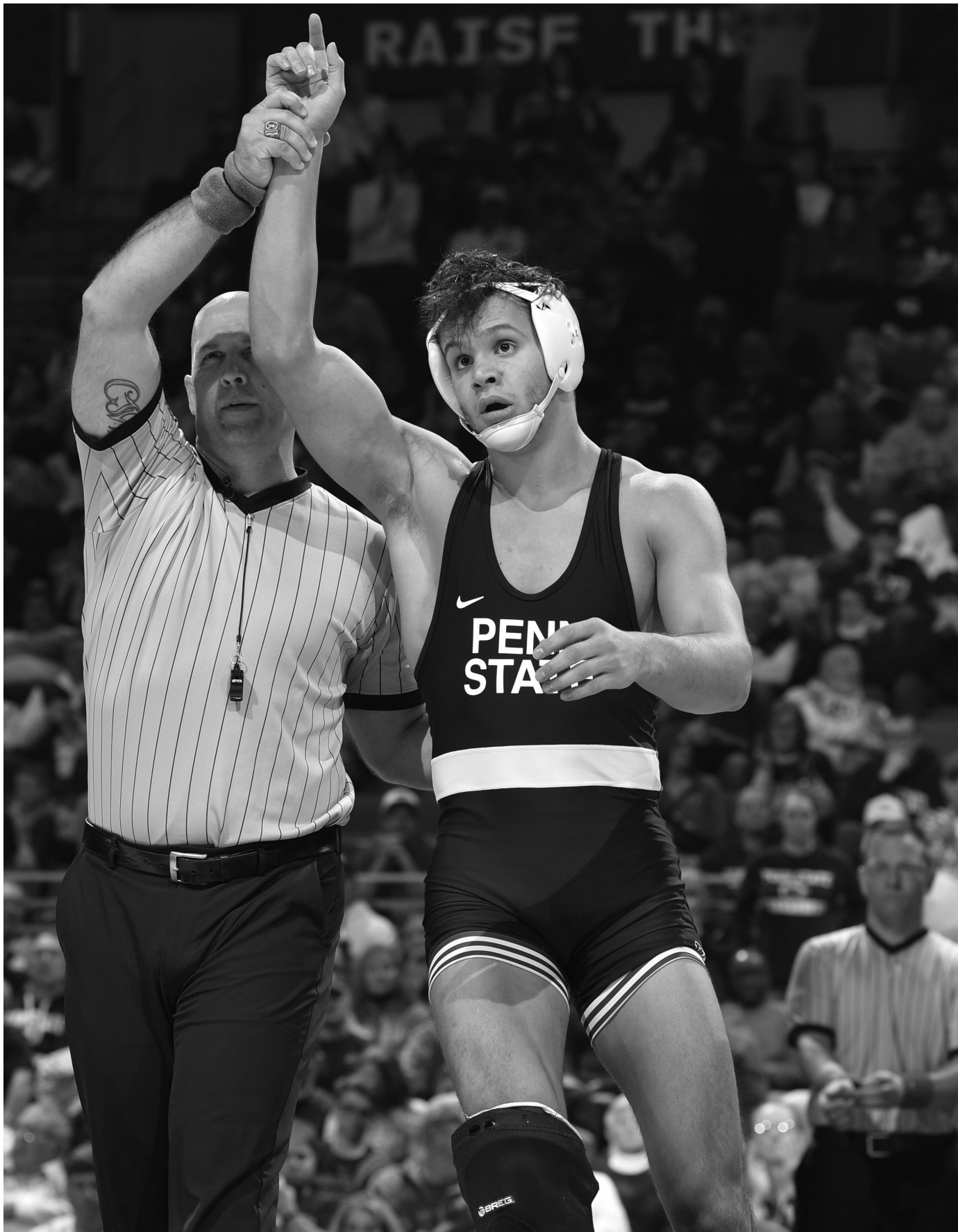
**TEAM COUNSELOR**



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# ALL-AMERICANS



## ANTHONY CASSAR

Rocky Hill, N.J./Montgomery  
All-American; NCAA Champion  
(2019)

Sr./Sr. | 285

**PARENTS: JOHN AND FLORENCE CASSAR**  
**MAJOR: PSYCHOLOGY**

Anthony Cassar heads into the 2019-20 campaign with his sight set on another outstanding year. Cassar, who was granted another year by the NCAA after winning the NCAA 285-pound title in Pittsburgh last season, gets the opportunity to compete once again in a Blue and White singlet.

### CAREER NOTES:

**Academic:** Academic All-Big Ten in 2019...NWCA First Team National All-Academic.

**Athletic:** 2019 Big Ten Champion (285), 2019 NCAA National Champion (285)...First-team All-Big Ten (2019)...First-team All-American (2019)...UWW Junior Nationals Champion...UWW World Team Trials Champion.

### 2018-19 / JUNIOR SEASON:

**Season:** Rolled to a 30-1 overall record...Had 15 majors, two tech falls and five pins...Went 14-0 in duals, including a 9-0 mark in Big Ten duals...Big Ten Champion (285) in first trip to tournament...NCAA Champion and All-American (285) in first trip to NCAA Tournament.

**Kent State (11/11):** Made heavyweight debut with 17-2 technical fall over Billy Bolia. **Keystone Classic (11/18):** Won Keystone Classic with 3-0 run, including wins over two ranked wrestlers, one an 11-3 major over #14 Joey Goodhart of Drexel. **Bucknell (11/30):** Pinned Brandon Stokes in just 0:32. **Lehigh (12/2):** Notched impressive 12-3 major over #6 Jordan Wood in dual victory. **Arizona State (12/14):** Closed out Penn State's 41-3 win over visiting Arizona State by pinning Brady Daniel (5:18). **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Placed second at the Southern Scuffle with a 4-1 mark and four majors...Majored #16 Matt Voss of GMU in semis and then dropped close 3-2 decision to #3 Derek White of Oklahoma State in final. **Northwestern (1/11):** Majored #19 Conan Jennings. **Wisconsin (1/13):** Dominated #9 Trent Hillger in Rec Hall. **Nebraska (1/20):** Downed #14 David Jensen 10-4. **Indiana (1/27):** Downed Fletcher Miller, 11-5, in road dual. **Michigan (2/1):** Dominated #8 Mason Parris, 19-8, getting the major in BJC Dual victory. **Ohio State (2/8):** Dominated #19 Chase Singletary in Penn State's 28-9 dual win on in Columbus, posting an 18-8 major. **Illinois (2/17):** Pinned Deuce Rachal in the first period (2:06) in dual victory.

**Big Ten Championship (3/9-10, 4-0, Champion, NCAA qualifier):** Stormed the Big Ten field at 285 to win his first Big Ten Championship in Minnesota...Went 4-0 with two majors, including one over #14 Conan Jennings of Northwestern in semifinals...Beat #1 Gable Steveson of Minnesota 4-3 in finals to win the title.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2014-15	Redshirt season						
2015-16/16-17	Did not compete due to injury						
2017-18	16-2	8-1 (5-0)	8-1 (0-0/0-0)	0-0	0-0	5-0	28
2018-19	30-1	14-0 (9-0)	16-1 (0-0/5-0)	5-0	2-0	15-0	61
<b>Career</b>	<b>46-3</b>	<b>22-1 (14-0)</b>	<b>24-2 (0-0/5-0)</b>	<b>5-0</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>20-0</b>	<b>89</b>

### NCAA Championships (3/21-23, 5-0, Champion, All-American):

Rolled through the field in Pittsburgh to win the NCAA title in his first-ever trip to the championships...Pinned Antonio Pelusi of F&M, majored #15 Tate Orndorff of Utah Valley 10-2, shut out #7 Trent Hillger of Wisconsin, once again beat #3 Gable Steveson of Minnesota, 4-3, in the national semifinals...Avenged his only loss of the year but dominating #1 Derek White of Oklahoma State in the NCAA finals, posting a 10-1 major to become an NCAA Champion.

### 2017-18 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

**Season:** Posted a 16-2 overall record at 197, including an 8-1 mark in dual meets...Had five majors and went 5-0 in Big Ten duals.

**Army (11/9):** Posted a 10-3 decision over Rocco Caywood in collegiate debut. **Keystone Classic (11/19):** Went 4-0 with a major to win the Keystone Classic, including wins over two ranked wrestlers...Downed #12 Frank Mattiace of Penn in the finals. **Lehigh (12/3):** Posted an 8-3 win over Jake Jakobsen. **Indiana (12/17):** Won Big Ten dual debut with a 16-5 major over Spencer Irick. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Placed third at 2018 Southern Scuffle with 4-1 record, including a win over #15 Scottie Boykin of Chattanooga. **Michigan State (1/14):** Recorded a 16-3 major over Nick May. **Maryland (1/21):** Majored David-Brian Whisler. **Rutgers (1/28):** Majored Anthony Messner 16-5. **Ohio State (2/3):** Convincing 6-3 win over #1 Kollin Moore on 2/3, handing the Buckeye his first loss of the year and helping secure Penn State's 19-18 win over OSU in Rec Hall...Named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (2/6) for his efforts after that victory.

**2015-16/2016-17:** Did not compete due to injury.

### 2014-15 / TRUE FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Season:** Redshirt season...Went 15-8 unattached in open tournaments.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Became only the fourth person in New Jersey state history to win a state title after never qualifying for the state tournament, turning the trick as a senior...Went 45-0 his senior season, winning county, district, regional and state titles in the process...Amassed a 116-30 career record in high school...Was the 2015 96 kg Junior National Freestyle Champion and was a member of the 2015 Junior World Team...Has three brothers, three sisters and three stepsisters.



## CASSAR MATCH-BY-MATCH

### 2018-19

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/11	285	W, 17-2	Billy Bolia, Kent State (TF; 5:15)	dual	1-0
11/18	285	WBF	Ben Goldin, Penn (1:20)	KC	2-0
11/18	285	W, 7-2	#2 Nick Nevills, Penn State	KC	3-0
11/18	285	W, 11-3	#14 Joey Goodhart, Drexel (major)	KC (1st)	4-0
11/30	285	WBF	Brandon Stokes, Bucknell (0:32)	dual	5-0
12/2	285	W, 12-3	#6 Jordan Wood, Lehigh (major)	dual	6-0
12/14	285	WBF	Brady Daniel, Arizona State (5:18)	dual	7-0
1/1	285	W, 18-4	Jordan Earnest, Ohio (major)	Scuff	8-0
1/1	285	W, 16-4	Ryan Cloud, Rider (major)	Scuff	9-0
1/1	285	W, 16-5	Gannon Gremmel, Iowa State (major)	Scuff	10-0
1/2	285	W, 14-6	#16 Matt Voss, George Mason (major)	Scuff	11-0
1/2	285	L, 2-3	#3 Derek White, Oklahoma State	Scuff (2nd)	11-1
1/11	285	W, 12-3	#19 Conan Jennings, Northwestern (maj.)	dual	12-1
1/13	285	W, 11-5	#9 Trent Hillger, Wisconsin	dual	13-1
1/20	285	W, 10-4	#14 David Jensen, Nebraska	dual	14-1
1/25	285	W, 14-4	Jacob Aven, Purdue (major)	dual	15-1
1/27	285	W, 11-5	Fletcher Miller, Indiana	dual	16-1
2/1	285	W, 19-8	#8 Mason Parris, Michigan (major)	dual	17-1
2/8	285	W, 18-8	#19 Chase Singletary, Ohio State (major)	dual	18-1
2/15	285	W, 21-6	Chase Beard, Michigan State (TF; 6:46)	dual	19-1
2/17	285	WBF	Deuce Rachal, Illinois (2:06)	dual	20-1
2/24	285	W, 16-5	Sam Schuyler, Buffalo (major)	dual	21-1
3/9	285	W, 12-4	Jacob Aven, Purdue (major)	B1G	22-1
3/9	285	W, 8-4	#13 David Jensen, Nebraska	B1G	23-1
3/9	285	W, 10-2	#14 Conan Jennings, Northwestern (maj.)	B1G	24-1
3/10	285	W, 4-3	#1 Gable Steveson, Minnesota	B1G (1st)	25-1
3/21	285	WBF	#31 Antonio Pelusi, F&M (4:20)	NCAA	26-1
3/21	285	W, 10-2	#15 Tate Orndorff, Utah Valley (major)	NCAA	27-1
3/22	285	W, 4-0	#7 Trent Hillger, Wisconsin	NCAA	28-1
3/22	285	W, 4-3	#3 Gable Steveson, Minnesota	NCAA	29-1
3/23	285	W, 10-1	#1 Derek White, Oklahoma St. (maj.)	NCAA (1st)	30-1

### 2017-18

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/9	197	W, 10-3	Rocco Caywood, Army	dual	1-0
11/12	197	L, 8-11	Garrett Hoffman, Bucknell	dual	1-1
11/17	197	W, 10-4	Mark Tracy, Binghamton	dual	2-1
11/19	197	W, 12-4	Robert Ng, Penn (major)	KC	3-1
11/19	197	W, 12-5	Alex Schenk, Duke	KC	4-1
11/19	197	W, 6-5	#4 Matt McCutcheon, Penn State	KC	5-1
11/19	197	W, 7-4	#12 Frank Mattiace, Penn	KC (1st)	6-1
12/3	197	W, 8-3	Jake Jakobsen, Lehigh	dual	7-1
12/17	197	W, 16-5	Spencer Irick, Indiana (major)	dual	8-1
1/1	197	W, 13-10	Tristan Sponseller, Lock Haven	Scuff	9-1
1/1	197	W, 4-1	Stephen Loiseau, Drexel	Scuff	10-1
1/1	197	L, 4-6 (sv)	Jacob Holschlag, Northern Iowa	Scuff	10-2
1/2	197	W, 9-7 (sv)	#15 Scottie Boykin, Chattanooga	Scuff	11-2
1/2	197	W, 4-1	Stephen Loiseau, Drexel	Scuff (3rd)	12-2
1/14	197	W, 16-3	Nick May, Michigan State (major)	dual	13-2
1/21	197	W, 14-5	David-Brian Whisler, Maryland (major)	dual	14-2
1/28	197	W, 16-5	Anthony Messner, Rutgers (major)	dual	15-2
2/3	197	W, 6-3	#1 Kollin Moore, Ohio State	dual	16-2

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# ALL-AMERICANS



## MARK HALL

Apple Valley, Minn./Apple Valley  
3X All-American; National Champion  
2nd, 2019; 2nd, 2018;  
Champion, 2017  
Sr./Sr. | 174

**PARENTS: MARK HALL AND MELISSA WARREN**  
**MAJOR: TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

Three-time All-American, three-time NCAA finalist and 2017 NCAA Champion Mark Hall will head into the 2019-20 campaign looking to continue to build upon his successful Penn State career. Hall has been a force at 174 for the Nittany Lions for three seasons.

### CAREER NOTES:

**Athletic:** 2019 Big Ten Champion (174)...2019 NCAA Runner-Up (174)...2018 Big Ten Champion (174)...2018 NCAA Runner-Up (174)...2017 NCAA Champion (174)...Two-time Big Ten Champion (2019, 2018)...Three-time All-American (2019, 2018, 2017)...Three-time national finalist...Will carry a 93-5 career record into final season...34-1 in dual meets, 14 majors, 13 tech falls and 31 pins (12th all-time at Penn State)...2018 Pan American Games Champion...Two-time USA Wrestling UWW Junior National Champion, winning the 2016 UWW Junior Freestyle Outstanding Wrestler award...Claimed the FILA Cadet World Championship in 2014 and advanced to the quarterfinals of the 2016 U.S. Olympic Team Trials at 74 kg.

### 2018-19 / JUNIOR SEASON:

**Season:** Became three-time All-American and three-time NCAA finalist...Posted 30-1 overall record, lone loss a 4-3 setback in national final...Had five majors, three techs and six pins...Won third-straight Southern Scuffle crown...Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (12/18)...USA Wrestling National Wrestler of the Week (12/18).

**Kent State (11/11):** Began campaign with a fall over Dylan Barreiro.  
**Keystone Classic (11/18):** Went 4-0 with two pins at Keystone Classic to win the crown, including win over #18 Matt Finesilver of Duke in the finals. **Lehigh (12/2):** Posted impressive 6-2 win over #7 Jordan Kutler in Rec Hall. **Arizona State (12/14):** Outstanding 4-0 win, with 2:41 in riding time, over #1 Zahid Valencia in dual meet victory in Rec Hall...B1G WoW and USA Wrestling National WoW for week of ending Dec. 14. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Won his third-straight Southern Scuffle title by going 5-0 with two techs and a major...Downed #19 Matt Finesilver, 6-0, in semis and then beat Oklahoma State's Joe Smith, 5-1, in the finals. **Nebraska (1/20):** Beat #9 Mike Labriola 5-3. **Purdue (1/25):** Beat #14 Dylan Lydy 6-2. **Michigan (2/1):** Late takedown sealed 3-2 win over #3 Myles Amine in BJC dual. **Ohio State (2/8):** Four third period takedowns in 12-4 major over #18 Ethan Smith.

**Big Ten Championship (3/10-11, 3-0, Champion, NCAA Qualifier):** Won his second Big Ten title at 174 by going 3-0 at the 2019 Big Ten Championship in Minnesota...Downed #12 Devin Skatzka of Minnesota in the semis and #4 Myles Amine of Michigan in the final.

**NCAA Championship (3/21-23, 4-1, Finalist, All-American):** Rolled to four wins to advance to third straight NCAA title bout at 174...Wins over #16 Brandon Womack of Cornell, #8 Taylor Lujan of

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2016-17	31-3	6-1 (5-1)	25-2 (2-1/5-0)	12-0	3-0	6-0	30
2017-18	32-1	14-0 (9-0)	18-1 (4-0/4-1)	13-0	7-0	3-0	66
2018-19	30-1	14-0 (9-0)	16-1 (3-0/4-1)	6-0	3-0	5-0	59
<b>Career</b>	<b>93-5</b>	<b>34-1 (23-1)</b>	<b>59-4 (9-1/13-2)</b>	<b>31-0</b>	<b>13-0</b>	<b>14-0</b>	<b>155</b>

Northern Iowa and #4 Myles Amine of Michigan...Lost a hard-fought 4-3 decision to Arizona State's Zahid Valencia in the final.

### 2017-18 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

**Season:** Rolled to 32-1 record with three majors, seven techs and 13 pins...Won first Big Ten title and advanced to NCAA finals for second year in a row...Won second Southern Scuffle crown.

**Army (11/17):** Pinned #19 Ben Harvey in season opener. **Binghamton (11/17):** Pinned Anthony Lombardi (3:14). **Keystone Classic (11/19):** Went 5-0 with three pins and two techs to win the Keystone Classic...Pinned #20 Josef Johnson of Harvard in just 0:50 in the finals...**Lehigh (12/3):** Downed #5 Jordan Kutler 3-2. **Indiana (12/17):** Posted 17-0 TF (4:56) over Devin Skatzka. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Went 5-0 at 2018 Southern Scuffle to win the 174 pound title, including wins over #8 Jadaen Bernstein of Navy and #5 Jordan Kutler of Lehigh, also had two pins and a major. **Michigan (1/12):** 6-5 win over #6 Myles Amine. **Purdue (1/19):** Majored #12 Dylan Lydy 11-3. **Maryland (1/21):** Pinned Jahi Jones (2:44). **Rutgers (1/28):** A 24-9 TF over Joe Grello. **Ohio State (2/3):** Took care of #3 Bo Jordan in Penn State's 19-18 win over the Buckeyes on 2/3. **Iowa (2/10):** Quick pin of Joey Gunther (1:00) in BJC Dual victory over the Hawkeyes. **Buffalo (2/18):** Pinned Derek Holcomb (0:56) on 2/18.

**Big Ten Championships (4-0, Champion, NCAA Qualifier):** Won first Big Ten Championship with 4-0 run through the field in East Lansing...Had two pins, downed #17 Johnny Sebastian of Northwestern and then took care of #6 Myles Amine of Michigan in the final, 4-3...Earned first-team All-Big Ten honors.

**NCAA Championships (4-1, Finalist, All-American):** Advanced to second-straight NCAA final before dropping bout to #1 Zahid Valencia of Arizona State in 174-pound title bout...Earned second All-America honor with 4-1 run at NCAAAs with a pin, a tech and a major...Beat #15, #7 and #3 on his way to the final.

### 2016-17 / FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Binghamton Open (11/13):** Went 5-0 to win title, including two pins, a tech and a major...**MSU Open (11/20):** Went 3-1, suffered 8-7 upset in final to #20 Christian Brucki of Central Michigan. **Cleveland State Open (12/17):** Recorded a 5-0 run, earned a second Open title, with three pins and a major. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Rolled through the 2017 Southern Scuffle field at 174, winning the crown with a 5-0 run, including wins over #3 Casey Kent of Penn (9-4 dec.), a pin of #15 Ryan Priesch of Lehigh and a 6-0 shutout of #6 Kyle Crutchmer of Oklahoma State in the final...Was named Scuffle Outstanding Wrestler. **Iowa (1/20):** Dropped tough 7-5 decision to #13 Alex Meyer in collegiate dual debut. **Wisconsin (1/27):** First Penn State dual win with a 17-4 major of Ryan Christensen in Madison. **Ohio State (2/3):** Pinned Justin Kresovic (5:21) in Columbus. **Illinois (2/10):** Notched a 16-1 tech fall over #12 Zac Brunson in first Rec Hall dual (he had received a forfeit victory two weeks prior).



**Oklahoma State (2/19):** Thrilling 3-2 win over #9 Kyle Crutchmer, helping lead Penn State to 27-13 win at OSU for NWCA Dual crown.

**Big Ten Championships (2-1, Runner-Up, NCAA Qualifier):** Big Ten runner-up as a true freshman, going 2-1 with a pin of #24 Jacob Morrissey of Purdue and a win over #11 Zac Brunson of Illinois to reach final...Lost hard-fought 4-2 sudden victory decision to #3 Bo Jordan of Ohio State in the final.

**NCAA Championships (5-0, Champion, All-American):** Avenged the loss to by winning the 2017 NCAA Championship at 174 with a resounding 5-2 win over Jordan in St. Louis...Went 5-0 with a major and a tech, including wins over #4 Zach Epperly of Virginia Tech and #1 Zahid Valencia of Arizona State...InterMat Freshman of the Year.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Came to Penn State after completing one of the nation's most storied high school careers...Winner of the 2016 Dave Schultz High School Excellence Award, became the first person to win six Minnesota State High School Championships...Concluded an amazing high school career with a 277-4 record, including 171 consecutive wins and 189 career pins...Helped guide Apple Valley High School to six-straight state championships, becoming the only wrestler ever to earn 12 combined individual and team state titles.

## HALL MATCH-BY-MATCH

### 2018-19

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/11	174	WBF	Dylan Barreiro, Kent State (3:34)	dual	1-0
11/18	174	WBF	George Walton, Rider (3:35)	KC	2-0
11/18	174	WBF	Jason Hoffman, Drexel (4:40)	KC	3-0
11/18	174	W, 5-0	Neal Richards, VMI	KC	4-0
11/18	174	W, 6-4	#18 Matt Finesilver, Duke	KC (1st)	5-0
11/30	174	W, 20-7	Nick Stephani, Bucknell (major)	dual	6-0
12/2	174	W, 6-2	#7 Jordan Kutler, Lehigh	dual	7-0
12/14	174	W, 4-0	#1 Zahid Valencia, Arizona State	dual	8-0
1/1	174	W, 17-2	Logan Stanley, Ohio (TF; 6:07)	Scuff	9-0
1/1	174	W, 22-7	Cody Hughes, Virginia Tech (TF; 6:36)	Scuff	10-0
1/1	174	W, 14-4	Marcus Coleman, Iowa State (major)	Scuff	11-0
1/2	174	W, 6-0	#19 Matt Finesilver, Duke	Scuff	12-0
1/2	174	W, 5-1	Joe Smith, Oklahoma State	Scuff (1st)	13-0
1/11	174	W, 10-4	Johnny Sebastian, Northwestern	dual	14-0
1/13	174	W, 24-5	Patrick Spray, Wisconsin (TF; 6:13)	dual	15-0
1/20	174	W, 5-3	#9 Mikey Labrioloa, Nebraska	dual	16-0
1/25	174	W, 6-2	#14 Dylan Lydy, Purdue	dual	17-0
1/27	174	W, 12-4	Jake Covaciu, Indiana (major)	dual	18-0
2/1	174	W, 3-2	#3 Myles Amine, Michigan	dual	19-0
2/8	174	W, 12-4	#18 Ethan Smith, Ohio State (major)	dual	20-0
2/15	174	W, DQ	Drew Hughes, Michigan State (5 stalls)	dual	21-0
2/17	174	WBF	Carver James, Illinois (2:20)	dual	22-0
2/24	174	WBF	Jake Lanning, Buffalo (2:13)	dual	23-0
3/9	174	WBF	Drew Hughes, Michigan State (2:38)	B1G	24-0
3/9	174	W, 4-2	#12 Devin Skatzka, Minnesota	B1G	25-0
3/10	174	W, 3-2	#4 Myles Amine, Michigan	B1G (1st)	26-0
3/21	174	W, 10-2	#33 Devin Kane, North Carolina	NCAA	27-0
3/21	174	W, 8-3	#16 Brandon Womack, Cornell	NCAA	28-0
3/22	174	W, 5-3	#8 Taylor Lujan, Northern Iowa	NCAA	29-0
3/22	174	W, 2-1 (tb)	#4 Myles Amine, Michigan	NCAA	30-0
3/23	174	L, 3-4	#3 Zahid Valencia, Arizona State	NCAA (2nd)	30-1

### 2017-18

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/9	174	WBF	#19 Ben Harvey, Army (4:09)	dual	1-0
11/12	174	W, 21-6	Nick Stephani, Bucknell (TF; 6:50)	dual	2-0
11/17	174	WBF	Anthony Lombardi, Binghamton (3:14)	dual	3-0
11/19	174	WBF	Matt Fallon, Sacred Heart (1:14)	KC	4-0
11/19	174	WBF	Brian Krasowski, Penn (3:49)	KC	5-0
11/19	174	W, 19-4	Matthew Finesilver, Duke (TF; 6:22)	KC	6-0
11/19	174	W, 194	J. Sebastian, Northwestern (TF; 7:00)	KC	7-0
11/19	174	WBF	#20 Josef Johnson, Harvard (0:50)	KC (1st)	8-0
12/3	174	W, 3-2	#5 Jordan Kulter, Lehigh	dual	9-0
12/17	174	W, 17-0	Devin Skatzka, Indiana (TF; 4:56)	dual	10-0
1/1	174	WBF	Evan Schenk, Gardner Webb (0:55)	Scuff	11-0
1/1	174	WBF	Hunter Bolen, Virginia Tech (0:35)	Scuff	12-0
1/1	174	W, 12-3	Matt Finesilver, Duke (major)	Scuff	13-0
1/2	174	W, 4-0	#8 Jadaen Bernstein, Navy	Scuff	14-0
1/2	174	W, 4-0	#5 Jordan Kutler, Lehigh	Scuff	15-0
1/12	174	W, 6-5	#6 Myles Amine, Michigan	dual	16-0
1/14	174	W, 19-4	Logan Ritchie, Michigan State (TF; 6:21)	dual	17-0
1/19	174	W, 11-3	#12 Dylan Lydy, Purdue (major)	dual	18-0
1/21	174	WBF	Jahi Jones, Maryland (2:44)	dual	19-0
1/26	174	W, 10-3	Chris Pfarr, Minnesota	dual	20-0
1/28	174	W, 24-9	Joe Grello, Rutgers (TF; 7:00)	dual	21-0
2/3	174	W, 6-4	#3 Bo Jordan, Ohio State	dual	22-0
2/10	174	WBF	Joey Gunther, Iowa (1:00)	dual	23-0
2/18	174	WBF	Derek Holcomb, Buffalo (0:56)	dual	24-0
3/3	174	WBF	Logan Ritchie, Michigan State (5:33)	B1G	25-0
3/3	174	WBF	Ryan Christensen, Wisconsin (0:42)	B1G	26-0
3/3	174	W, 4-1	#17 Johnny Sebastian, Northwestern	B1G	27-0
3/4	174	W, 4-3	#6 Myles Amine, Michigan	B1G (1st)	28-0
3/15	174	W, 12-2	Austin rose, Drexel (major)	NCAA	29-0
3/15	174	W, 21-3	#15 Dylan Lydy, Purdue (TF; 6:54)	NCAA	30-0
3/16	174	W, 6-2	#7 Taylor Lujan, Northern Iowa	NCAA	31-0
3/16	174	WBF	#3 Daniel Lewis, Missouri (6:22)	NCAA	32-0
3/17	174	L, 2-8	#1 Zahid Valencia, Arizona State	NCAA (2nd)	32-1

### 2016-17

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	174	WBF	Sage Heller, Hofstra (1:27)	Bing	1-0
11/13	174	W, 17-02	Jake Kocsis, Binghamton (TF; 5:35)	Bing	2-0
11/13	174	WBF	Arson Arshughyan, Ohio (6:55)	Bing	3-0
11/13	174	W, 6-3	Jon Viruet, Brown	Bing	4-0
11/13	174	W, 12-4	Josef Johnson, Harvard (major)	Bing (1st)	5-0
11/20	174	WBF	Dylan Barreiro, Kent State (3:32)	MSU	6-0
11/20	174	WBF	Quinton Rosser, Northern Illinois (0:33)	MSU	7-0
11/20	174	W, 18-7	Jordan Atienza, Central Mich. (major)	MSU	8-0
11/20	174	L, 7-8	#20 Christian Brucki, C. Michigan	MSU (2nd)	8-1
12/17	174	WBF	Cullen Wolford, Edinboro (1:25)	CSU	9-1
12/17	174	WBF	Devon Pingel, Cleveland State (1:18)	CSU	10-1
12/17	174	WBF	Garrett Sutton, Michigan (3:19)	CSU	11-1
12/17	174	W, 11-3	Jordan Pagano, Rutgers (major)	CSU	12-1
12/17	174	W, DQ	Gabe Stark, Cleveland State	CSU (1st)	13-1
1/1	174	WBF	Martin Duane, The Citadel (4:27)	Scuff	14-1
1/1	174	W, 12-4	Jordan Rogers, Oklahoma State	Scuff	15-1
1/1	174	W, 9-4	#3 Casey Kent, Penn	Scuff	16-1
1/2	174	WBF	#15 Ryan Priesch, Lehigh (6:29)	Scuff	17-1
1/2	174	W, 6-0	#6 K. Crutchmer, Oklahoma St.	Scuff (1st)	18-1
1/20	174	L, 5-7	#13 Alex Meyer, Iowa	dual	18-2
1/27	174	W, 18-4	Ryan Christensen, Wisconsin (major)	dual	19-2
1/29	174	W, forfeit	Forfeit, Northwestern	dual	20-2
2/3	174	WBF	Justin Kresovic, Ohio State (5:21)	dual	21-2
2/10	174	W, 16-1	#12 Zac Brunson, Illinois (TF; 7:00)	dual	22-2
2/12	174	WBF	Josh Ugalde, Maryland (1:14)	dual	23-2
2/19	174	W, 3-2	#9 Kyle Crutchmer, Oklahoma State	dual	24-2
3/4	174	WBF	#24 Jacob Morrissey, Purdue (0:29)	B1G	25-2
3/4	174	W, 4-2	#11 Zac Brunson, Illinois	B1G	26-2
3/5	174	L, 2-4 (sv)	#3 Bo Jordan, Ohio State	B1G (2nd)	26-3
3/16	174	W, 8-2	David Kocer, South Dakota State	NCAA	27-3
3/16	174	W, 16-0	Jadaen Bernstein, Navy (TF; 2:20)	NCAA	28-3
3/17	174	W, 10-2	#4 Zach Epperly, Virginia Tech (major)	NCAA	29-3
3/17	174	W, 4-3	#1 Zahid Valencia, Arizona State	NCAA	30-3
3/18	174	W, 5-2	#3 Bo Jordan, Ohio State	NCAA (1st)	31-3

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## VINCENZO JOSEPH

Pittsburgh, Pa./Central Catholic  
 2X National Champion/  
 3X All-American  
 1st, 2018; 1st 2017; 2nd, 2019  
 Sr./Sr. | 165

**PARENTS: SANDRA AND VICTOR JOSEPH**  
**MAJOR: KINESIOLOGY**

Two-time NCAA Champion and three-time NCAA finalist Vincenzo Joseph will enter his senior season with a return trip to the top of the podium as his goal. Joseph, who has won two NCAA titles and advanced to the final last year, has over 70 wins under his belt and is coming off a season that saw him post a career-best 14 pins.

### CAREER NOTES:

**Athletic:** 2017 NCAA Champion (165)...2018 NCAA Champion (165)...2019 NCAA National Runner-Up (165)...Three-time All-American (2017, 2018, 2019)...Has a 74-8 career record with 20 pins, 10 techs and 16 majors...Notched 159 career dual meet points...33-4 all-time in dual meets.

### 2018-19 / JUNIOR SEASON:

**Season:** Became three-time All-American and three-time NCAA finalist...Posted 27-2 overall record with career-best 14 pins...Also had four majors and two techs...Perfect 11-0 record in dual meets, including 8-0 mark in Big Ten duals...Won Keystone Classic title in November and earned tournament outstanding wrestler honors.

**Kent State (11/11):** Pinned Isaac Bast to open up the season. **Keystone Classic (11/18):** Won Keystone Classic title, going 5-0 with four pins and a tech, was named Outstanding Wrestler. **Lehigh (12/2):** Pinned Trey Cornish (4:47) in dual victory over Mountain Hawks. **Arizona State (12/14):** Dominating 11-2 major over #5 Josh Shields in Rec Hall. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Won the Southern Scuffle title with a perfect 5-0 performance...Had two pins at the event, downed #20 Jesse Dellavecchia of Rider in the semis and then beat #3 Chance Marsteller of Lock Haven 6-5 in the final. **Nebraska (1/20):** Shut out #6 Isaiah White 2-0 on 1/20. **Michigan (2/1):** Last second takedown to beat #7 Logan Massa 4-2 (sv) in BJC Dual. **Ohio State (2/8):** Posted a convincing 11-2 major over #12 Te'Shawn Campbell in dual at OSU.

**Big Ten Championships (2-1, Runner-Up, NCAA Qualifier):** Went 2-1 to finish second at Big Ten Championships...Pinned #7 Logan Massa of Michigan in the semifinals before losing to #2 Alex Marinelli of Iowa in the final, Joseph's first loss of the season.

**NCAA Championships (4-1, NCAA Runner-Up, All-American):** Went 4-1 at 2019 NCAA Championships in Pittsburgh, advancing to finals where he suffered an upset loss to Virginia Tech's Mekhi Lewis, his first loss of the year and his first-ever loss in the NCAA Tournament...Became three-time national finalist and three-time All-American.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2015-16			Redshirt season				
2016-17	22-4	10-3 (6-2)	12-1 (3-1/5-0)	2-0	4-0	4-0	40
2017-18	25-2	12-1 (8-1)	13-1 (3-1/5-0)	4-0	4-0	8-0	54
2018-19	27-2	11-0 (8-0)	16-2 (2-1/4-1)	14-0	2-0	4-0	65
<b>Career</b>	<b>74-8</b>	<b>33-4 (22-3)</b>	<b>41-4 (8-3/14-1)</b>	<b>20-0</b>	<b>10-0</b>	<b>16-0</b>	<b>159</b>

### 2017-18 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

**Season:** Won second-straight NCAA title at 165...Earned second straight All-America honor...Posted 25-2 overall record with four pins, four techs and eight majors.

**Army (11/9):** Majored Andrew Mendel in season opener. **Bucknell (11/12):** Had a 23-8 TF over D.J. Hollingshead. **Binghamton (11/17):** Majored Vincent DePrez 13-2 on 11/17. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Rolled to 2018 Southern Scuffle title with 5-0 run on 1/1-2...Recorded a 19-3 TF over #19 Gordon Wolf of Lehigh in semis and 8-0 major over Northern Iowa's Bryce Steiert in the final. **Michigan (1/12):** Dominated #5 Logan Massa on 1/12, posting a 12-3 major in Ann Arbor...Named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week. **Purdue (1/19):** Had an 18-3 tech fall over Jacob Morrissey. **Maryland (1/21):** Pinned Brendan Burnham (1:23). **Minnesota (1/26):** Recorded a 3-1 win over #7 Nick Wanzek. **Rutgers (1/18):** Downed #11 Richie Lewis 5-4. **Ohio State (2/3):** Dominating 12-3 major over #14 Te-Shan Campbell in PSU's win over the Buckeyes.

**Big Ten Championships (3-1, Finalist, NCAA Qualifier):** Went 3-1 at Big Ten Championships, including major over #11 Nick Wanzek of Minnesota and win over #7 Logan Massa of Michigan...Dropped 4-1 decision to #1 Isaiah Martinez of Illinois in the final, finishing second.

**NCAA Championships (5-0, Champion, All-American):** Won second-straight NCAA title with dominant 6-1 win over #1 Isaiah Martinez of Illinois in Cleveland on 3/17...Went 5-0 at NAAs, improving career record at NCAA Championships to 10-0...Downed the #14, #11, #2 and #1 seeded wrestlers to win the title...Became first Nit-tany Lion ever to win NCAA titles as a freshman and sophomore.

### 2016-17 / FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Season:** Won 2017 NCAA title at 165 as a redshirt freshman with win over Illinois' Isaiah Martinez, getting the thrilling fall at the 5:25 mark...Ended season at 22-4 with, two pins, four techs and four majors.

**Army (11/11):** Tech fall over Andrew Mendel (21-6; 5:36) in collegiate dual debut. **Keystone Classic (11/20):** Superb showing at Keystone Classic, going 4-0 with two tech falls to win the title at Penn...Beat #5 Chad Walsh of Rider (12-5) and #13 Te'Shawn Campbell of Pitt (9-5) in the title bout. **Minnesota (1/6):** Downed #14 Nick Wanzek in B1G dual debut. **Rutgers (1/13):** Posted a 19-3 TF over Willie Scott in Rec Hall. **Ohio State (2/3):** Majored Cody Burcher in Columbus. **Maryland (2/12):** First collegiate pin over Patrick Gerish (3:58) in sold out Rec Hall. **Oklahoma State (2/19):** Resounding 12-4 major over #8 Chandler Rogers, helping lead Penn State to 27-13 win at OSU for NWCA Dual crown.

**Big Ten Championships (3-1, 3rd place, NCAA Qualifier):** Placed third at Big Ten Championships as the fourth seed, going 3-1 (all against ranked wrestlers)...Downed #16 Joey Gunther of Iowa, pinned #15 Nick Wanzek of Minnesota and beat #3 Isaac Jordan 5-2 for third place...Only loss 8-5 decision to #1 Isaiah Martinez in semifinals.

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**NCAA Championships (5-0, Champion, All-American):** Became one of Penn State's first two freshman National Champions (with teammate Mark Hall) by pinning two-time defending champion #1 Isaiah Martinez of Illinois at the 5:25 mark in national final...Rolled to national title with 5-0 mark including a pin and a major...Downed #14 Branson Ashworth of Wyoming (12-4 major), #6 Daniel Lewis of Missouri (6-5 dec.), #2 Logan Massa of Michigan (5-4 dec.) and #1 Isaiah Martinez of Illinois (fall, 5:25) in an impressive run to the title.

## HIGH SCHOOL/PERSONAL:

Came to Penn State with nearly 140 wins as a four-year starter at Pittsburgh Central Catholic High School...Won two-straight Pennsylvania state titles during his last two years and was a four-time place winner...Went 39-8 and finished seventh as a freshman, 26-9 and placed third as a sophomore, 40-3 and the 138-pound title as a junior and 31-1 and the 152-pound crown as a senior...Was a two-year captain and helped lead Central Catholic to the 2014 Pennsylvania state team title...Also competed in the 2014 Who's Number 1 tournament and both the Dapper Dan and Dream Team Classics in 2015.

## JOSEPH MATCH-BY-MATCH

### 2018-19

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/11	165	WBF	Isaac Bast, Kent State (3:40)	dual	1-0
11/18	165	WBF	Michael Manley, Drexel (2:25)	KC	2-0
11/18	165	WBF	Will Schmidt, Sacred Heart (0:31)	KC	3-0
11/18	165	WBF	Evan DeLuise, Penn (4:29)	KC	4-0
11/18	165	WBF	Joshua Kim, Harvard (2:13)	KC	5-0
11/18	165	W, 21-6	Ebed Jarrell, Drexel (TF; 6:19)	KC (1st)	6-0
12/2	165	WBF	Trey Cornish, Lehigh (4:47)	dual	7-0
12/14	165	W, 11-2	#5 Josh Shields, Arizona State (major)	dual	8-0
1/1	165	WBF	Michale Ferree, Campbell (2:07)	Scuff	9-0
1/1	165	WBF	Joey Mazzarra, North Carolina St. (4:04)	Scuff	10-0
1/1	165	W, 6-4	Shane Griffith, Stanford	Scuff	11-0
1/2	165	W, 15-5	#20 Jesse Dellavecchia, Rider (major)	Scuff	12-0
1/2	165	W, 6-5	#3 Chance Marsteller, Lock Haven	Scuff (1st)	13-0
1/20	165	W, 2-0	#6 Isaiah White, Nebraska	dual	14-0
1/25	165	WBF	Cole Wysocki, Purdue (3:56)	dual	15-0
1/27	165	WBF	Bryce Martin, Indiana (1:23)	dual	16-0
2/1	165	W, 4-2 (sv)	#7 Logan Massa, Michigan	dual	17-0
2/8	165	W, 11-2	#12 Te'Shawn Campbell, Ohio St. (maj.)	dual	18-0
2/15	165	WBF	Austin Hiles, Michigan State (3:48)	dual	19-0
2/17	165	W, 15-4	Nick Gasbarro, Illinois	dual	20-0
2/24	165	WBF	Noah Grover, Buffalo (1:03)	dual	21-0
3/9	165	W, 21-6	Joey Gunther, Illinois (TF; 5:59)	B1G	22-0
3/9	165	WBF	#7 Logan Massa, Michigan (6:41)	B1G	23-0
3/10	165	L, 3-9	#2 Alex Marinelli, Iowa	B1G (2nd)	23-1
3/21	165	WBF	#31 Evan DeLong, Clarion (2:57)	NCAA	24-1
3/21	165	W, 8-4	#18 Connor Flynn, Missouri	NCAA	25-1
3/22	165	W, 3-1 (sv)	#7 Isaiah White, Nebraska	NCAA	26-1
3/22	165	W, 3-2	#3 Josh Shields, Arizona State	NCAA	27-1
3/22	165	L, 1-7	#8 Mekhi Lewis, Virginia Tech	NCAA (2nd)	27-2

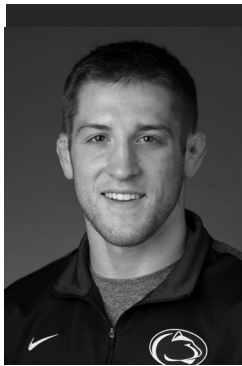
### 2017-18

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/9	165	W, 17-7	Andrew Mendel, Army (major)	dual	1-0
11/12	165	W, 23-8	D.J. Hollingshead, Bucknell (TF; 6:30)	dual	2-0
11/17	165	W, 13-2	Vincent DePrez, Binghamton (major)	dual	3-0
12/17	165	W, forfe.	Forfeit, Indiana	dual	4-0
1/1	165	WBF	Michael Elliott, Appalachian St. (3:22)	Scuff	5-0
1/1	165	W, 19-4	Zach Finesilver, Duke (TF; 5:11)	Scuff	6-0
1/1	165	W, 10-7	Ebed Jarrell, Drexel	Scuff	7-0
1/2	165	W, 19-3	#19 Gordon Wolf, Lehigh (TF; 5:53)	Scuff	8-0
1/2	165	W, 8-0	Bryce Steiert, Northern Iowa (major)	Scuff (1st)	9-0
1/12	165	W, 12-3	#5 Logan Massa, Michigan (major)	dual	10-0
1/14	165	WBF	Austin Hiles, Michigan State (2:48)	dual	11-0
1/19	165	W, 18-3	Jacob Morrissey, Purdue (TF; 5:00)	dual	12-0
1/21	165	WBF	Brendan Burnham, Maryland (1:23)	dual	13-0
1/26	165	W, 3-1	#7 Nick Wanzek, Minnesota	dual	14-0
1/28	165	W, 5-4	#11 Richie Lewis, Rutgers	dual	15-0
2/3	165	W, 12-3	#14 Te-Shan Campbell, Ohio St. (major)	dual	16-0
2/10	165	L, 6-9	#7 Alex Marinelli, Iowa	dual	16-1
2/18	165	W, 16-8	Noah Grover, Buffalo (major)	dual	17-1
3/3	165	WBF	Mike Sepke, Northwestern (3:39)	B1G	18-1
3/3	165	W, 18-10	#11 Nick Wanzek, Minnesota (major)	B1G	19-1
3/3	165	W, 5-4	#7 Logan Massa, Michigan	B1G	20-1
3/4	165	L, 1-4	#1 Isaiah Martinez, Minnesota	B1G (2nd)	20-2
3/15	165	W, 15-4	Jonathan Schleifer, Princeton (major)	NCAA	21-2
3/15	165	W, 3-1	#14 Branson Ashworth, Wyoming	NCAA	22-2
3/16	165	W, 4-2 (sv2)	#11 Isaiah White, Nebraska	NCAA	23-2
3/16	165	W, 3-1	#2 David McFadden, Virginia Tech	NCAA	24-2
3/17	165	W, 6-1	#1 Isaiah Martinez, Illinois	NCAA (1st)	25-2

### 2016-17

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/11	165	W, 21-6	Andrew Mendel, Army WP (TF; 5:36)	dual	1-0
11/13	165	L, 12-18	Keaton Subject, Stanford	dual	1-1
11/20	165	W, 21-6	David Kasper, E. Michigan (TF; 5:55)	Penn	2-1
11/20	165	W, 23-6	Austin Rose, Drexel (TF; 6:41)	Penn	3-1
11/20	165	W, 12-5	#5 Chad Walsh, Rider	Penn	4-1
11/20	165	W, 9-5	#13 Te'Shawn Campbell, Pitt	Penn (1st)	5-1
12/4	165	W, 10-5	Drew Longo, Lehigh	dual	6-1
12/11	165	W, 10-5	Vincent DePrez, Binghamton	dual	7-1
1/6	165	W, 7-4	#14 Nick Wanzek, Minnesota	dual	8-1
1/8	165	W, 20-7	Dustin Williams, Nebraska (major)	dual	9-1
1/13	165	W, 19-3	Willie Scott, Rutgers (TF; 4:55)	dual	10-1
1/20	165	W, 7-4	Joey Gunther, Iowa	dual	11-1
1/27	165	L, 4-6 (sv)	#3 Isaac Jordan, Wisconsin	dual	11-2
2/3	165	W, 11-1	Cody Burcher, Ohio State (major)	dual	12-2
2/10	165	L, 2-5	#1 Isaiah Martinez, Illinois	dual	12-3
2/12	165	WBF	Patrick Gerish, Maryland (3:58)	dual	13-3
2/19	165	W, 12-4	#8 Chandler Rogers, Oklahoma St. (major)	dual	14-3
3/4	165	W, 8-3	#16 Joey Gunther, Iowa	B1G	15-3
3/4	165	L, 5-8	#1 Isaiah Martinez, Illinois	B1G	15-4
3/5	165	WBF	#15 Nick Wanzek, Minnesota	B1G	16-4
3/5	165	W, 5-2	#3 Isaac Jordan, Wisconsin	B1G (3rd)	17-4
3/16	165	W, 5-1	Keaton Subject, Stanford	NCAA	18-4
3/16	165	W, 12-4	#14 Branson Ashworth, Wyoming (maj.)	NCAA	19-4
3/17	165	W, 6-5	#6 Daniel Lewis, Missouri	NCAA	20-4
3/17	165	W, 5-4	#2 Logan Massa, Michigan	NCAA	21-4
3/18	165	WBF	#1 Isaiah Martinez, Illinois (5:25)	NCAA (1st)	22-4

# ALL-AMERICANS



**NICK  
LEE**

Evansville, Indiana/Home schooled  
2X All-American  
(5th, 2019; 5th, 2018)

Jr./Jr. | 141

**PARENTS: LAURA AND CHRISTOPHER LEE**  
**MAJOR: HEALTH POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION**

Two-time All-American Nick Lee heads into his junior season looking to continue to build on two outstanding seasons as the Nittany Lions' 141-pounder. Lee, a true junior, has hit the podium in each of his first two seasons at Penn State and has notched two-straight 30-plus win seasons.

### CAREER NOTES:

**Academic:** Two-time NWCA first-team National All-Academic honoree (2018 and 2019)...Academic All-Big Ten (2019).

**Athletic:** Two-time All-American...Placed fifth at 141 as a true freshman in 2018...Also placed fifth as a sophomore in 2019...Has 63-11 career record after two seasons...Won 32 matches as a true freshman in 2018 and 31 in 2019...Has 14 pins, 12 techs and 25 majors through two seasons.

### 2018-19 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

**Season:** Became two-time All-American with fifth-place finish at 141 in Pittsburgh, helping lead Penn State to yet another team title... Posted 31-4 overall record, including 13-1 mark in dual meets...Had six pins, five techs and 13 majors.

**Kent State (11/11):** Opened season with 18-2 tech fall over Cory Simpson. **Keystone Classic (11/18):** Rolled to Keystone Classic title with 5-0 performance that included three techs, a major and a pin. **Arizona State (12/14):** Pinned Cory Crooks (2:18). **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Won the Southern Scuffle title, rolling to the title with a pin and four majors. **Northwestern (1/11):** Majored Alec McKenna, 16-6, in Big Ten opener. **Nebraska (1/20):** Posted 5-4 win over #19 Chad Red Jr.. **Michigan (2/1):** Dominated #5 Kanen Storr 10-4 in dual victory in BJC. **Ohio State (2/8):** Handed #2 Joey McKenna his first loss of the year in Penn State's B1G dual victory in Columbus, using a late takedown to secure a 7-6 win.

**Big Ten Championships (3-1, 3rd, NCAA Qualifier):** Placed third at the Big Ten Championships on March 9-10...Went 3-1 with two majors, including majors over #8 Tristan Moran of Wisconsin and #9 Mitch McKee of Minnesota...Only loss a close 5-4 decision to #3 Joey McKenna of Ohio State in semifinals.

**NCAA Championships (4-2, 5th place, All-American):** Became a two-time All-American with another fifth-place finish at 141 for Penn State. Went 4-2 with three pins, including a fall over #7 Mitch McKee of Minnesota in the fifth-place bout.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2017-18	32-7	8-1 (7-1)	24-6 (4-1/6-2)	5-1	7-0	12-1	32
2018-19	31-4	13-1 (8-1)	18-3 (3-1/4-2)	6-0	5-0	13-0	51
<b>Career</b>	<b>63-11</b>	<b>21-2 (15-2)</b>	<b>42-9 (7-2/10-4)</b>	<b>14-1</b>	<b>12-0</b>	<b>25-1</b>	<b>83</b>

### 2017-18 / TRUE FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Season:** Became true-freshman All-American with a 6-2 performance at the NCAA Championships, placing fifth at 141...Collected a 32-7 record for the year...Had five pins, seven tech falls and 12 majors.

**Clarion Open (11/5):** Solid 4-1 outing in first open tourney, picking up three techs and a major, lone loss a tough 6-4 decision in finals to #10 Brock Zacherl of Clarion. **Binghamton Open (11/12):** Went 2-1 to place third, lost in semis to #13 Yianni Diakomihalis of Cornell, also had a TF vs. a non-collegiate (which does not count as a result). **Mat-Town Open (11/26):** Went 4-0 to win Mat-Town Open title, including two pins, a tech and a major. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Unattached at 2018 Southern Scuffle and rolled to the final before taking runner-up...Went 4-1 with two pins, a tech and a major, including a pin of #7 Josh Alber of Northern Iowa in semifinals. **Michigan (1/12):** Made Penn State dual debut against Sal Profaci, winning 9-5 in Ann Arbor. **Michigan State (1/14):** Outstanding 16-1 TF (5:10) win over #20 Javier Gasca. **Purdue (1/19):** Dominating 14-4 major over Nate Limmex. **Maryland (1/21):** Dominant 22-10 major over Ryan Diehl. **Minnesota (1/26):** Outstanding show against #10 Tommy Thorn in a 13-3 major. **Ohio State (2/3):** Tough 7-6 upset loss, on riding time, to #11 Joey McKenna. **Iowa (2/10):** Took care of Vincent Turk 11-8 in BJC Dual. **Buffalo (2/18):** Pinned Nick Cassella (4:37).

**Big Ten Championships (4-1, 3rd, NCAA Qualifier):** Went 4-1 at first Big Ten Championship to place third and earn a trip to the NCAA Championship as a true freshman...Had three majors at Big Tens, including one over #16 Cole Weaver of Indiana and #15 Nate Limmex of Purdue in the third-place bout.

**NCAA Championships (6-2, 5th Place, All-American):** Went 6-2 at NCAA Championships as a true freshman, earning All-American honors...Placed fifth as the #8 seed, wrestling all the way back to fifth after losing his first bout...Downed the #9, #10, #16, #12 and #5 seeded wrestlers in the process.



## HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Lee was a state, cadet and junior champion. Wrestled at Evansville Mater Dei High School for three years before finishing off his high school degree via home schooling while training in freestyle...Was an Indiana state champion at Mater Dei, also winning a USAW Cadet Freestyle National Championship...Won the USAW Junior Freestyle National Championship...Has two brothers, Joe (a Nittany Lion teammate) and Matt.

## LEE MATCH-BY-MATCH

### 2018-10

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/11	141	W, 18-2	Cory Simpson, Kent State (TF; 3:44)	dual	1-0
11/18	141	W, 16-0	Tucker Ribman, Harvard (TF; 3:51)	KC	2-0
11/18	141	W, 18-3	Dominick Gallo, VMI (TF; 5:41)	KC	3-0
11/18	141	WBF	Grant Aronoff, Penn (4:07)	KC	4-0
11/18	141	W, 20-3	Anthony Brito, Appalachian St. (TF; 3:00)	KC	5-0
11/18	141	W, 17-9	Josh Finesilver, Duke (major)	KC (1st)	6-0
11/30	141	W, 15-5	Matt Kalonia, Bucknell (major)	dual	7-0
12/2	141	W, 23-10	Ryan Pomrinca, Lehigh (major)	dual	8-0
12/14	141	WBF	Cory Crooks, Arizona State (2:18)	dual	9-0
1/1	141	WBF	Julian Flores, Drexel (4:14)	Scuff	10-0
1/1	141	W, 15-4	Carmine Ciotti, Edinboro (major)	Scuff	11-0
1/1	141	W, 12-4	Aiden Murphy, Chattanooga (major)	Scuff	12-0
1/1	141	W, 11-3	Cole Matthews, Pittsburgh (major)	Scuff	13-0
1/2	141	W, 18-4	Kyle Shoop, Lock Haven (major)	Scuff	14-0
1/2	141	W, 6-3	Real Woods, Stanford	Scuff (1st)	15-0
1/11	141	W, 16-6	Alec McKenna, Northwestern (major)	dual	16-0
1/13	141	L, 10-12(sv2)	Tristan Moran, Wisconsin	dual	16-1
1/20	141	W, 5-4	#19 Chad Red Jr., Nebraska	dual	17-1
1/25	141	W, 17-6	Nate Limmex, Purdue (major)	dual	18-1
1/27	141	W, 13-3	Kyle Luigs, Indiana (major)	dual	19-1
2/1	141	W, 10-4	#5 Kanen Storr, Michigan	dual	20-1
2/8	141	W, 7-6	#2 Joey McKenna, Ohio State	dual	21-1
2/15	141	W, 19-7	Austin Eicher, Michigan State (major)	dual	22-1
2/17	141	W, 17-2	Abdullah Assaf, Illinois (TF; 3:48)	dual	23-1
2/24	141	W, forfeit	Forfeit, Buffalo	dual	24-1
3/9	141	W, 8-3	#16 Max Murin, Iowa	B1G	25-1
3/9	141	L, 4-5	#3 Joey McKenna, Ohio State	B1G	25-2
3/10	141	W, 11-3	#8 Tristan Moran, Wisconsin (major)	B1G	26-2
3/10	141	W, 12-4	#9 Mitch McKee, Minnesota (major)	B1G (3rd)	27-2
3/21	141	WBF	#30 Nate Limmex, Purdue (3:38)	NCAA	28-2
3/21	141	WBF	#19 Sa'Derian Perry, Old Dominion (3:42)	NCAA	29-2
3/22	141	W, 4-1	#22 Max Murin, Iowa	NCAA	30-2
3/22	141	L, 3-4	#2 Joey McKenna, Ohio State	NCAA	30-3
3/23	141	L, 9-13	#9 Dom Demas, Oklahoma	NCAA	30-4
3/23	141	WBF	#7 Mitch McKee, Minnesota (3:22)	NCAA (5th)	31-4

### 2017-18

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/5	141	W, 16-4	Dominic Means, UPJ (major)	CUP	1-0
11/5	141	W, 18-3	Chance Driscoll, Kent St. (TF; 5:46)	CUP	2-0
11/5	141	W, 17-2	Ryan Peters, Buffalo (TF; 4:05)	CUP	3-0
11/5	141	W, 16-1	Kyle Shoop, Lock Haven (TF; 3:55)	CUP	4-0
11/5	141	L, 4-6	#10 Brock Zacherl, Clarion	CUP (2nd)	4-1
11/12	141	W, 15-4	Brian Courtney, Virginia (major)	Bing	5-1
11/12	141	L, 7-12	#13 Yianni Diakomihalis, Cornell	Bing	5-2
11/12	141	W, 21-5	Dane Heberlein, Binghamton (TF)	Bing (3rd)	6-2
11/26	141	WBF	Haroldo Nesbeth, F&M (1:58)	LHU	7-2
11/26	141	W, 24-9	Braden Stahlnecker, Bloomsburg (TF)	LHU	8-2
11/26	141	W, 19-5	Brian Courtney, Virginia (major)	LHU	9-2
11/26	141	WBF	Rob Cleary, Rutgers (1:47)	LHU (1st)	10-2
1/1	141	W, 18-3	Garrett O'Shea, Air Force (TF; 4:55)	Scuff	11-2
1/1	141	WBF	Evan Cheek, Cleveland State (2:58)	Scuff	12-2
1/1	141	W, 15-5	Russell Rohlfen, CSU-Bakersfield (major)	Scuff	13-2
1/2	141	WBF	#7 Josh Alber, Northern Iowa (6:51)	Scuff	14-2
1/2	141	LBF	Kaden Gfeller, Oklahoma St. (4:50)	Scuff	14-3
1/12	141	W, 9-5	Sai Profaci, Michigan	dual	15-3
1/14	141	W, 16-1	#20 Javier Gasca, Michigan St. (TF; 5:10)	dual	16-3
1/19	141	W, 14-4	Nate Limmex, Purdue (major)	dual	17-3
1/21	141	W, 22-10	Ryan Diehl, Maryland (major)	dual	18-3
1/26	141	W, 13-3	#10 Tommy Thorn, Minnesota (major)	dual	19-3
1/28	141	W, 5-2	Michael Van Brill, Rutgers	dual	20-3
2/3	141	L, 6-7	#11 Joey McKenna, Ohio State	dual	20-4
2/10	141	W, 11-8	Vincent Turk, Iowa	dual	21-4
2/18	141	WBF	Nicholas Cassella, Buffalo (4:37)	dual	22-4
3/3	141	W, 12-2	Mike Van Brill, Rutgers (major)	B1G	23-4
3/3	141	W, 13-3	#16 Cole Weaver, Indiana (major)	B1G	24-4
3/3	141	L, 6-10	#14 Michael Carr, Illinois	B1G	24-5
3/4	141	W, 8-3	Vince Turk, Iowa	B1G	25-5
3/4	141	W, 15-5	#15 Nate Limmex, Purdue (major)	B1G (3rd)	26-5
3/15	141	LBF	Ryan Diehl, Maryland (2:12)	NCAA	26-6
3/15	141	W, 7-3	#9 Josh Alber, Northern Iowa	NCAA	27-616
3/16	141	W, 5-0	#10 Mason Smith, Central Michigan	NCAA	28-6
3/16	141	W, 13-5	#16 Cole Weaver, Indiana (major)	NCAA	29-6
3/16	141	W, 13-6	#12 Tyler Smith, Bucknell	NCAA	30-6
3/16	141	W, 12-4	Sa'Derian Perry, E. Michigan (major)	NCAA	31-6
3/17	141	L, 4-12	#2 Jaydin Eirmann, Missouri	NCAA	31-7
3/17	141	W, 9-7 (sv)	#5 Kevin Jack, NC State	NCAA (5th)	32-7

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# ALL-AMERICANS



## SHAKUR RASHEED

Coram, N.Y./Longwood  
All-American  
(7th at 197, 2018)  
Sr./Sr. | 184

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2014-15			Redshirt season				
2015-16	17-7	8-3 (4-1)	7-3 (0-0/0-0)	6-0	1-0	4-0	34
2016-17*	5-1	0-1 (0-0)	5-0 (0-0/0-0)	2-0	1-0	0-0	0
2017-18	24-5	5-0 (4-0)	19-5 (3-1/4-2)	12-0	1-0	7-0	25
2018-19	20-2	8-0 (3-0)	8-2 (2-0/2-2)	8-0	3-0	5-0	38
<b>Career</b>	<b>66-15</b>	<b>21-4 (11-1)</b>	<b>39-10 (5-1/6-4)</b>	<b>28-0</b>	<b>6-0</b>	<b>16-0</b>	<b>97</b>

\*received medical redshirt for 2015-16, stats count towards career numbers

**PARENTS: DANIELE RENCK, ISMAIL RASHEED**  
**MAJOR: BUSINESS MANAGEMENT/THEATER**

All-American Shakur Rasheed, fresh off receiving a medical redshirt for the 2016-17 campaign, will take one more shot at the top of the podium in 2019-20. Rasheed, an All-American in 2017 at 197, battled through injuries in 2018-19, finishing just shy of All-America laurels again. The Coram native will once again compete at 184 for Penn State this season.

### CAREER NOTES:

**Athletic:** All-American in 2017, placing seventh at 197...Granted medical redshirt for injury abbreviated 2016-17 season...Carries a 66-15 career record with 28 pins with him...His 28 pins are top 20 all-time in Penn State history.

### 2018-19 / JUNIOR SEASON:

**Season:** Posted a 20-2 overall record...Big Ten Runner-Up at 184... Battled injury last two months of season...NCAA qualifier...Had eight pins, three techs and five majors...Won second Southern Scuffle title.  
**Kent State (11/11):** Fast fall over Andrew McNally (1:13) to open up season. **Keystone Classic (11/18):** Won the Keystone Classic title with a 4-0 run, including three pins and a tech fall. **Bucknell (11/30):** Pinned Kyle Inlander in just 0:31 in dual victory in Lewisburg. **Arizona State (12/14):** Strong 15-0 technical fall (7:00) over Kordell Norfleet, including 4:58 in riding time. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Won his second consecutive Southern Scuffle title with a 4-0 performance (plus a win over a non-collegiate), including two majors and a pin...Pinned #17 Sam Colbray of Iowa State in just 0:45 in the semifinals. **Michigan (2/1):** Returned to action after missing time with an injury on Feb. 1 in BJC dual with 5-3 win over Jelani Embree. **Buffalo (2/24):** After missing three more weeks with an injury, returned to the line-up by pinning Logan Rill at the 1:16 mark in dual finale.

**Big Ten Championships (2-0, Runner-Up, NCAA Qualifier):** Went 2-0 at 2019 Big Ten Championships...Pinned #20 Cameron Caffey of Michigan State and beat #6 Taylor Venz of Nebraska in semifinals...Did not compete in finals at 184, taking medical forfeit, placed second at B1Gs for second-straight year.

**NCAA Championships (2-2, DNP):** Battled through injuries heading into NCAA Tournament...Went 2-2 with two majors at 184, helping Penn State to its fourth-straight NCAA team title.

### 2017-18 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

**Season:** 2017 All-American at 197 with a seventh place finish...Went 24-5 overall in first full season of action as a Nittany Lion...Had 12 pins, one tech and five majors...Won Southern Scuffle title and was named tournament Outstanding Wrestler.

**Clarion Open (11/5):** Went 4-1 with three pins and a tech to take third at Clarion Open. **Bearcat Open (11/12):** Went 3-1 with three

pins to take fourth at Bearcat Open. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** 2018 Southern Scuffle Outstanding Wrestler after going 5-0 to win the 197 pound title as an unseeded competitor...Beat three-straight ranked wrestlers to advance to final...Had a 12-2 major over #18 Jacob Seely (N. Colorado), a quick pin (0:27) of #15 Scottie Boykin (Chattanooga) and a quick pin of #14 Matt Williams (CSU Bakersfield) in the semis...Pinned Jacob Holschlag of Northern Iowa in only 0:46 in the final. **Michigan (1/12):** Season dual debut at Michigan, posting 7-1 win over #11 Kevin Beazley. **Purdue (1/19):** Pinned Purdue's Kobe Woods in just 1:24. **Minnesota (1/26):** Pinned Minnesota's Brandon Krone in just 0:55. **Iowa (2/10):** Dominated #7 Cash Wilcke of Iowa, rolling to an 11-2 major in Penn State's BJC Dual victory over the Hawkeyes. **Buffalo (2/18):** Pinned Buffalo's Joe Ariola. **Big Ten Championships (3-1, 2nd, NCAA Qualifier):** Went 3-1 at first Big Ten Championship, including a major over #24 Christian Brunner of Purdue...Advanced to final, losing 8-4 to #3 Kollin Moore of Ohio State, to place second.

**NCAA Championships (4-2, 7th, All-American):** Earned first All-America honor by placing seventh at NCAA Championships...Went 4-2 with three majors...Lost to eventual NCAA Champion Michael Macchiavello of N.C. State, 5-4, in final seconds in quarters...Major over #6 Willie Miklus of Missouri, 11-3, in seventh-place bout.

### 2016-17 / MEDICAL REDSHIRT SEASON:

**Season:** Went 5-1 to begin the year before an injury ended his campaign...Perfect start to campaign with a 5-0 run in Keystone Classic at Penn on 11/20 to win 174-pound title, with two pins and a 2-1 (TB2) victory over teammate #13 Geno Morelli in the final...Dropped 6-3 decision to #19 Ryan Preisch of Lehigh on 12/4 in BJC Dual.

### 2015-16 / FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Season:** Went 17-7 as a redshirt freshman...Had six pins, a tech and four majors...Posted 8-3 mark in dual meets, including 4-1 record in Big Ten action.

**2015-16: Lock Haven (11/13):** Downed Dillon Gavlock of Lock Haven in collegiate debut. **CS-Bakersfield (11/20):** Outstanding 6-0 win over #13 Adam Fierro in California, first win over a ranked wrestler. **Stanford (11/22):** Tough 6-3 loss to #6 Jim Wilson. **Nittany Lion Open (12/6):** Went 4-1 to take second place at Nittany Lion Open...Lost to teammate Geno Morelli, 3-2 on riding time, in the final. **Rider (12/19):** Pinned #15 Conor Brennan at the 4:28 mark. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Went 3-2 at Southern Scuffle on 1/1-2, including two pins (one in just 0:14) and a 5-2 win over #16 Jake Faust of Duke. **Purdue (1/8):** Pinned #5 Chad Welch, fresh off winning Midlands, at the 1:56 mark in Penn State's 42-3 dual win at Purdue. **U.S. Collegiate Open (2/21):** Went 2-1 with two first period pins at U.S. Collegiate Open to place second.

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## HIGH SCHOOL/PERSONAL

Finished fifth at states as a freshman and second as a sophomore before winning state titles as a junior and senior...Was county runner-up three times and a two-time county champion...Family pedigree features professional boxers, outstanding basketball players and wrestlers...An outstanding student in high school, earning high honors twice at Longwood.

## RASHEED MATCH-BY-MATCH

### 2018-19

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/11	184	WBF	Andrew McNally, Kent State (1:13)	dual	1-0
11/18	184	WBF	Jacob Harrison, Sacred Heart (0:34)	KC	2-0
11/18	184	WBF	Reid Robilotto, Franklin & Marshall (1:08)	KC	3-0
11/18	184	W, 15-0	Kaden Russell, Duke (TF; 3:50)	KC	4-0
11/18	184	WBF	Alan Clothier, Appalachian St. (1:00)	KC (1st)	5-0
11/30	184	WBF	Kyle Inlander, Bucknell (0:31)	dual	6-0
12/2	184	W, 11-2	Andrew Price, Lehigh (major)	dual	7-0
12/14	184	W, 15-0	Kordell Norfleet, Arizona State (TF; 7:00)	dual	8-0
1/1	184	W, 13-1	Joel Shapiro, Iowa State (major)	Scuff	9-0
1/1	184	W, 11-0	Hunter Yeargan, Ohio (major)	Scuff	10-0
1/2	184	WBF	#17 Sam Colbray, Iowa State (0:45)	Scuff	11-0
1/2	184	W, 4-1	Hunter Bolen, Virginia Tech	Scuff (1st)	12-0
1/11	184	W, 18-2	Brendan Devine, Northwestern (TF; 3:59)	dual	13-0
1/13	184	W, 5-0	Mason Reinhardt, Wisconsin	dual	14-0
2/1	184	W, 5-3	Jelani Embree, Michigan	dual	15-0
2/24	184	WBF	Logan Rill, Buffalo (1:16)	dual	16-0
3/9	184	WBF	#20 Cameron Caffey, Michigan St. (5:17)	B1G	17-0
3/9	184	W, 6-5	#6 Taylor Venz, Nebraska	B1G (2nd)	18-0
3/21	184	W, 11-2	#31 Kevin Parker, Princeton (major)	NCAA	19-0
3/21	184	L, 5-8	#15 Chip Ness, North Carolina	NCAA	19-1
3/22	184	W, 9-1	#17 Andrew McNally, Kent State (major)	NCAA	20-1
3/22	184	L, 2-4	#26 Dakota Greer, Oklahoma State	NCAA	20-2

### 2017-18

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/5	197	WBF	Joe Ariola, Buffalo (1:22)	CUP	1-0
11/5	197	W, 17-2	Abel Gomez, Utah Valley (TF; 5:36)	CUP	2-0
11/5	197	L, 2-3	Kyle Conel, Kent State	CUP	2-1
11/5	197	WBF	Noah Adams, West Virginia (2:18)	CUP	3-1
11/5	197	WBF	Stephen Suglio, Kent State (0:39)	CUP (3rd)	4-1
11/12	197	WBF	Joe Doyle, Binghamton (1:22)	Bing	5-1
11/12	197	WBF	Bryce Reed, Oswego (0:43)	Bing	6-1
11/12	197	WBF	Alex Hopkins, Army (1:19)	Bing	7-1
11/12	197	L, 4-8	Ben Damstadt, Cornell	Bing (4th)	7-2
1/1	197	W, 12-3	Anthony Perrine, Gardner Webb (major)	Scuff	8-2
1/1	197	W, 12-2	#18 Jacob Seely, N. Colorado (major)	Scuff	9-2
1/1	197	WBF	#15 Scottie Boykin, Chattanooga (0:27)	Scuff	10-2
1/2	197	WBF	#14 Matt Williams, CSUB (0:41)	Scuff	11-2
1/2	197	WBF	Jacob Holschlag, N. Iowa (0:46)	Scuff (1st)	12-2
1/12	197	W, 7-1	#11 Kevin Beazley, Michigan	dual	13-2
1/19	197	WBF	Kobe Woods, Purdue (1:24)	dual	14-2
1/26	197	WBF	Brandon Krone, Minnesota (0:55)	dual	15-2
2/10	197	W, 11-2	#7 Cash Wilcke, Iowa (major)	dual	16-2
2/18	197	WBF	Joe Ariola, Buffalo (1:57)	dual	17-2
3/3	197	W, 8-4	Jake Kleimola, Indiana	B1G	18-2
3/3	197	W, 11-8	Zack Chakonis, Northwestern	B1G	19-2
3/3	197	W, 10-2	#24 Christian Brunner, Purdue (major)	B1G	20-2
3/4	197	L, 4-8	#3 Kollin Moore, Ohio State	B1G (2nd)	20-3
3/15	197	W, 13-5	Sawyer Root, The Citadel (major)	NCAA	21-3
3/15	197	W, 14-3	Daniel Chaid, North Carolina (major)	NCAA	22-3
3/16	197	L, 4-5	#4 Michael Macchiavello, N.C. State	NCAA	22-4
3/16	197	W, 6-4	#7 Frank Mattiace, Penn	NCAA	23-4
3/16	197	L, 4-7	#1 Kollin Moore, Ohio State	NCAA	23-5
3/17	197	W, 11-3	#6 Willie Miklus, Missouri (major)	NCAA (7th)	24-5

### 2016-17\* (medical waiver year, results count)

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/20	174	WBF	Ben Wagner, VMI (2:10)	Penn	1-0
11/20	174	W, 18-2	M. Johnson, Appalachian St. (TF; 5:27)	Penn	2-0
11/20	174	WBF	Nick Elmer, Drexel (1:30)	Penn	3-0
11/20	174	W, 7-2	Johnny Sebastian, Northwestern	Penn	4-0
11/20	174	W, 2-1 (tb2)	#13 Geno Morelli, Penn State	Penn (1st)	5-0
12/4	174	L, 3-6	#19 Ryan Preisch, Lehigh	dual	5-1

### 2015-16

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	165	W, inj.def.	Dillon Gavlock, Lock Haven (up 2-0)	dual	1-0
11/15	165	L, 8-10 (sv)	Dave McFadden, Virginia Tech	dual	1-1
11/20	165	W, 6-0	#13 Adam Fierro, CSUB	dual	2-1
11/22	165	L, 3-6	#6 Jim Wilson, Stanford	dual	2-2
12/6	165	W, 17-0	Sam Williams, Army (TF)	NLO	3-2
12/6	165	W, 14-2	Isaac Bast, Kent State (major)	NLO	4-2
12/6	165	W, 14-3	Derek Evanovich, Maryland (major)	NLO	5-2
12/6	165	W, 8-0	Cody Law, Penn State (major)	NLO	6-2
12/6	165	L, 2-3	Geno Morelli, Penn State	NLO (2nd)	6-3
12/19	165	WBF	#15 Conor Brennan, Rider (4:28)	dual	7-3
1/1	165	WBF	Tyler Kinn, Northern Colorado (2:13)	Scuff	8-3
1/1	165	L, 3-5	Logan Massa, Michigan	Scuff	8-4
1/2	165	WBF	Kyle Pope, Wyoming (0:14)	Scuff	9-4
1/2	165	W, 5-2	#16 Jake Faust, Duke	Scuff	10-4
1/2	165	L, 1-3	Ryan Priesch, Lehigh	Scuff	10-5
1/8	165	WBF	#5 Chad Welch, Purdue (1:56)	dual	11-5
1/10	165	W, 11-2	Bryce Martin, Indiana (major)	dual	12-5
1/17	165	W, 5-0	Luke Norland, Northwestern	dual	13-5
1/23	165	L, 9-10	#6 Steven Rodrigues, Illinois	dual	13-6
1/31	165	W, 6-5	Garrett Sutton, Michigan	dual	14-6
2/12	165	W, 10-8	Drew Longo, Lehigh	dual	15-6
2/21	165	WBF	Conner Small, Arizona St. (0:44)	US Col.	16-6
2/21	165	WBF	Beau Billingsly, Air Force (0:52)	US Col.	17-6
2/21	165	L, 4-5	Josh Shields, Arizona State	US Col. (2nd)	17-7

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# ALL-AMERICANS



## ROMAN BRAVO-YOUNG

Tucson, Ariz./Sunny Side  
All-American  
(8th, 2019)

So./So. | 133

**PARENTS: SARAH BRAVO AND MELISSA CRUZ**  
**MAJOR: RECREATION, PARK AND TOURISM MANAGEMENT**

Sophomore Roman Bravo-Young heads into the 2019-20 season looking to improve upon a true freshman campaign that saw the Arizona native become a true freshman All-American. Bravo-Young heads into his second season as a Nittany Lion looking to improve upon his eighth-place finish at nationals in 2018-19.

### CAREER NOTES:

**Academic:** NWCA first team National All-Academic honoree.

**Athletic:** All-American in 2019, placing eighth at 133 as a true freshman.

### 2018-19 / TRUE FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Season:** Posted a 25-7 overall record...Went 9-1 in dual meets, including a 4-1 record in Big Ten duals...Notched two pins, one tech and nine majors...Missed portions of season with an injury...Rebounded to become a true freshman All-American.

**Kent State (11/11):** Made collegiate debut in fine fashion, pinning Tim Rooney at the 5:31 mark in sold out Rec Hall. **Keystone Classic (11/18):** Won Keystone Classic title at 133 with a 3-0 run, including a pin and a tech fall. **Arizona State (12/14):** Dominated #7/125 Brandon Millhof for a 14-1 major in dual victory. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Posted a 5-1 record at the Southern Scuffle and placed third as the third seed, majored No. 20 Sean Nickell of CS-Bakersfield in the process...Only loss was by fall to No. 10 Austin Gomez of Iowa State in a match he was winning 8-3 at the time.

**Northwestern (1/11):** Beat Colin Valdiviez 15-9 in Big Ten dual meet debut. **Wisconsin (11/13):** Majored senior Jens Lantz 12-4 two days later in Rec Hall. **Nebraska (1/20):** Solid 20-7 major over Jevon Parrish. **Purdue (1/25):** Could not rebound from first period injury and dropped tough 7-3 decision to #18 Ben Thornton. **Ohio State (2/8):** Returned to action after a brief injury break in stellar fashion, opening up Penn State's dual at Ohio State by beating #6 Luke Pletcher 2-1 (tb), sparking Penn State to a 28-9 win over the Buckeyes in Columbus.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2018-19	25-7	9-1 (4-1)	16-6 (4-2/4-3)	2-1	1-0	9-1	36
<b>Career</b>	25-7	9-1 (4-1)	16-6 (4-2/4-3)	2-1	1-0	9-1	36

**Big Ten Championship (4-2, 5th, NCAA Qualifier):** Went 4-2 at his first Big Ten Tournament as a true freshman, including two majors...Only losses were to top-seven ranked wrestlers...Placed fifth and qualified for the NCAA Championships as a true freshman.

**NCAA Championships (4-3, 8th place, All-American):** Went 4-3 at the 2019 NCAA Championships to become a true freshman All-American...Beat #23, #9 and #15 ranked wrestlers to set up a blood-round match against #4 Micky Phillippi of Pitt...Downed the Panther 4-3 to become an All-American...Placed eighth at 133.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Bravo-Young capped off a brilliant high school career as an undefeated wrestler...Went 182-0 over four years at Sunnyside High School, winning four-straight state titles in the process...Won multiple AZCentral State Wrestler of the Year, Bravo-Young played a part in Sunnyside winning its 31st team title...Was a three-year captain and won the Arizona's Dave Shultz Award in 2018 and competed in the Who's No. 1 All-Star meet...Was one of only three wrestlers to earn Arizona State Championship Outstanding Wrestler honors four years in a row...Was a U.S. Cadet Championship...Has one brother, Romego Young, and one sister, Angelica Gonzalez.

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## BRAVO-YOUNG MATCH-BY-MATCH

### 2018-19

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/11	133	WBF	Tim Rooney, Kent State (5:31)	dual	1-0
11/18	133	WBF	Jon Guevera, Penn (0:38)	KC	2-0
11/18	133	W, inj.def.	Lukus Stricker, Harvard	KC	3-0
11/18	133	W, 24-9	Chandler Olson, Drexel (TF; 7:00)	KC (1st)	4-0
11/30	133	W, 21-7	David Campbell, Bucknell (major)	dual	5-0
12/2	133	W, 13-5	Brandon Paetzell, Lehigh (major)	dual	6-0
12/14	133	W, 14-1	#7 Ryan Millhof, Arizona State	dual	7-0
1/1	133	W, 4-3	Dalton Young, Stanford	Scuff	8-0
1/1	133	W, 4-1	Nick Farro, Lehigh	Scuff	9-0
1/1	133	W, 8-6 (sv)	Collin Gerardi, Virginia Tech	Scuff	10-0
1/2	133	LBF	#10 Austin Gomez, Iowa State (3:57)	Scuff	10-1
1/2	133	W, 11-4	Mason Pengilly, Stanford	Scuff	11-1
1/2	133	W, 10-1	#20 Sean Nickell, Bakersfield (maj.)	Scuff (3rd)	12-1
1/11	133	W, 15-9	Colin Valdiviez, Northwestern	dual	13-1
1/13	133	W, 12-4	Jens Lantz, Wisconsin (major)	dual	14-1
1/20	133	W, 20-7	Jevon Parrish, Nebraska (major)	dual	15-1
1/25	133	L, 3-7	#18 Ben Thornton, Purdue	dual	15-2
2/8	133	W, 2-1 (tb)	#6 Luke Pletcher, Ohio State	dual	16-2
2/24	133	W, 14-5	Derek Spann, Buffalo (major)	dual	17-2
3/9	133	W, 18-5	Jevon Parrish, Nebraska (major)	B1G	18-2
3/9	133	L, 5-8	#7 Luke Pletcher, Ohio State	B1G	18-3
3/9	133	W, 14-5	Jens Lantz, Wisconsin (major)	B1G	19-3
3/9	133	W, 3-2	Dylan Duncan, Illinois	B1G	20-3
3/9	133	L, 8-12	#3 Austin DeSanto, Iowa	B1G	20-4
3/9	133	W, med.forf.	Medical Forfeit	B1G (5th)	21-4
3/21	133	W, 8-2	#23 Mario Guillen, Ohio	NCAA	22-4
3/21	133	L, 2-7	#7 Austin DeSanto, Iowa	NCAA	22-5
3/22	133	W, 6-3	#9 Charles Tucker, Cornell	NCAA	23-5
3/22	133	W, 3-1	#15 Ben Thornton, Purdue	NCAA	24-5
3/22	133	W, 4-3	#4 Micky Phillippi, Pitt	NCAA	25-5
3/22	133	L, 0-10	#8 John Erneste, Missouri	NCAA	25-6
3/23	133	L, 5-8	#6 Ethan Lizak, Minnesota	NCAA (8th)	25-7

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# ALL-AMERICANS



## KYLE CONEL

Ashtabula, Ohio/Lakeside  
2X NCAA Qualifier  
All-American (3rd, 2018)  
Gr./Sr. | 197

**PARENTS: LUETTA MILLER AND OTIS CONEL III**  
**MAJOR: MANAGEMENT & ORGANIZATIONAL LEADERSHIP (GR)**

All-American Kyle Conel will close out his collegiate career as a Penn State Nittany Lion, looking to return to the podium after missing last season with an injury, and to play a key role in Penn State's team success. Conel wrestled his first three seasons at Kent State and was granted a medical waiver after missing nearly all of last season with an injury.

### CAREER NOTES (at Kent State):

**Academic:** Two-time MAC Distinguished Scholar Award (2016, 2018)...Two-time MAC All-Academic Team (2016, 2018)...First team NWCA National All-Academic honoree (2018).

**Athletic:** 2018 NCAA All-American, placing third at 197 in Cleveland...2019 U23 National Runner-Up...Competed in FILA University Nationals (2017).

### 2018-19 / MEDICAL WAIVER SEASON:

**Season:** Went 2-0 overall before missing the rest of the season with an injury...Received medical waiver from the NCAA.

**Lindsey Wilson (11/2):** Opened season with a 20-4 tech fall over Lucas Miozza. **CS-Bakersfield (11/9):** Downed Mark Penyacsek 9-8 in final match of injury-shortened campaign.

### 2017-18 /JUNIOR SEASON:

**Season:** Went 6-1 as an unseeded wrestler at NCAAs to earn All-America laurels in Cleveland...Placed third at 197, downing top-seeded Kollin Moore twice...Posted 30-11 overall record...Notched seven pins and four majors.

**Clarion Open (11/5):** Went 5-0 to win the Clarion Open title, including victory over current Lion teammate Shakur Rasheed. **Navy Classic (11/18):** Posted 4-1 mark. **Cleveland State (11/21):** Began dual season with an 18-3 tech fall over John Kebly. **CSU Open (12/16):** Posted 4-1 mark, including two pins. **Northern Illinois (2/16):** Closed out dual meet season with a 7-2 win over Max Ihry.

**MAC Championships (4-1, 2nd, NCAA Qualifier):** Went 4-1 at 2018 MAC Championships...MAC Runner-Up, earning automatic NCAA bid.

**NCAA Championships (6-1, 3rd Place, All-American):** Roared to a third-place finish at 2018 NCAA Championships in Cleveland to become an All-American...Posted wins over the eighth and ninth seeds as well as two victories over the top-seed wrestler in the tournament.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2014-15	19-6	0-0 (0-0)	19-6 (0-0/0-0)	4-0	3-0	2-1	12
2015-16	27-8	16-0 (0-0)	11-8 (0-0/2-2)	2-3	3-0	1-0	56
2016-17			Redshirt season				
2017-18	30-11	9-6 (0-0)	21-5 (0-0/6-1)	7-1	0-2	4-1	32
2018-19*	2-0	2-0 (0-0)	0-0 (0-0/0-0)	0-0	1-0	0-0	8
<b>Career</b>	<b>78-25</b>	<b>27-6 (0-0)</b>	<b>51-19 (6-2/8-3)</b>	<b>13-4</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>7-2</b>	<b>108</b>

\* Received medical redshirt, results count

### 2016-17 / REDSHIRT SEASON:

**Season:** Redshirted during the 2016-17 season...Placed sixth at FILA University Nationals during freestyle season.

### 2015-16 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

**Season:** Posted a 27-8 overall record...Had two pins, three techs and a major...Perfect 16-0 mark in dual meets for a career best 56 dual meet points.

**Rider (11/7):** Strong 21-6 tech fall over Ryan Wolfe on season's first day of action. **CKLV (12/29):** Went 2-2 at Cliff Keen Las Vegas Invitational. **Buffalo (12/13):** Downed James Benjamin 9-8 (sv) in MAC dual action. **LHU Invite (12/29):** Posted 3-0 mark to win LHU Invitational. **Iowa State (1/8):** Took down Marcus Harrington, 3-2. **Edinboro (2/13):** Posted 8-3 win over Vince Pickett. **Central Michigan (2/14):** Closed out perfect dual season with a 6-3 win over Jackson Lewis.

**MAC Championships (2-2, 5th, NCAA Qualifier):** Went 2-2 at MAC Championships to place fifth...Earned NCAA automatic qualifier spot for his first trip to NCAA Championships.

**NCAA Championships (2-2, DNP):** Went 2-2 at 2016 NCAA Championships...Beat Navy's Michael Woulfe, 4-2...Downed South Dakota State's Nate Rotert, 9-4.

### 2014-15 / TRUE FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Season:** Posted a 19-6 record in his true freshman campaign, competing in open tournaments...Had four pins, three techs and two majors...Wrestled at 184 to start the season but finished strong at 197.

**MSU Open (11/2):** Went 1-2 in collegiate debut, wrestling at 184. **EMU Open (11/15):** Placed fifth at 184, going 5-1. **CSU Open (12/13):** Posted 3-2 mark at CSU Open in first action at 197. **Mercyhurst Open (1/18):** Posted 4-1 record, placing third. **Edinboro Open (2/7):** Won Edinboro Open title with 4-0 record, including a pin over Arizona State's Josh DaSilveira.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Won Ohio Division I state title at 195 as a senior at Lakeside High School...Four-time Howland Invitational Champion...Son of Luetta Miller and Otis Conel III...Youngest of five children...Two older brothers, Mychal and Otis IV...Two older sisters Alana and Cassandra...Otis ran track at Baldwin Wallace and Mychal played football at Golden West College.





## CONEL MATCH-BY-MATCH

### 2018-19\* (medical waiver year, results count)

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/2	197	W, 20-4	Lucas Miozza, Lindsay Wilson (TF; 4:57)	dual	1-0
11/9	197	W, 9-8	Mark Penyacsek, CS-Bakersfield	dual	2-0

### 2017-18

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/5	197	WBF	Aidan Mathews, Buffalo (0:40)	CUP	1-0
11/5	197	W, 16-3	Ray Bernot, Lock Haven (major)	CUP	2-0
11/5	197	W, 10-7	Jay Aiello, Virginia	CUP	3-0
11/5	197	W, 3-2	Shakur Rasheed, Penn State	CUP	4-0
11/5	197	W, 5-3	Tanner Orndorff, Utah Valley	CUP (1st)	5-0
11/18	197	WBF	Patrick Brucki, Princeton (2:39)	Navy	6-0
11/18	197	WBF	Sawyer Root, The Citadel (1:29)	Navy	7-0
11/18	197	L, 3-8	Corey Griego, Oregon State	Navy	7-1
11/18	197	L, 1-10	Christian Brunner, Purdue	Navy	7-2
11/21	197	W, 18-3	John Kębly, Cleveland State (TF; 7:00)	dual	8-2
12/10	197	L, 3-5	Joe Ariola, Buffalo	dual	8-3
12/16	197	L, 1-3	Jackson Striggow, Michigan	CSU	8-4
12/16	197	W, 3-2	Noah Adams, West Virginia	CSU	9-4
12/16	197	WBF	Mason Giordano, Cleveland State (6:09)	CSU	10-4
12/16	197	WBF	Ray Bernot, Lock Haven (3:51)	CSU	11-4
12/16	197	W, Med.Forf.	Shane Mast, Kent State	CSU	12-4
12/29	197	W, 18-7	Michael Bulkin, Columbia (major)	dual	13-4
12/30	197	L, 6-13	Ben Darmstadt, Cornell	dual	13-5
12/30	197	W, 5-3	Christian DuLaney, SIU-Edwardsville	dual	14-5
1/12	197	L, 2-17	Scottie Boykin, Chattanooga (TF; 7:00)	dual	14-6
1/12	197	L, 0-1	Jacob Holschlag, Northern Iowa	dual	14-7
1/12	197	W, 6-5	Josh Hokit, Fresno State	dual	15-7
1/13	197	W, 6-4	Chris Kober, Campbell	dual	16-7
1/19	197	L, 4-6	Aaron Naples, Ohio	dual	16-8
1/21	197	L, 0-16	Preston Weigel, Oklahoma St. (TF; 2:57)	dual	16-9
2/4	197	W, 8-4	Jared Langley, Eastern Michigan	dual	17-9
2/9	197	W, 16-7	John D'Agostino, Old Dominion (major)	dual	18-9
2/11	197	W, 6-5	Jordan Atienza, Central Michigan	dual	19-9
2/16	197	W, 7-2	Max Ihry, Northern Illinois	dual	20-9
3/3	197	W, 12-2	Max Ihry, Northern Illinois (major)	MAC	21-9
3/3	197	W, 4-3	Joe Ariola, Buffalo	MAC	22-9
3/3	197	W, Med.Forf.	Jordan Atienza, Central Michigan	MAC	23-9
3/3	197	W, 7-2	Derek Hillman, Eastern Michigan	MAC	24-9
3/3	197	L, 7-8	Aaron Naples, Ohio	MAC	24-10
3/15	197	W, 3-2	Randall Diable, Appalachian State	NCAA	25-10
3/15	197	W, 5-0	Preston Weigel, Oklahoma State	NCAA	26-10
3/15	197	W, 8-2	Nate Rotert, South Dakota State	NCAA	27-10
3/16	197	WBF	Kollin Moore, Ohio State (1:30)	NCAA	28-10
3/16	197	LBF	Michael Macchiavello, N.C. State (4:19)	NCAA	28-11
3/17	197	WBF	Jacob Holschlag, Northern Iowa (2:48)	NCAA	29-11
3/17	197	W, 5-3	Kollin Moore, Ohio State	NCAA (3rd)	30-11

### 2015-16

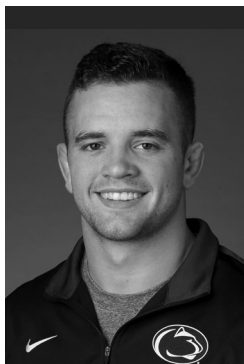
Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/7	197	W, 5-3	Michael Mirra, Bloomsburg	dual	1-0
11/7	197	W, 21-6	Ryan Wolfe, Rider (TF; 4:28)	dual	2-0
11/14	197	W, 10-3	Evan Rosborough, Lake Erie	dual	3-0
11/14	197	W, 15-3	Jacob Cramer, Tiffin (major)	dual	4-0
11/21	197	L, 6-2 (tb2)	Phil Wellington, Ohio	Navy	4-1
11/21	197	WBF	Anthony Rossi, George Mason (5:36)	Navy	5-1
11/21	197	W, 5-3	Michael Woulfe, Navy	Navy	6-1
11/21	197	LBF	Ian Baker, Princeton (4:30)	Navy	6-2
12/4	197	W, 3-2	Michael Woulfe, Navy	CKLV	7-2
12/4	197	L, 8-11	JT Goodwin, Cal Poly	CKLV	7-3
12/4	197	W, 15-0	Troy Hembury, Columbia (TF; 5:40)	CKLV	8-3
12/4	197	LBF	Max Huntley, Michigan (4:26)	CKLV	8-4
12/13	197	W, 9-8 (sv1)	James Benjamin, Buffalo	dual	9-4
12/29	197	W, 9-4	Tyler Greene, Bucknell	LHU	10-4
12/29	197	W, 7-3	Nick Bonnacorsi, Pitt	LHU	11-4
12/29	197	W, 5-2	Kyle Kloser, Messiah	LHU (1st)	12-4
1/8	197	W, 17-2	Cam Houston, George Mason (TF; 7:00)	dual	13-4
1/8	197	W, 3-2	Marcus Harrington, Iowa State	dual	14-4
1/8	197	W, 4-2	Rory Bonner, Bucknell	dual	15-4
1/9	197	W, 6-2	Austin Coburn, Old Dominion	dual	16-4
1/15	197	WBF	Phil Wellington, Ohio (6:28)	dual	17-4
1/17	197	W, 10-7	Anthony Abro, Eastern Michigan	dual	18-4
1/24	197	W, 10-4	Austin Coburn, Old Dominion	dual	19-4
2/5	197	W, 9-5	Shawn Scott, Northern Illinois	dual	20-4
2/6	197	W, 6-4	Cody Krumwiede, Northern Iowa	dual	21-4
2/13	197	W, 8-3	Vince Pickett, Edinboro	dual	22-4
2/14	197	W, 6-3	Jackson Lewis, Central Michigan	dual	23-4
3/5	197	W, 3-2	James Benjamin, Buffalo	MAC	24-4
3/5	197	L, 5-11	Phil Wellington, Ohio	MAC	24-5
3/5	197	W, 9-6	James Benjamin, Buffalo	MAC	25-5
3/5	197	L, 1-3 (sv)	Shawn Scott, Northern Illinois	MAC	25-6
3/17	197	W, 4-2	Michael Woulfe, Navy	NCAA	26-6
3/17	197	LBF	Morgan McIntosh, Penn State (6:02)	NCAA	26-7
3/18	197	W, 9-4	Nate Rotert, South Dakota State	NCAA	27-7
3/18	197	L, 1-5	Shawn Scot, Northern Illinois	NCAA	27-8

### 2014-15

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/2	184	W, 11-5	Antonio Reynolds, Ohio	MSU	1-0
11/2	184	L, 6-7	Jake Masengale, Indiana	MSU	1-1
11/2	184	L, 1-3	Tyler Hughes, Lake Erie	MSU	1-2
11/8	184	W, 10-3	Nick Shawley, Clarion	SUNY-Br.	2-2
11/9	184	W, 16-1	Jake Masengale, Indiana (TF; 4:12)	EMU	3-2
11/9	184	L, 5-7	Tanner Lynde, Purdue	EMU	3-3
11/9	184	W, 16-6	Alex Bissel, Findlay (major)	EMU	4-3
11/9	184	W, 5-2	Tanner Lynde, Purdue	EMU	5-3
11/15	184	WBF	Adam Mackie, Lock Haven (6:40)	EMU	6-3
11/15	184	WBF	Brandon Hill, Michigan (2:01)	EMU	7-3
12/13	197	L, 4-6	Brett Dempsey, Cleveland State	CSU	7-4
12/13	197	W, 17-8	Boyce Cornwell, Gardner-Webb (maj.)	CSU	8-4
12/13	197	W, 6-2	Gunner Loughman, Gannon	CSU	9-4
12/13	197	W, Med.Forf.	Sam Wheeler, Indiana	CSU	10-4
12/13	197	L, 0-9	Kevin Beazley, Old Dominion	CSU	10-5
1/18	197	L, 3-4 (tb)	David Reck, Virginia Tech	MH	10-6
1/18	197	W, 6-2	Dustin Conti, Clarion	MH	11-6
1/18	197	W, 21-6	Aaron Page, Mercyhurst (TF; 6:29)	MH	12-6
1/18	197	WBF	Kyle O'Donnell, Ohio (3:550)	MH	13-6
1/18	197	W, 3-2	Nigel Toussaint, Mercyhurst	MH	14-6
2/7	197	W, 7-5	Tristan Sponseller, Lock Haven	Boro	15-6
2/7	197	WBF	Josh DaSilveira, Arizona State (5:15)	Boro	16-6
2/7	197	W, 13-6	Anthony Cassar, Penn State	Boro	17-6
2/7	197	W, 3-2	Frank Mattiace, Penn	Boro	18-6
2/7	197	W, 15-0	Trevor Beiter, Gannon (TF; 7:00)	Boro (1st)	19-6

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# RETURNING STARTERS



## BRADY BERGE

Mantorville, Minn./  
Kasson-Mantorville  
NCAA Qualifier (2019)  
Jr./So. | 157

**PARENTS: CHERI AND KEVIN BERGE**  
**MAJOR: TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

Sophomore Brady Berge enters the 2019-20 season coming off a redshirt freshman campaign that saw him qualify for the NCAA Championship. Berge will look to build on that success wrestling at a new weight in 2019-20.

### CAREER NOTES:

**Academic:** Academic All-Big Ten (2019).

**Athletic:** NCAA Qualifier (2019).

### 2018-19 / REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Season:** Posted a 20-5 overall record at 149 for Penn State...Split dual season as a starter, finished with 6-1 mark in duals...Went 4-1 in Big Ten duals...Had six majors and three tech falls...NCAA qualifier.

**Keystone Classic (11/18):** Made Nittany Lion debut at Keystone Classic...Went 4-0 to reach finals and placed second (did not compete in finals bout, taking MF)...Had two techs and a major there.

**Bucknell (11/30):** Won Penn State dual meet debut with a 25-10 tech fall over Joey Schiele. **Arizona State (12/14):** Made Rec Hall dual debut with solid 5-4 win over #11 Josh Maruca. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Placed third at Southern Scuffle, going 6-1 with two majors...Downed No. 7 Jarrett Degan of Iowa State 7-4 at the event, only loss was a close 3-2 dec. to No. 6 Mitch Finesilver of Duke.

**Northwestern (1/11):** Won Big Ten dual debut at Northwestern, majoring veteran Shayne Oster 19-7. **Illinois (2/17):** Majored Christian Kanzler 15-4 in dual win. **Buffalo (2/24):** Posted 11-4 win over Jason Estevez on dual finale in sold out Rec Hall.

**Big Ten Championships (2-1, 6th, NCAA Qualifier):** Went 2-1... Posted a 4-2 (sv2) win over #9 Pat Lugo of Iowa...Placed sixth at first Big Ten Tournament to qualify for the NCAA Championships as a redshirt freshman.

**NCAA Championships (2-2, DNP):** Went 2-2 at first-ever NCAA Tournament, helping lead Penn State to fourth-straight NCAA team title as a redshirt freshman.

### 2017-18 / REDSHIRT SEASON:

**Season:** Redshirt season...Went 4-1, wrestling unattached in open tournaments.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2017-18							
2018-19	20-5	6-1 (4-1)	14-4 (2-1/0-0)	0-0	3-0	6-1	22
<b>Career</b>	<b>20-5</b>	<b>6-1 (4-1)</b>	<b>14-4 (2-1/0-0)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>3-0</b>	<b>6-1</b>	<b>22</b>

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Lost only one match, an injury default in the state semifinals during one of four state title runs...Won the 145-pound Minnesota state title one year with a 50-0 mark, another when he went 49-0 to win at 152...Won a third, going 49-0 to win the 160 pound championship... Only high school loss came in the state semifinals in the bout he was injured in...Also helped guide Kasson-Mantorville to multiple state team titles...Was a member of the National Honor Society. Has two brothers, Broc and Bennett, and a sister, Bailey.

## BERGE MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/18	149	W, 20-5	Anthony DeMartino, Duke (TF; 5:34)	KC	1-0
11/18	149	W, 18-0	Mason Rambarose, Sacred Heart (TF; 3:43)	KC	2-0
11/18	149	W, 13-4	Brock Wilson, Harvard (major)	KC	3-0
11/18	149	W, 3-2	Jarod Verkleeren, Penn State	KC (2nd)	4-0
11/30	149	W, 25-10	Joey Schiele, Bucknell (TF; 6:21)	dual	5-0
12/14	149	W, 5-4	#11 Josh Maruca, Arizona State	dual	6-0
1/1	149	W, 12-4	Frankie Gissendanner, Rider (major)	Scuff	7-0
1/1	149	W, 4-2	Dusty Horne, Oklahoma State	Scuff	8-0
1/1	149	W, 12-3	Alec Hagan, Ohio (major)	Scuff	9-0
1/1	149	W, 4-3	#17 Jared Prince, Navy	Scuff	10-0
1/2	149	L, 2-3	#6 Mitch Finesilver, Duke	Scuff	10-1
1/2	149	W, 7-4	#7 Jarrett Degan, Iowa State	Scuff	11-1
1/2	149	W, 5-2	Requir Van der Merwe, Stanford	Scuff (3rd)	12-1
1/11	149	W, 19-7	Shayne Oster, Northwestern (major)	dual	13-1
1/13	149	L, 7-8	Cole Martin, Wisconsin	dual	13-2
1/20	149	W, 7-4	Jordan Shearer, Nebraska	dual	14-2
2/17	149	W, 15-4	Christian Kanzler, Illinois (major)	dual	15-2
2/24	149	W, 11-4	Jason Estevez, Buffalo	dual	16-2
3/9	149	W, 12-3	Parker Filius, Purdue (major)	B1G	17-2
3/9	149	W, 4-2 (sv2)	#9 Pat Lugo, Iowa	B1G	18-2
3/9	149	L, 4-13	#2 Micah Jordan, Ohio State	B1G (6th)	18-3
3/21	149	W, 6-3	#21 Khristian Olivias, Fresno State	NCAA	19-3
3/21	149	L, 5-8	#5 Matt Kolodzik, Princeton	NCAA	19-4
3/22	149	W, 6-2	#27 Tejon Anthony, George Mason	NCAA	20-4
3/22	149	L, 2-4 (sv)	#20 Thomas Thorn, Minnesota	NCAA	20-5

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# RETURNING STARTERS



BO  
PIPHER

Paonia, Colo./Paonia

Sr./Jr. | 149/157

**PARENTS: TONYA AND ANDY PIPHER**  
**MAJOR: AGRICULTURAL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT**

Junior Bo Pipher heads into the new campaign coming off two solid seasons as a Nittany Lion middleweight. Pipher has started in dual meets in each of the last two campaigns adds veteran leadership to the Lion locker room.

### 2018-19 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

**Season:** Went 10-7 overall...Posted 0-2 mark in duals, 0-1 in Big Ten action...Collected three pins, a tech and major.

**Bearcat Open (11/11):** Went 2-2. **Keystone Classic (11/18):** Went 4-2...Placed sixth. **Bucknell (11/30):** Moved up to 165 to take on DJ Hollingshead in dual in Lewisburg, dropping 10-5 decision. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** 2019 Southern Scuffle Runner-Up at 157...Went 4-1 to reach the finals...Lost to teammate and top-ranked Jason Nolf in the final...Posted 16-0 tech fall over #14 Dan Reed of Columbia in the opening round...Pinned Ohio's Zac Carson in the semifinals.

**Northwestern (1/11):** Moved up to 165 once more, dropping close 11-9 decision to Tyler Morland in dual meet.

### 2017-18 / REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Season:** Posted 8-11 overall record...Went 1-3 in dual meet action. Had four pins.

**Lehigh (12/3):** Moved up two weights to wrestle #25 Gordon Wolf in dual meet. **Buffalo (2/18):** Picked up first dual victory with a pin of Eric Fasnacht in season finale.

### 2016-17 / REDSHIRT SEASON:

**Season:** Redshirt season...Posted a 5-4 in open tournaments as an unattached wrestler...Had two pins and two tech falls among his five victories.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Outstanding high school career at Paonia High School in Colorado... Three-time Colorado state champion and one time runner-up while helping to lead the Eagles to two state team titles and a third and fourth place finish...Lettered in cross country for years...Father, Andy, wrestled in college at CSU-Pueblo and his sister, Carson, plays women's basketball at Colorado Mesa University.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2016-17							
2017-18	8-11	1-3 (0-2)	7-8 (0-0/0-0)	4-0	0-1	0-4	6
2018-19	10-7	0-2 (0-1)	10-5 (0-0/0-0)	3-0	1-1	0-0	0
<b>Career</b>	<b>18-18</b>	<b>1-5 (0-3)</b>	<b>17-13 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>7-0</b>	<b>1-2</b>	<b>0-4</b>	<b>6</b>

## PIPHER MATCH-BY-MATCH

### 2018-19

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/11	157	L, 0-4	Mike D'Angelo, Rutgers	Bing	0-1
11/11	157	WBF	Quentin Hovis, Navy (1:45)	Bing	1-1
11/11	157	L, 1-8	Hunter Ladnier, Harvard	Bing	1-2
11/11	157	W, 7-1	Ermitt LiCastrì, Franklin & Marshall	Bing	2-2
11/18	157	W, 6-4 (sv)	Gino Fluri, Rider	KC	3-2
11/18	157	L, 1-4	Hunter Ladnier, Harvard	KC	3-3
11/18	157	WBF	Brandon Leynaud, Duke (1:21)	KC	4-3
11/18	157	W, 10-8	Emmett LiCastrì, Franklin & Marshall	KC	5-3
11/18	157	W, 5-4	Willy Kaiser, Penn	KC	6-3
11/18	157	L, 0-4	Hunter Ladnier, Harvard	KC (6th)	6-4
11/30	165	L, 5-10	D.J. Hollingshead, Bucknell	dual	6-5
1/1	157	W, 16-0	#14 Dan Reed, Columbia (TF; 3:00)	Scuff	7-5
1/1	157	W, 5-3	Chase Straw, Iowa State	Scuff	8-5
1/1	157	W, 5-3	Ben Anderson, Duke	Scuff	9-5
1/2	157	WBF	Zac Carson, Ohio (6:21)	Scuff	10-5
1/2	157	L, 1-16	#1 Jason Nolf, Penn State (TF;2:11)	Scuff (2nd)	10-6
1/11	165	L, 9-11	Tyler Morland, Northwestern	dual	10-7

### 2017-18

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/5	149	L, 5-7	Taylor Ortiz, Clarion	CUP	0-1
11/5	149	WBF	Justin Mason, Cleveland St. (1:56)	CUP	1-1
11/5	149	WBF	Austin Holmes, Indiana (1:34)	CUP	2-1
11/5	149	L, 3-4	Kyler Rea, West Virginia	CUP	2-2
11/5	149	WBF	Matthew Ontiveros, Utah Valley (3:37)	CUP	3-2
11/12	149	W, 4-3	Zachery Krause, Brown	Bing	4-2
11/12	149	W, 6-4	Nick Palumbo, Buffalo	Bing	5-2
11/12	149	W, Med.Forf.	Cole Aaron, Franklin & Marshall	Bing	6-2
11/12	149	L, 6-22	Jarod Verkleeren, Penn State (TF; 6:33)	Bing	6-3
11/12	149	W, Forf.	C. Shoenherr, Cornell	Bing	7-3
11/12	149	L, 7-8	Jonathan Furnas, Cornell	Bing	7-4
11/19	149	L, 1-3	Gary Dinmore, Rider	Penn	7-5
11/19	149	L, 4-5	Joe Oliva, Penn	Penn	7-6
12/3	165	L, 12-24	#25 Gordon Wolf, Lehigh	dual	7-7
1/1	149	L, 2-3	Tejon Anthony, George Mason	Scuff	7-8
1/1	149	L, 1-10	Ty Buckiso, The Citadel	Scuff	7-9
2/3	157	L, 9-24	#4 Micah Jordan, Ohio State (6:06)	dual	7-10
2/10	157	L, 4-14	#2 Michael Kemerer, Iowa	dual	7-11
2/18	157	WBF	Eric Fasnacht, Buffalo (1:53)	dual	8-11

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## DEVIN SCHNUPP

Lititz, Pa./Warwick

Sr./Jr. | 125

**PARENTS: RHONDA AND GARY SCHNUPP**  
**MAJOR: TURFGRASS SCIENCE**

Sophomore Devin Schnupp returns after starting the last two seasons for the Nittany Lions at 125 pounds. Schnupp is coming off a season that saw him earn his first dual meet victories and will look to build upon that success in 2019-20.

### CAREER NOTES:

**Academic:** Two-time first team Academic All-Big Ten (2018, 2019)... Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2019).

### 2018-19 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

**Season:** Went 6-17 overall, including 3-9 record in dual meets... Picked up first career dual victories, including one in Big Ten action.

**Kent State (11/11):** Dropped tough 12-8 decision to Jake Ferri in season opener. **Keystone Classic (11/18):** Solid 2-2 outing, including grabbing first major decision win of his career. **Bucknell (11/30):** Earned first dual victory of Lion career with 5-2 win over Geo Barzona. **Lehigh (12/2):** Won first dual in Rec Hall, posting 6-1 victory over Luke Resnick. **Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Went 1-2, including a major. **Indiana (1/27):** Picked up first ever Big Ten dual meet victory with a 5-2 decision over Liam Cronin.

**Big Ten Championship (0-3, DNP):** Went 0-3 in first appearance at the Big Ten Championships.

### 2017-18 / REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Season:** Went 1-14 as a redshirt freshman at 125.

**Army (11/9):** Made collegiate, Penn State and Rec Hall debut against Army and dropped close 6-4 decision to Trey Chalifoux. **Keystone Classic (11/19):** Went 1-2, picking up first collegiate win over F&M's Mike Simonetti (15-9). **Indiana (12/17):** Lost Big Ten dual debut to Elijah Oliver, 7-2. **Maryland (1/21):** Close 4-2 loss to Brandon Cray.

### 2016-17 / REDSHIRT SEASON:

**Season:** Redshirt season..Posted 5-8 record with one pin in open tournaments, wrestling unattached.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Wrestled at Warwick High School...Warwick's all-time career wins record with him as well as state tournament medals...Amassed a 156-19 career record, with two years wrestled at 106 and two at 113...Placed sixth in the state as a junior and senior and was regional champion his final year in high school...Collected 156 win in high school, which is a Warwick record.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2016-17	Redshirt season						
2017-18	1-14	0-10 (0-6)	1-4 (0-0/0-0)	0-2	0-1	0-2	0
2018-19	6-17	3-9 (1-8)	3-7 (0-0/0-3)	0-0	0-2	2-2	9
<b>Career</b>	<b>7-31</b>	<b>3-19 (1-14)</b>	<b>4-11 (0-0/0-3)</b>	<b>0-2</b>	<b>0-3</b>	<b>2-4</b>	<b>9</b>

## SCHNUPP MATCH-BY-MATCH

### 2018-19

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/11	125	L, 8-12	Jake Ferri, Kent State	dual	0-1
11/18	125	L, 4-6 (sv)	DeAndre Swinson-Barr, Appalachian St.	KC	0-2
11/18	125	W, 16-5	Ryan Burns, Sacred Heart (major)	KC	1-2
11/18	125	W, 10-4	Dante Minnino, Drexel	KC	2-2
11/18	125	L, 3-10	Andy Richard, Appalachian St.	KC	2-3
11/30	125	W, 5-2	Geo Barzona, Bucknell	dual	3-3
12/2	125	W, 6-1	Luke Resnick, Lehigh	dual	4-3
12/14	125	L, 7-13	Brandon Courtney, Arizona State	dual	4-4
1/1	125	W, 13-5	Antonio Minnino, Drexel	Scuff	5-4
1/1	125	L, 0-17	#17 Rico Montoya, No. Colorado (TF)	Scuff	5-5
1/1	125	L, 6-7	Aslan Kilic, Navy	Scuff	5-6
1/11	125	L, 2-18	#1 Sebastian Rivera, Northwestern (TF)	dual	5-7
1/13	125	L, 9-18	#15 Connor Brown, Wisconsin	dual	5-8
1/20	125	L, 1-6	#13 Zeke Moisey, Nebraska	dual	5-9
1/25	125	L, 1-6	Devin Schroeder, Purdue	dual	5-10
1/27	125	W, 5-2	Liam Cronin, Indiana	dual	6-10
2/1	125	L, 0-6	#15 Drew Mattin, Michigan	dual	6-11
2/8	125	L, 4-7	Malik Heinselmann, Ohio State	dual	6-12
2/15	125	L, 5-14	#7 Rayvon Foley, Michigan State	dual	6-13
2/17	125	LBF	#12 Travis Piotrowski, Illinois (1:03)	dual	6-14
3/9	125	L, 0-17	#12 Travis Piotrowski, Illinois (TF; 4:39)	B1G	6-15
3/9	125	L, 1-6	Shane Metzler, Rutgers	B1G	6-16
3/10	125	L, 4-6	Shane Metzler, Rutgers	B1G	6-17

### 2017-18

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/9	125	L, 4-6	Trey Chalifoux, Army	dual	0-1
11/12	125	L, 1-3	Jakob Campbell, Bucknell	dual	0-2
11/17	125	L, 4-7	Joe Nelson, Binghamton	dual	0-3
11/19	125	L, 1-6	Zack Fuentes, Drexel	KC	0-4
11/19	125	W, 15-9	Mike Simonetti, F&M	KC	1-4
11/19	125	L, 1-8	Dan Planta, Penn	KC	1-5
12/3	125	LBF	#5 Darian Cruz, Lehigh	dual	1-6
12/17	125	L, 2-7	Elijah Oliver, Indiana	dual	1-7
1/1	125	L, 8-14	Alonzo Allen, Chattanooga	Scuff	1-8
1/1	125	L, 6-8	Fabian Gutierrez, Chattanooga	Scuff	1-9
1/12	125	L, 0-8	#15 Drew Mattin, Michigan	dual	1-10
1/14	125	L, 2-6	Rayvon Foley, Michigan State	dual	1-11
1/21	125	L, 2-4	Brandon Cray, Maryland	dual	1-12
1/26	125	L, 0-15	#6 Ethan Lizak, Minnesota (TF; 6:23)	dual	1-13
1/28	125	LBF	#1 Nick Suriano, Lehigh (6:41)	dual	1-14



# RETURNING VETERANS



## JAROD VERKLEEREN

Greensburg, Pa./Hempfield

Jr./So. | 149

**PARENTS: TAMI AND GARY VERKLEEREN**  
**MAJOR: DIVISION OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES**

Sophomore Jarod Verkleeren enters the 2019-20 season coming off a solid redshirt freshman campaign that saw him splitting time as the starter at 149. Verkleeren will look to improve upon the steps made a year ago as the new season ensues..

### 2018-19 / REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON:

**Season:** Collected a 15-6 overall record...Had four pins, two techs and four majors...Split time as the dual starter at 149, posting a 5-2 dual meet record...Went 3-2 in Big Ten dual action.

**Kent State (11/11):** Superb collegiate debut, pinning Kody Komara at the 1:20 mark in sold out Rec Hall. **Keystone Classic (11/18):** Went 4-2, including a pin and two majors, to take fourth.

**Lehigh (12/2):** Notched 5-3 win over Jimmy Hoffman in dual victory.

**Southern Scuffle (1/1-2):** Went 2-2, including a major and a tech.

**Millersville Open (1/12):** Won the Millersville Open, going 4-0 with two pins and a tech fall. **Purdue (1/25):** Won first Big Ten dual with an 8-3 win over Parker Filius. **Indiana (1/27):** Beat Fernie Silva 6-4.

**Ohio State (2/8):** Dropped hard-fought 10-8 dec. to #3 Micah Jordan in Columbus, falling victim to a last second and challenged stall call. **Michigan State (2/15):** Majored Jaden Enriquez 13-3.

### 2017-18 / REDSHIRT SEASON:

**Career:** Redshirt season...Posted 9-2 record as an unattached competitor...Notched a major and two tech falls...Won the Bearcat Open, going 5-0 with two techs...Placed seventh at the Southern Scuffle with a 4-2 record.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Was a four-year starter at Hempfield High School. He won the AAA Champion in 2017 at 145 pounds...Amassed a 140-15 career record, including his senior season at Hempfield, when he went 25-1 overall and capped the year off with the state title...Placed fourth as a sophomore in 2015, going 46-7...Has two brothers, Derek and Trevor, and a sister, Alexa...Father and two uncles (Ron and Jeff) both went to Penn State.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2017-18							
			Redshirt season				
2018-19	15-6	5-2 (3-2)	10-4 (0-0/0-0)	4-1	2-0	4-0	19
<b>Career</b>	<b>15-6</b>	<b>5-2 (3-2)</b>	<b>10-4 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>4-1</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>4-0</b>	<b>19</b>

## VERKLEEREN MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/11	149	WBF	Kody Komara, Kent State (1:20)	dual	1-0
11/18	149	WBF	Jerrold Hunziker, VMI (1:56)	KC	2-0
11/18	149	W, 12-4	Vince Foggia, Drexel (major)	KC	3-0
11/18	149	W, 14-3	Evan Fidelibus, Rider (major)	KC	4-0
11/18	149	L, 2-3	#15 Brady Berge, Penn State	KC	4-1
11/18	149	W, 7-4	Jonathan Milner, Appalachia St.	KC	5-1
11/18	149	L, 2-4 (sv2)	Anthony Artalona, Penn	KC (4th)	5-2
12/2	149	W, 5-3	Jimmy Hoffman, Lehigh	dual	6-2
1/1	149	W, 24-9	Wyatt Sladek, Campbell (TF; 4:40)	Scuff	7-2
1/1	149	W, 17-6	Alec Opsal, Air Force (major)	Scuff	8-2
1/1	149	L, 2-3	#12 Kaden Gfeller, Oklahoma State	Scuff	8-3
1/2	149	LBF	Matt Zovistoski, Appalachian St. (6:59)	Scuff	8-4
1/12	149	WBF	River Curtis, UA-Navy (1:53)	M'ville	9-4
1/12	149	WBF	Christian Schoenherr, Cornell (3:59)	M'ville	10-4
1/12	149	W, 28-10	Paul Crane, UA-Navy (TF; 6:28)	M'ville	11-4
1/12	149	W, med.for	Jimmy Hoffman, Lehigh	M'ville (1st)	12-4
1/25	149	W, 8-3	Parker Filius, Purdue	dual	13-4
1/27	149	W, 6-4	Fernie Silva, Indiana	dual	14-4
2/1	149	L, 5-7	Malik Amine, Michigan	dual	14-5
2/8	149	L, 8-10	#3 Micah Jordan, Ohio State	dual	14-6
2/15	149	W, 13-3	Jaden Enriquez, Michigan State (major)	dual	15-6

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# RETURNING VETERANS



**JOEY  
BLUMER**

Leechburg, Pa./Kiski Area

Jr./So. | 141/149



**AUSTIN  
CLABAUGH**

York Springs, Pa./Bermudian Springs

Jr./So. | 133

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2017-18			Redshirt season				
2018-19	3-3	0-0 (0-0)	3-3 (0-0/0-0)	0-1	0-0	0-0	0
<b>Career</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>3-3 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2017-18			Redshirt season				
2018-19	1-2	0-0 (0-0)	1-2 (0-0/0-0)	0-0	0-0	0-0	0
<b>Career</b>	<b>1-2</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>1-2 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: LORIE AND JOE BLUMER**  
**MAJOR: INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING**

Sophomore Joey Blumer heads into the 2019-20 campaign after competing in open tournaments last season. Blumer will look to wrestle at 149 in 2019-20.

**CAREER NOTES:**

**Academic:** Academic All-Big Ten (2019).

**2018-19 / REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON:**

Posted a 3-3 mark in open tournaments...Went 2-1 at Mat-Town Open at Lock Haven to finish as runner-up at 149...Named first team Academic All-Big Ten.

**2017-18 / REDSHIRT SEASON:**

Redshirt season...Went 5-4 in open tournaments...Had one tech and two majors.

**HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:**

Blumer came to Penn State from Leechburg, Pennsylvania, and Kiski Area High School...Compiled an 88-15 record during four years of varsity wrestling...He helped lead that Cavaliers to a WPIAL team title in 2017 and he participated in the 2017 Dapper Dan Classic...Blumer earned High Honors for four years at Kiski Area and won three key academic awards...Has one brother, Jack...Father, Joe, is an '87 Penn State graduate.

**PARENTS: KYLE CLABAUGH**  
**MAJOR: FINANCE**

Sophomore Austin Clabaugh heads into the 2019-20 campaign after competing in open tournaments last season. Clabaugh will look to wrestle at 133 in 2019-20.

**CAREER NOTES:**

**Academic:** Academic All-Big Ten (2019)...Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2019 / 4.0 GPA notation),

**2018-19 / REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON:**

Posted a 1-2 record in open tournaments...Named first team Academic All-Big Ten...Named Big Ten Distinguished Scholar with a 4.0 GPA.

**2017-18 / REDSHIRT SEASON:**

Redshirt season...Went 2-4 in open tournaments, competing at 125 and 133.

**HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:**

Clabaugh hails from York Springs, Pa., and is a Bermudian Springs graduate...Was a three-time PIAA qualifier and was the state runner-up at 126 during his senior year in 2016-17, posting a 41-4 overall record...Was named the York-Adams Wrestler of the Year. Posted a 149-30 career record at Bermudian Springs as a four-year starter...Was a first-team state all-academic honoree for four straight years...Has one sister, Kaitlyn.

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# RETURNING VETERANS



## JACK DAVIS


Hanover Township, Pa./  
Wyoming Seminary

So./Fr. | 125/133  




## CREIGHTON EDSSELL

Wyalusing, Pa./Wyalusing

So./Fr. | 165/174  


### CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2018-19	Redshirt season						
<b>Career</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: BECKY AND RUSSELL DAVIS**  
**MAJOR: CRIMINOLOGY**

Redshirt freshman Jack Davis heads into the 2019-20 season after competing unattached in open tournaments as a true freshman. Davis will battle to compete at the lower weights for the Nittany Lions.

#### 2018-19 / REDSHIRT SEASON:

Redshirt season...Competed in open tournaments at 125...Went 4-4 overall with a pin and a technical fall.

#### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Amassed an outstanding prep career at Wyoming Seminary...Four-year letterman...Was 44-13 as a freshman...Posted a 56-4 record as a sophomore, took fourth at Iron Man, third at Powerade, second at Eastern states and first at Prep Nationals...Went 49-7 as a junior, took second at Powerade and second at Prep Nationals...Had a 57-6 mark as a senior, took fifth at Iron Man, second at Powerade, first at Eastern states and first at Prep Nationals...Has two brothers, Owen and Cael.

### CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2018-19	Redshirt season						
<b>Career</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: COLLEEN AND CARL EDSSELL**  
**MAJOR: AGRICULTURE SCIENCE**

Redshirt freshman Creighton Edsell heads into the 2019-20 season after joining the squad as a true freshman last year. Edsell could battle at 165 or 174 for the Nittany Lions.

#### 2018-19 / REDSHIRT SEASON:

Redshirt season.

#### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Was a three-time state place winner...Took fifth at 138 as a sophomore...Won PIAA Championship at 160 as a junior...Finished fourth at 160 as a senior...Was a two-time team captain...Has one brother, Collin, and one sister, Carlyn.

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# RETURNING VETERANS



**PAUL FEITE**

Dillsburg, Pa./Northern

So./Fr. | 149



**LUKE GARDNER**

Pottsville, Pa./Pottsville

Sr./Jr. | 149

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2018-19			Redshirt season				
<b>Career</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: PAUL AND TANYA FEITE**  
**MAJOR: DIVISION OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES**

Redshirt freshman Paul Feite will enter the 2019-20 season looking to compete in the Blue and White singlet at 149. Feite wrestled unattached last season as a true freshman.

### 2018-19 / REDSHIRT SEASON:

Redshirt season...Posted a 4-5 mark competing unattached in open tournaments...Had a technical fall and two majors.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Wrestled at Northern High School...Was a four-year starter at Northern...Multiple qualifier for PIAA Championships...Placed fourth at 138 in 2018...Was 120-43 over his high school career...Four-year team captain...Named to Pennlive.com All-Star Team...Has a brother, Pierce, and two sisters, Toni and Tanner...Mother Tanya played collegiate soccer at Messiah College and sister Toni plays soccer at Temple.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2016-17			Redshirt season				
2017-18	6-4	0-0 (0-0)	6-4 (0-0/0-0)	2-0	0-1	1-0	0
2018-19	9-6	0-0 (0-0)	9-6 (0-0/0-0)	2-0	2-0	1-0	0
<b>Career</b>	<b>15-10</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>15-10 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>4-0</b>	<b>2-1</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: JOIELYNNE AND CHRISTOPHER GARDNER**  
**MAJOR: CRIMINAL JUSTICE**

Pottsville native Luke Gardner heads into his junior campaign with two seasons of open tournament experience under his belt. Gardner will continue action in the Penn State middle weights in 2019-20 after competing at 149 a year ago.

### 2018-19 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

Posted a 9-6 record in tournaments...Competed at the Southern Scuffle...Had two pins, two tech falls and a major.

### 2017-18 / REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON:

Posted a 6-4 record in open tournaments as a redshirt freshman...Notched two pins and a major...Competed at 149 pounds last season.

### 2016-17 / REDSHIRT SEASON:

Redshirt season...Went 6-6 in open tournaments as an unattached wrestler...Had a pin, two techs and a major.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Wrestled at Pottsville High School...Went 144-25 during his high school career, including placing as a senior at 145, finishing fifth...Two-time Pennsylvania Freestyle Champion...Led Pottsville to an 18-2 record as a senior, winning 2016 Schuylkill League title...Was a four-year stater at Pottsville (twice at 113, once at 120 and once at 145).

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**DOMINIC  
GIANNANGELI**

Murrysville, Pa./Franklin Regional

Sr./Sr. | 141



**AUSTIN  
HOOPES**

Afton, Wyoming/Star Valley

Jr./So. | 184/197

**CAREER STATISTICS**

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2015-16	Redshirt season						
2016-17	9-8	0-0 (0-0)	9-8 (0-0/0-0)	0-0	0-0	2-1	0
2017-18	7-4	0-1 (0-0)	7-3 (0-0/0-0)	1-1	0-0	0-0	0
2018-19	3-6	0-0 (0-0)	3-6 (0-0/0-0)	0-0	0-0	0-0	0
<b>Career</b>	<b>19-18</b>	<b>0-1 (0-0)</b>	<b>19-17 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2-1</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: KELLY AND DAVE GIANNANGELI  
MAJOR: BIOMEDICAL/MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**

Senior Dominic Giannangeli heads into his final season with the Nittany Lions looking to continue to compete at Penn State's middle weights. Giannangeli wrestled in open tournaments over the last three seasons and competed in one dual meet as a sophomore.

**CAREER NOTES:**

**Academic:** Three-time Academic All-Big Ten (2017, 2018, 2019)... Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2019).

**2018-19 / JUNIOR SEASON:**

Posted a 3-6 record at 141 in tournament action...Picked up two wins at Keystone Classic and one win at Southern Scuffle...Academic All-Big Ten and Big Ten Distinguished Scholar.

**2017-18 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:**

Picked up multiple wins in the Kaloust Bearcat Open at Binghamton in November...Went 2-2 at Penn's Keystone Classic...Made PSU dual debut at 133 pounds in meet against Lehigh, falling to Scotty Parker...Had one pin on the year...Named Academic All-Big Ten.

**2016-17 / REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON:**

Posted a 9-8 record in open tournaments for Penn State...Picked up two majors.

**2015-16 / REDSHIRT SEASON:**

Redshirt season...Went 6-8 at 133 in open tournaments with one pin.

**HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:**

Came to Penn State from Franklin Regional High School in Murrysville, Pa....Placed fourth at 138 as a senior and posted a 53-16 record over his junior and senior campaigns...Helped lead FRHS to two straight Pennsylvania state titles in 2014-15...Collected 10 letters over three sports: two in football, four in lacrosse and four in wrestling...Superb student with a 3.9 grade point average.

**CAREER STATISTICS**

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2018-19	4-6	0-0 (0-0)	4-6 (0-0/0-0)	0-1	0-0	0-0	0
<b>Career</b>	<b>4-6</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>4-6 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: LISA AND JASON HOOPES  
MAJOR: KINESIOLOGY**

Sophomore Austin Hoopes heads into his second season with the Nittany Lions after competing in open tournaments at 184 a year ago. Hoopes will once again look to see action at 184 in the 2019-20 campaign.

**2018-19 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:**

Posted a 4-6 record in tournament action in his first season at Penn State.

**HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:**

Wrestled at Star Valley High School in Wyoming...Lettered four years...Took third at 145 as a sophomore with a 47-17 record...Won state title at 170 as a junior with a 44-5 record...Was unbeaten senior year at 182 to win second-straight title...Was a two-time team captain...Has five brothers; Walker, Brigg, Tyson, Harrison and Cael... First member of immediate family to compete in college athletically.

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# RETURNING VETERANS



**KONNER  
KRAESZIG**

Louisville, Ky./St. Xavier

So./Fr. | 165



**MASON  
LINDENMUTH**

Brockway, Pa./Brockway

Sr./Jr. | 133/141

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2018-19			Redshirt season				
<b>Career</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: JIM KRAESZIG**

**MAJOR: DIVISION OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES**

Redshirt freshman Konner Kraeszig enters the 2019-20 season after a true freshman campaign that saw him compete in open tournaments. The Kentucky native will compete in the middle weights for the Nittany Lions.

### 2018-19 / REDSHIRT SEASON:

Went 5-1 wrestling unattached in open tournaments...Had two pins, two techs and a major.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Competed at Louisville's St. Xavier High School...Comes from a family of wrestlers, including father, Jim, and brothers Kody, Jimmy and Hunter...Was a Kentucky state qualifier as a freshman...Placed as high as second at the state championships...Four-year letterman at St. Xavier...Was a two-year team captain and multiple all-star meet participant.

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2016-17			Redshirt season				
2017-18	3-2	0-0 (0-0)	3-2 (0-0/0-0)	2-1	1-0	0-0	0
2018-19	1-2	0-0 (0-0)	1-2 (0-0/0-0)	1-0	0-1	0-1	0
<b>Career</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>4-4 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>3-1</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: WENDY AND DANIEL LINDENMUTH**

**MAJOR: KINESIOLOGY**

Junior Mason Lindenmuth is coming off two seasons competing in open tournaments. The Brockway native will once again wrestle at 133 as a Nittany Lion.

### CAREER NOTES:

**Academic:** Two-time Academic All-Big Ten (2018, 2019).

### 2018-19 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

Went 1-2 in open tournament action...Had one fall...Named Academic All-Big Ten.

### 2017-18 / REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON:

Posted a 3-2 mark in open tournaments...All three wins were for bonus...Two pins and a tech fall...Selected Academic All-Big Ten.

### 2016-17 / SOPHOMORE SEASON:

Redshirt season...Went 1-1 as an unattached grappler.

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Joined Penn State from Brockway High School in Brockway, Pennsylvania...Was a two-year captain for the Rovers and posted a 34-7 record as a senior...Was a starter on Brockway's tennis team, helping his team to the District 9 title as a senior and runner-up status as a junior...Lettered in cross country and soccer for four years...With the Rover soccer team, was part of two District 9 title teams...Two-time PIAA place winner, finishing seventh and fifth...Was on the Honor Roll and a member of the National Honor Society...Was an AP Scholar and earned Honor Roll status every marking period in high school.



**BRANDON MEREDITH**

Limerick, Pa./  
Spring-Ford

So./Fr. | 125/133



**SCOTT OBENDORFER**

Germanton, Md./Damascus

Jr./So. | 141/149



**CAREER STATISTICS**

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2018-19			Redshirt season				
<b>Career</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: TINA AND BUD MEREDITH**  
**MAJOR: AEROSPACE ENGINEERING**

Sophomore Brandon Meredith heads into the 2019-20 season prepared to wrestle at 125 or 133 as a Nittany Lion. Meredith competed unattached in open tournaments as a redshirt last year.

**2018-19 / REDSHIRT SEASON:**

Posted a 3-1 mark wrestling unattached in open tournaments last season...Had two major decisions.

**HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:**

Was a four-time regional qualifier and a three-time PIAA state qualifier...Took fourth at states at 106 as a sophomore...Helped lead team to state team quarterfinals as a senior...Had four seasons of 30-plus wins...Left Spring-Ford as the all-time school leader in wins with 150...Was a four-year letterman...Won Senior Academic Achievement Award and earned Distinguished Honors four years...Has a total of 10 relatives who are Penn Staters, including brother William who is currently enrolled, both parents and grandfather Bud Sr.

**CAREER STATISTICS**

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2017-18			Redshirt season				
2018-19	5-6	0-0 (0-0)	5-6 (0-0/0-0)	2-0	1-0	1-0	0
<b>Career</b>	<b>5-6</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>5-6 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>0</b>

**PARENTS: KIM AND ED OBENDORFER**  
**MAJOR: CIVIL ENGINEERING**

Sophomore Scott Obendorfer will look to compete at 141 or 149 pounds in 2019-20. The Maryland native is coming off a redshirt freshman season that saw him compete in open tournaments.

**CAREER NOTES:**

**Academic:** Academic All-Big Ten (2019).

**2018-19 / REDSHIRT FRESHMAN SEASON:**

Posted a 5-6 record in open tournaments...Had two pins, one technical fall and one major...Named Academic All-Big Ten.

**2017-18 / REDSHIRT SEASON:**

Redshirt season...Posted 4-6 record as an unattached grappler in open tournaments...Wrestled at 141.

**HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:**

Brought two state titles with him to Penn State...Wrestled at Damascus High School where he was a three-time finalist and two-time Maryland 3A/4A State Champion...Was a county champ as a freshman and then won the state title at 120 pounds as a sophomore...Was state runner-up as a junior and then capped his high school career off with a state title at 132 pounds his senior season...Collected a 162-10 record at Damascus and helped guide his team to numerous state dual titles...Has six siblings: brothers, Eddie and Cory, and sisters Jamie, Kelly, Annie and Jaclyn.

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# RETURNING VETERANS / NEW FACES



## BRODY TESKE

Duncombe, Iowa/Fort Dodge

So./Fr. | 125

**PARENTS: WENDY AND DAN TESKE**  
**MAJOR: COMMUNICATION ARTS AND SCIENCES**

Redshirt freshman Brody Teske heads into the 2019-20 season ready to battle at 125 for the Nittany Lions. Teske competed in open tournaments as a true freshman last season, during his redshirt campaign.

**2018-19 / REDSHIRT SEASON:**

Redshirt season...Posted a 6-2 overall record, competing unattached in open tournaments...Went 2-1 at Southern Scuffle, unattached.

**HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:**

Brings four Iowa state titles with him to Happy Valley...Wrestled for Fort Dodge High School...He went 43-0 to win at 106 as a freshman and then went 43-0 to win at 113 as a sophomore...Went 41-0 as a junior at 120 to win his third title and 48-1 up at 126 to win his fourth-straight Iowa state crown...Posted a 175-1 overall record... Teske helped lead Fort Dodge to the 2018 Iowa Team Championship in 2018...Named Dan Gable Wrestler of the Year...Competed in the Conflict at Carver All-Star event...Was a four-year letterman and three-time team captain as well...Has one older sister, McKinna.

### CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2018-19			Redshirt season				
<b>Career</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0)</b>	<b>0-0 (0-0/0-0)</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>



## DONOVON BALL

New Cumberland, Pa./Cedar Cliff

Fr./Fr. | 184

**Parents: Donna and Gregory Ball**  
**Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies**

**HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:**

Competed at Cedar Cliff High School...Was a two-time state place winner...Runner-up in 2019, fifth in 2018...Four-time sectional placer winner and three-time district place winner...Posted a 123-38 record in four years as a starter...Team won two District 3 Championships (2018, 2019)...Four-year letterman, two-year team captain...Earned first-team PIAA All-Academic Award...Father played rugby at California University of Pennsylvania...Has one sister, Amelia...Considering a marketing major.



## TERRELL BARRACLOUGH

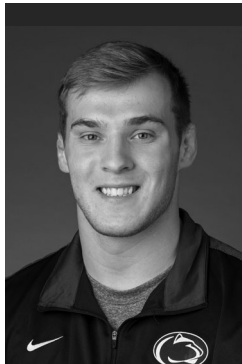
Kaysville, Utah/Layton

Fr./Fr. | 149

**Parents: Abby and Royce Baraclough**  
**Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies**

**HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:**

Wrestled at Layton High School...Earned four varsity letters for the Lancers...Was team captain two seasons...Won four-straight Utah State Championships, becoming first LHS wrestler to do so and the 22nd in Utah history...Posted 39-2 record as a senior...Won numerous state Wrestler of the Year honors...Earned Utah's 2019 Dave Shultz Award...Was also an outstanding soccer placer...Was the winner of Academic All-State laurels...Has one sister, Taryn...Considering a Bio-medical Engineering major.



## MICHAEL BEARD

Pottstown, Pa./Malvern Prep

Fr./Fr. | 197

**Parents: Susan and George Beard**  
**Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies**

**HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:**

Competed at Malvern Prep...Was a National Prep Champion at 195... Combined to go 172-7 in high school...Went 50-0 as a senior and 45-0 as a junior...Posted a 47-2 mark during his sophomore campaign and 30-5 as a freshman...Lettered four times, team captain twice...Graduated from Malvern Prep in 2018...Won the Who's No. 1 event in 2016... Has one brother, William...Was an Honors Student at Malvern Prep.

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## AARON BROOKS

Hagerstown, Md./  
North Hagerstown

Fr./Fr. | 184

**Parents: John Brooks, Ranelle Boyd, Adrienne Brooks**  
**Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies**

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Wrestled at North Hagerstown High School...Named 2018 National High School Coaches Association Wrestler of the Year...Became seventh wrestler to capture four NHSCA Championships at NHSCA High School Nationals...Compiled a 163-2 record at NHHS...Won four Maryland state titles...Went 22-0 as a senior, 46-0 as a junior, 43-1 as a sophomore and 45-1 as a freshman...Four-year letterman, three-year captain...Has one sister, Kaiya...Has three brothers, Isaiah, Jared and Jaden...Considering a communications major.



## KEAGAN CARMENATTY

Ovid, N.Y./South Seneca

Fr./Fr. | 197/285

**Parents: Carrie and Izzy Carmenatty**  
**Major: Nutritional Science**

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Competed at South Seneca High School...Posted a 153-29 record as a four-year starter for SSSHS...Earned six varsity letters and was team captain four times...Was a two-time Section 5 Class B Champion...Finished as 2019 New York State runner-up...An outstanding student, was a four-year high school Honors Student and class officer...Considering a nutritional sciences major at Penn State.



## RITCHIE HEYWOOD

Heber, Utah/Wasatch

Fr./Fr. | 174/184

**Parents: Wendy and Rob Heywood**  
**Major: Landscape Architecture**

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Competed at Wasatch High School in Heber, Utah...Won team's Most Improved Award as a freshman...Went 32-12 at 160 as a sophomore, finishing as state runner-up, losing to older brother Spencer in the state finals...Posted 42-5 record as a junior, won 170 Utah State Championships and named High School All-American...Posted 45-3 record as a senior, won 182 Utah State Championship and named High School All-American...Has two sisters, Savannah and Regan; and two brothers, Spencer and Sam...Father played football at Ricks College...Brother, Spencer, wrestles at Utah Valley...Sister, Savannah, ran cross country at Utah Valley.



## JOE LEE

Evansville, Ind./Mater Dei

Fr./Fr. | 165

**Parents: Laura and Christopher Lee**  
**Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies**

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Competed at Meter Dei High School...Helped guide Meter Dei to a state title...Earned three letters...Two-time team captain...Member of multiple Indiana national teams...Was Indiana state runner-up as a freshman...Won Indiana state title his sophomore year...Claimed second-straight state championship as a junior...Has two brothers; younger brother, Matthew, and older brother, Nick (a two-time All-American and teammate this year at Penn State)...Considering a business management major at Penn State.

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# NEW FACES



## SETH NEVILLS

Clovis, Calif./Clovis

Fr./Fr. | 285

**Parents: Kerri and Wayne Nevills**  
**Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies**

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Competed at Clovis High School...Earned seven varsity letters at Clovis High School...Four-year wrestling team captain...Won four-straight California state championships...Finished prep career with a superb 169-1 overall record...Helped lead Clovis to California state team title...Has three brothers, all of whom wrestle(d) in college; oldest brother, Zach, at Stanford, older brother, Nick, who was an All-American at Penn State, and older brother, A.J., who wrestles at Fresno State.



## BAYLOR SHUNK

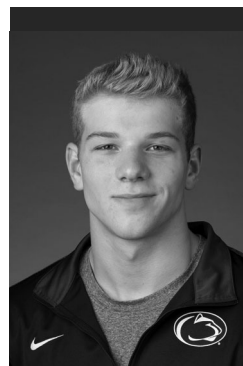
Centre Hall, Pa./Penns Valley

Fr./Fr. | 125

**Parents: Nicole and Corby Shunk**  
**Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies**

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Wrestled at nearby Penns Valley High School...Three-time state qualifier...Two-time state place winner, finishing seventh twice...Had a 132-38 record as a four-year starter for the Rams...Lettered four-times and was two-time team captain...An outstanding student, was a member of the National Honors Society...Has one younger brother, Colten...Considering an agriculture and extension education major.



## EDDIE SMITH

Scotch Plains, N.J./  
Scotch Plains Fanwood

Fr./Fr. | 184/197

**Parents: Vickie and Dave Smith**  
**Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies**

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Competed at Scotch Plains Fanwood High School in New Jersey...Earned three varsity letters and was team captain once...Compiled a 61-37 career record, including one injury-shortened season...An outstanding student, earned academic honor roll laurels...One older brother, Harry; and one older sister, Devon...Considering a business major at Penn State.



## CARTER STAROCCI

Erie, Pa./Cathedral Prep

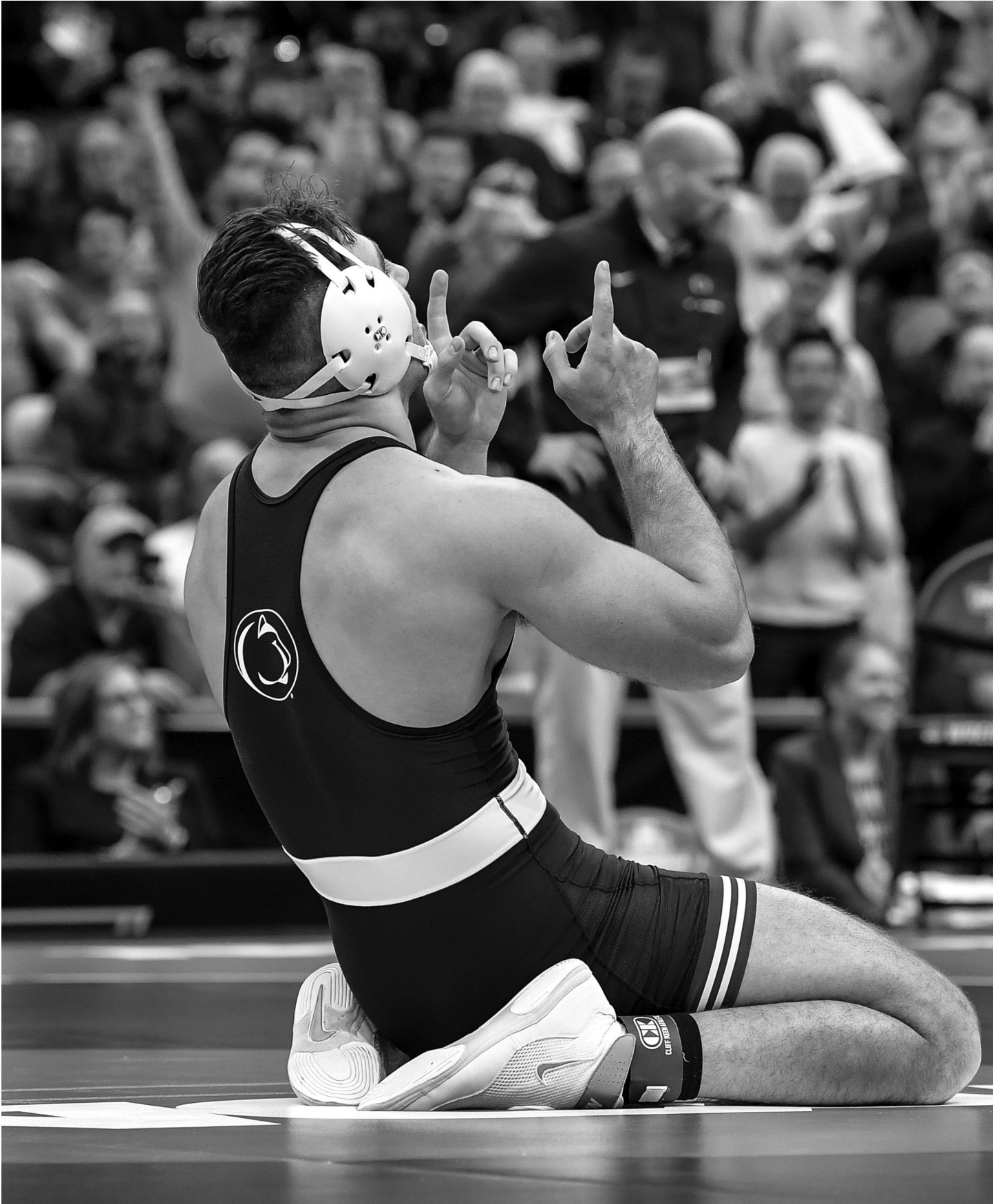
Fr./Fr. | 174

**Parents: Starla and Chris Starocci**  
**Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies**

### HIGH SCHOOL / PERSONAL:

Wrestled at Cathedral Prep High School in Erie...Four-year letterman and four-year team captain...Rolled to a 172-10 record for the Ramblers...Won state title as a senior with a 46-0 mark...Won state title as a junior with a 50-0 mark...Took second at states as a sophomore and placed as a freshman as well...Received academic honors twice...Has two older siblings, brother, Chris and sister, Ceci...Considering a Kinesiology major.

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# 2018-19 PENN STATE WRESTLING INDIVIDUAL RECORDS & STATS

14-0 OVERALL, 9-0 B1G, 8-0 HOME, 6-0 ROAD, 0-0 NEUTRAL, 2019 B1G CHAMPIONS, 2019 NCAA CHAMPIONS

Wrestler, Wt.	Overall Record	Collegiate Record	Dual Record	B1G Dual Record	Dual Pts. For/Against	SV W-L	TB W-L	MD W-L	TF W-L	Pins W-L	Fastest Fall
Aarif Asif, 165	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2	---
Brady Berge, 149	20-5	20-5	6-1	3-1	22/3	1-1	0-0	6-1	3-0	0-0	---
Francisco Bisano, 174/184	2-7	2-7	0-2	0-2	0/7	0-1	0-0	1-2	0-1	0-0	---
Joey Blumer, 141	3-3	3-3	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	---
Roman Bravo-Young, 133	25-7	25-7	9-1	4-1	36/3	1-0	1-0	9-1	1-0	2-1	0:38
Anthony Cassar, 285	30-1	30-1	14-0	9-0	61/0	0-0	0-0	15-0	2-0	5-0	0:32
Austin Clabaugh, 133	1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
Jon Consorti, 133/141	0-6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-2	0-1	---
Jack Davis, 125/133	4-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	1-0	4:50
Creighton Edsell, 165/174	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
Paul Feite, 149	4-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	2-0	1-2	0-0	---
Brian Friery, 157/165	8-10	8-10	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-1	0-0	3-2	1-0	2-0	1:44
Luke Gardner, 149	9-6	9-6	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	1-0	2-0	2-0	1:13
Dominic Giannangeli, 141	3-6	3-6	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
Mark Hall, 174	30-1	30-1	14-0	9-0	59/0	0-0	1-0	5-0	3-0	6-0	2:29
Patrick Higgins, 133/141	3-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-0	0:23
James Hoeg, 197	1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
Austin Hoopes, 184	4-6	4-6	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	---
Vincenzo Joseph, 165	27-2	27-2	11-0	7-0	54/0	2-0	0-0	4-0	2-0	14-0	0:31
Konner Kraezig, 165	5-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	1-0	2-0	2-0	0:36
Nick Lee, 141	31-4	31-4	13-1	8-1	55/3	0-1	0-0	13-0	5-0	6-0	2:18
Mason Lindenmuth, 133	1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-1	1-0	1:11
Justin Lopez, 125	5-7	5-7	0-1	0-0	0/3	0-0	0-0	0-3	0-0	0-0	---
Mason Manville, 165/174/184	7-9	7-9	0-5	0-5	0/16	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	---
Richie McClanahan, 149	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
Brandon Meredith, 125/133	3-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	2-0	0-1	0-0	---
Nick Nevills, 285	8-2	8-2	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	1-0	2-0	2-0	2:17
Alex Nicholas, 285	3-4	3-4	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-1	---
Bo Nickal, 197	30-0	30-0	14-0	9-0	73/0	0-0	0-0	6-0	3-0	18-0	0:35
Jason Nolf, 157	31-0	31-0	14-0	9-0	72/0	0-0	0-0	6-0	5-0	15-0	0:42
Scott Obendorfer, 141	5-6	5-6	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	1-0	1-0	2-0	2:51
Bo Pipher, 157/165	10-7	10-7	0-2	0-1	0/6	1-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	3-0	1:21
Shakur Rasheed, 184	20-2	20-2	8-0	3-0	38/0	0-0	0-0	5-0	3-0	8-0	0:31
Devin Schnupp, 125	6-17	6-17	3-9	1-7	9/37	0-1	0-0	2-2	0-3	0-0	---
Scott Stossel, 133/141	5-6	5-6	1-2	1-2	3/8	0-0	0-0	2-0	0-1	0-0	---
Brody Teske, 125/133	6-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	---
Jarod Verkleeren, 149	15-6	15-6	5-2	3-2	19/6	0-1	0-0	5-0	2-0	4-1	1:20
Dual Forfeit losses			0-1	0-1	0/6						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>365-142</b>	<b>340-130</b>	<b>112-28</b>	<b>66-24</b>	<b>500/98</b>	<b>5-7</b>	<b>3-0</b>	<b>91-14</b>	<b>41-13</b>	<b>95-8</b>	<b>0:23</b>

SV - sudden victory • TB - tiebreak • MD - major decision • TF - technical fall

## SEASON LEADERS -- OVERALL\*

WINS		FALLS	
1. Nick Lee, 141	31	1. Bo Nickal, 197	18
Jason Nolf, 157	31	2. Jason Nolf, 157	15
3. Mark Hall, 174	30	3. Vincenzo Joseph, 165	14
Bo Nickal, 197	30	4. Shakur Rasheed, 184	8
Anthony Cassar, 285	30	5. Mark Hall, 174	6
6. Vincenzo Joseph, 165	27	Nick Lee, 141	6
7. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	25	7. Anthony Cassar, 285	5
8. Brady Berge, 149	20	8. Jarod Verkleeren, 149	4
Shakur Rasheed, 184	20	9. Bo Pipher, 157	3
10. Jarod Verkleeren, 149	15	10. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	2
11. Bo Pipher, 157	10	Brian Friery, 157	2
12. Luke Gardner, 149	9	Luke Gardner, 149	2
13. Nick Nevills, 285	8	Patrick Higgins, 133	2
Brian Friery, 157	8	Konner Kraezig, 165	2
15. Mason Manville, 174	7	Nick Nevills, 285	2
16. Devin Schnupp, 125	6	Scott Obendorfer, 141/149	2
Brody Teske, 125/133	6	17. Jack Davis, 133	1
18. Konner Kraezig, 165	5	Mason Lindenmuth, 133/141	1
Justin Lopez, 125	5		
Scott Obendorfer, 141/149	5		
Scott Stossel, 133	5		
22. Jack Davis, 133	4		
Paul Feite, 157	4		
Austin Hoopes, 184	4		
25. Joey Blumer, 149	3		
Dominic Giannangeli, 141	3		
Patrick Higgins, 133	3		
Brandon Meredith, 125	3		
Alex Nicholas, 285	3		
30. Francisco Bisano, 184	2		
31. Austin Clabaugh, 133	1		
James Hoeg, 197	1		
Mason Lindenmuth, 133/141	1		

(Tech falls continued)

Alex Nicholas, 285	1
Scott Obendorfer, 141/149	1
Bo Pipher, 157	1

### MAJOR DECISIONS

1. Anthony Cassar, 285	15
2. Nick Lee, 141	13
3. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	9
4. Brady Berge, 149	6
Bo Nickal, 197	6
Jason Nolf, 157	6
7. Mark Hall, 174	5
Shakur Rasheed, 184	5
9. Vincenzo Joseph, 165	4
Jarod Verkleeren, 149	4
11. Brian Friery, 157	3
12. Paul Feite, 157	2
Brandon Meredith, 125	2
Devin Schnupp, 125	2
Scott Stossel, 133	2
16. Francisco Bisano, 184	1
Luke Gardner, 149	1
Konner Kraezig, 165	1
Bo Nickal, 197	1
Nick Nevills, 285	1
Scott Obendorfer, 141/149	1

\* Includes wrestlers w/unattached wins and redshirts.

## DUAL TAKEDOWNS

(numbers listed FOR - AGAINST)

Wt.	Wrestler	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total
125	Devin Schnupp	3-14	3-8	3-7	0-0	9-29
125	Justin Lopez	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1
133	Roman Bravo-Young	19-1	14-1	15-0	0-0	48-2
133	Scott Stossel	0-4	1-2	1-3	0-0	2-9
141	Nick Lee	30-2	13-1	14-2	0-0	57-5
149	Jarod Verkleeren	7-3	2-2	4-2	0-0	13-7
149	Brady Berge	17-0	4-1	14-1	0-1	35-3
157	Jason Nolf	47-1	15-0	9-1	0-0	71-2
165	Vincenzo Joseph	21-0	7-0	4-0	1-0	33-0
165	Bo Pipher	1-2	0-2	2-2	0-0	3-6
	65/84 Mason Manville	0-6	0-6	1-5	0-0	1-17
174	Mark Hall	12-0	12-1	19-0	0-0	43-1
184	Shakur Rasheed	12-0	3-0	2-0	0-0	17-0
184	Francisco Bisano	0-4	0-2	0-1	0-0	0-7
197	Bo Nickal	32-0	8-0	17-1	0-0	57-1
285	Anthony Cassar	25-1	20-0	24-1	0-0	69-2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>226-38</b>	<b>102-26</b>	<b>129-27</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>458-92</b>





# 2018-19 DUAL MEET TEAM POINTS SCORED BY WEIGHT/FINAL SCORES

Opponent	125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	FINAL
11/11: #24 KENT STATE	0-3	6-0	5-0	6-0	6-0	6-0	6-0	6-0	6-0	5-0	52-3
11/30: at Bucknell	3-0	4-0	4-0	5-0	6-0	0-3	4-0	6-0	4-0	6-0	42-3
12/2: #10 LEHIGH	3-0	4-0	4-0	3-0	6-0	6-0	3-0	4-0	5-0	4-0	42-0
12/14: #9 ARIZONA STATE	0-3	4-0	6-0	3-0	4-0	4-0	3-0	5-0	6-0	6-0	41-3
1/11: at #11 Northwestern*	0-5	3-0	4-0	4-0	4-0	0-3	3-0	5-0	6-0	4-0	33-8
1/13: #19 WISCONSIN*	0-4	4-0	0-3	0-3	5-0	0-3	5-0	3-0	4-0	3-0	24-13
1/20: #7 NEBRASKA*	0-3	4-0	3-0	3-0	3-0	3-0	3-0	0-3	3-0	3-0	25-6
1/25: at Purdue*	0-3	0-3	4-0	3-0	6-0	6-0	3-0	0-4	4-0	4-0	30-10
1/27: at Indiana*	3-0	0-6	4-0	3-0	6-0	6-0	4-0	0-3	6-0	3-0	35-9
2/1: #5 MICHIGAN (BJC)*	0-3	0-5	3-0	0-3	3-0	3-0	3-0	3-0	6-0	4-0	25-11
2/8: at #2 Ohio St.*	0-3	3-0	3-0	0-3	5-0	4-0	4-0	0-4	6-0	4-0	28-9+
2/15: MICHIGAN STATE*	0-4	0-3	4-0	4-0	6-0	6-0	6-0	0-3	6-0	5-0	37-10
2/17: at #19 Illinois*	0-6	3-0	5-0	4-0	6-0	4-0	6-0	0-3	5-0	6-0	39-9
2/24: BUFFALO	0-3	4-0	6-0	3-0	6-0	6-0	6-0	6-0	6-0	4-0	47-3
<b>TEAM TOTALS</b>	<b>9-40</b>	<b>39-17</b>	<b>55-3</b>	<b>41-9</b>	<b>72-0</b>	<b>54-9</b>	<b>59-0</b>	<b>38-20</b>	<b>73-0</b>	<b>61-0</b>	<b>500-97</b>

\* Big Ten Dual; + both Penn State and Ohio State were deducted team points

## INDIVIDUAL DUAL RECORD BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
3-11	10-4	13-1	11-3	14-0	11-3	14-0	8-6	14-0	14-0	112-28

## DUAL PINS BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
0-1	1-0	1-0	1-0	7-0	6-0	3-0	3-0	8-0	3-0	33-1

## DUAL TECHNICAL FALLS BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
0-1	0-1	2-0	1-0	2-0	0-0	1-0	2-0	2-0	2-0	12-2

## DUAL MAJOR DECISIONS BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
0-2	6-0	6-0	3-0	2-0	3-0	4-0	1-2	4-0	5-0	34-4

## DUAL FORFEITS/DQs/INJURY DEFAULTS BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
0-0	0-1	1-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	3-1

## DUAL DECISIONS BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
3-7	3-2	3-1	6-3	2-0	2-3	5-0	2-4	1-0	3-0	30-20

## TEAM RECORD AT DUAL'S STARTING WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
1-9	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	1-0	0-0	3-11

## SEASON LEADERS -- DUAL MEETS

### DUAL POINTS

1. Bo Nickal, 197	73
2. Jason Nolf, 157	72
3. Anthony Cassar, 285	61
4. Mark Hall, 174	60
5. Nick Lee, 141	55
6. Vincenzo Joseph, 165	54
7. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	36
8. Shakur Rasheed, 184	35
9. Brady Berge, 149	22
10. Jarod Verkleeren, 149	19
11. Devin Schnupp, 125	9
12. Scott Stossel, 133	3

### DUAL BONUS POINTS

1. Bo Nickal, 197	31
2. Jason Nolf, 157	30
3. Vincenzo Joseph, 165	21
4. Anthony Cassar, 285	18
5. Mark Hall, 174	17
6. Shakur Rasheed, 184	14
7. Nick Lee, 141	13
8. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	9
9. Brady Berge, 149	4
Jarod Verkleeren, 149	4

### DUAL TECH FALLS

1. Anthony Cassar, 285	2
Nick Lee, 141	2
Bo Nickal, 197	2
Jason Nolf, 157	2
Shakur Rasheed, 184	2
6. Brady Berge, 149	1
Mark Hall, 174	1

### DUAL MAJOR DECISIONS

1. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	6
Anthony Cassar, 197	6
Nick Lee, 141	6
4. Mark Hall, 174	3
Vincenzo Joseph, 165	3
Bo Nickal, 197	3
7. Brady Berge, 149	2
Jason Nolf, 157	2
9. Shakur Rasheed, 184	1
Jarod Verkleeren, 149	1

### DUAL PINS

1. Bo Nickal, 197	8
2. Jason Nolf, 157	7
3. Vincenzo Joseph, 165	6
4. Anthony Cassar, 197	3
Mark Hall, 174	3
Shakur Rasheed, 184	3
7. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	1
Nick Lee, 141	1
Jarod Verkleeren, 149	1

### DUAL FORFEIT/INJ. DEF/DQ WINS

1. Mark Hall, 174	1
Nick Lee, 141	1
Jason Nolf, 157	1

### DUAL TAKEDOWNS

1. Jason Nolf, 157	71
2. Anthony Cassar, 285	69
3. Bo Nickal, 197	57
4. Nick Lee, 141	56
5. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	48
6. Mark Hall, 174	43
7. Brady Berge, 149	35
8. Vincenzo Joseph, 165	33
9. Shakur Rasheed, 184	17
10. Jarod Verkleeren, 149	15
11. Devin Schnupp, 125	8
12. Bo Pipher, 165	3
13. Scott Stossel, 133	2
14. Mason Manville, 165/184	1

### DUAL REVERSALS

1. Devin Schnupp, 125	5
2. Nick Lee, 141	4
3. Vincenzo Joseph, 165	1
Jason Nolf, 157	1

### DUAL NEAR FALL 2

1. Nick Lee, 141	4
2. Jason Nolf, 157	3
3. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	2
Anthony Cassar, 285	2
Bo Nickal, 197	2
6. Mark Hall, 174	1
Shakur Rasheed, 184	1

### DUAL NEAR FALL 4

1. Mark Hall, 174	6
2. Nick Lee, 141	4
Jason Nolf, 157	4
4. Anthony Cassar, 285	3
Vincenzo Joseph, 165	3
Bo Nickal, 197	3
Shakur Rasheed, 184	3
8. Brady Berge, 149	1
Roman Bravo-Young, 133	1

### DUAL STALLS FORCED/TAKEN

125: Devin Schnupp	2	4
125: Justin Lopez	0	1
133: Roman Bravo-Young	12	2
133: Scott Stossel	1	0
141: Nick Lee	16	1
149: Brady Berge	8	4
149 Jarod Verkleeren	1	5
157: Jason Nolf	14	0
165: Vincenzo Joseph	11	0
165: Bo Pipher	2	0
165: Mason Manville	3	3
174: Mark Hall	12	0
184: Shakur Rasheed	9	0
184: Francisco Bisono	1	0
197: Bo Nickal	9	0
285: Anthony Cassar	7	0
TOTALS	108	20

### DUAL RIDING TIME POINTS FOR/AGAINST

125: Devin Schnupp	1	5
125: Justin Lopez	0	1
133: Roman Bravo-Young	7	0
133: Scott Stossel	1	2
141: Nick Lee	8	1
149: Brady Berge	3	0
149 Jarod Verkleeren	3	1
157: Jason Nolf	2	0
165: Vincenzo Joseph	4	0
165: Bo Pipher	0	2
165: Mason Manville	0	3
174: Mark Hall	8	0
184: Shakur Rasheed	3	0
184: Francisco Bisono	0	2
197: Bo Nickal	4	0
285: Anthony Cassar	8	0
TOTALS	52	17

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## 2018-19 RESULTS

### NOVEMBER

Sun.	11	#24 KENT STATE	W, 52-3
Sun.	18	at Keystone Classic	1st -- 192.0
<i>(Bravo-Young, 1st/133; Lee, 1st/141; Nolf, 1st/157; Joseph, 1st/165; Hall, 1st/174; Rasheed, 1st/184; Nickal, 1st/197; Cassar, 1st/285)</i>			
Fri.	30	at Bucknell	W, 42-3

### DECEMBER

Sun.	2	#10 LEHIGH (BTN)	W, 42-0
Fri.	14	#9 ARIZONA STATE (ESPN2)	W, 41-3

### JANUARY

Tu.-Wed.	1-2	Southern Scuffle	1st -- 216.5
<i>(Lee 1st, 141; Nolf 1st, 157; Joseph 1st, 165; Hall 1st, 174; Rasheed 1st, 184; Nickal 1st, 197; Pipher 2nd, 157; Cassar 2nd, 285; Bravo-Young 3rd, 133; Berge 3rd, 149; Nevills 3rd, 285, Manville 7th, 165)</i>			

Fri.	11	at #11 Northwestern*	W, 33-8
Sun.	13	#19 WISCONSIN*	W, 24-13
Sun.	20	#7 NEBRASKA*	W, 25-6
Fri.	25	at Purdue*	W, 30-10
Sun.	27	at Indiana*	W, 35-9

### FEBRUARY

Fri.	1	#5 MICHIGAN* (BJC / BTN)	W, 25-11
Fri.	8	at #2 Ohio State* (BTN)	W, 28-9
Fri.	15	MICHIGAN STATE*	W, 37-10
Sun.	17	at #19 Illinois*	W, 39-9
Sun.	24	BUFFALO	W, 47-3

### MARCH

Sat.-Sun.	9-10	Big Ten Championships	1st -- 157.5
<i>(Nolf 1st, 157; Hall 1st, 174; Nickal 1st, 197; Cassar 1st, 285; Joseph 2nd, 165; Rasheed 2nd, 184; Lee 3rd, 141; Bravo-Young 5th, 133; Berge 6th, 149)</i>			
Thur.-Sat.	21-23	NCAA Championships	1st -- 137.5
<i>Nolf 1st, 157; Nickal 1st, 197; Cassar 1st, 285; Joseph 2nd, 165; Hall 2nd, 174; Lee 5th 141; Bravo-Young 8th, 133; Berge 2-2, 149; Rasheed 2-2, 184.</i>			

\* Big Ten Dual

## 2018-19 BIG TEN STANDINGS

(FINAL as of 2/25/18)

Pl. Team	Big Ten W-L-T	PCT	Overall W-L-T	PCT
<b>1. PENN STATE#</b>	<b>9-0-0</b>	<b>1.000</b>	<b>14-0-0</b>	<b>1.000</b>
Iowa#	9-0-0	1.000	14-1-0	.933
3. Michigan	8-1-0	.889	13-1-0	.929
4. Minnesota	7-2-0	.778	14-3-0	.824
Ohio State	7-2-0	.778	12-2-0	.857
6. Nebraska	5-4-0	.556	12-5-0	.706
7. Rutgers	5-4-0	.556	12-6-0	.667
8. Michigan State	3-6-0	.333	10-8-0	.556
Purdue	3-6-0	.333	7-10-0	.412
Wisconsin	3-6-0	.333	9-6-0	.600
11. Northwestern	2-7-0	.222	5-10-0	.333
12. Illinois	1-8-0	.111	2-9-0	.182
Indiana	1-8-0	.111	6-12-0	.333
14. Maryland	0-9-0	.000	2-12-0	.143
# Co-BIG Regular Season Champs				

## BIG TEN WRESTLERS OF THE WEEK

11/6	Joey McKenna, Ohio State
11/13	Mikey Labriola, Nebraska
11/20	Gable Steveson, Minnesota
11/27	Kaleb Young, Iowa
12/4	Isaiah White, Nebraska
	Myles Martin, Ohio State
12/11	Drew Hughes, Michigan State
12/18	MARK HALL, PENN STATE
1/2	Sebastian Rivera, Northwestern
1/9	BO NICKAL, PENN STATE
1/16	JASON NOLF, PENN STATE
1/23	Jake Danishek, Indiana
	Austin DeSanto, Iowa
1/29	Taylor Venz, Nebraska
2/5	Anthony Ashnault, Rutgers
2/12	BO NICKAL, PENN STATE
2/19	Alex Marinelli, Iowa
	Kollin Moore, Ohio State
2/26	Pat Lugo, Iowa

## 2018-19 ATTENDANCE

11/11	KENT STATE	6,496
12/2	LEHIGH	6,529
12/14	ARIZONA STATE	6,676
1/13	WISCONSIN	6,589
1/20	NEBRASKA	6,468
2/1	MICHIGAN (BJC)	15,703
2/15	MICHIGAN STATE	6,643
2/24	BUFFALO	6,614
	TOTAL	61,718
AVG.		7,715

*(Penn State has wrestled in front of 53-of-55 sell-outs at home, including 48-straight in Rec Hall and five of seven in the Bryce Jordan Center)*

## AVERAGE ATTENDANCE SINCE 2009-10 UNDER CAEL

YEAR	AVG	Best
2009-10	4,343	4,833 vs. Illinois, 1/22/10
2010-11	5,455	6,886 vs. Iowa, 1/30/11
2011-12	6,481	6,796 vs. Iowa, 1/22/12
2012-13	6,411	6,618 vs. Nebraska, 1/27/13
2013-14	7,646	15,996 vs. Pitt, 12/8/13
2014-15	7,747	15,967 vs. Iowa, 2/8/15
2015-16	8,756*	15,983 vs. Ohio St., 2/15/16
2016-17	7,833	15,424 vs. Lehigh, 12/4/16
2017-18	7,693	+15,998 vs. Iowa, 2/10/18
2018-19	7,715	15,703 vs. Michigan, 2/1/19

\* all-time Penn State record  
+ all-time Penn State record, all-time NCAA indoor dual meet record

## HONORS WON

### ROMAN BRAVO-YOUNG, 133

2019 All-American (8th)

### NICK LEE, 141

2019 All-American (5th)

### JASON NOLF, 157

Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (1/15)  
USA Wrestling National Wrestler of the Week (1/15)  
2019 Co-Big Ten Wrestler of the Year  
2019 Co-Big Ten Tournament Outstanding Wrestler  
2019 Big Ten Champion  
2019 All-Big Ten (First Team)  
2019 All-American (1st)  
2019 NCAA National Champion  
2019 Penn State McCoy Award

### VINCENZO JOSEPH, 165

Keystone Classic, Outstanding Wrestler (11/18)  
2019 All-American (2nd)  
2019 NCAA National Runner-Up

### MARK HALL, 174

Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (12/18)  
USA Wrestling National Wrestler of the Week (12/18)  
2019 Big Ten Champion  
2019 All-Big Ten (First Team)  
2019 All-American (2nd)  
2019 NCAA National Runner-Up

### BO NICKAL, 197

Southern Scuffle, Outstanding Wrestler (1/2)  
Southern Scuffle, Gorriaran Award (1/2)  
Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (1/8)  
Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (2/12)  
2019 Co-Big Ten Wrestler of the Year  
2019 Big Ten Champion  
2019 All-Big Ten (First Team)  
2019 All-American (1st)  
2019 National Champion  
2019 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler  
2019 Hodge Trophy Award

### ANTHONY CASSAR, 285

2019 Big Ten Champion  
2019 All-Big Ten (First Team)  
2019 All-American (1st)  
2019 National Champion

### CAEL SANDERSON

2019 Big Ten Coach of the Year

### CASEY CUNNINGHAM

USA Wrestling Freestyle Coach of the Year

## 2018-19 RIDGE RILEY AWARD WINNERS (home)

11/11	KENT STATE	Jarod Verkleeren, 149
12/2	LEHIGH	Anthony Cassar, 285
12/14	ARIZONA STATE	Mark Hall, 174
1/13	WISCONSIN	Anthony Cassar, 285
1/20	NEBRASKA	Jason Nolf, 157
2/1	MICHIGAN (BJC)	Mark Hall, 174
2/15	MICHIGAN STATE	Anthony Cassar, 285
2/24	BUFFALO	Bo Nickal, 197 and Jason Nolf, 157

## 2018-19 ERNIE LUCAS

### AWARD WINNERS (away)

11/30	at Bucknell	Brady Berge, 149
11/11	at Northwestern	Jason Nolf, 157
11/25	at Purdue	Bo Nickal, 197
11/27	at Indiana	Devin Schnupp, 125
2/8	at Ohio St.	Bo Nickal, 197
2/17	at Illinois	Scott Stossel, 133



# NOTES

## MILESTONES

A number of team and individual records and milestones are in play as of now:

- \* Career Wins: 100 win threshold
  - **Nickal is 13th all-time with 120, Nolf is 16th at 117**
- \* Career Falls: Record WAS 53
  - **Nolf new holder w/ 60, Nickal 59 is 2nd, Hall 31 is 12th, Rasheed 28 is 19th.**
- \* Career Dual Meet Wins
  - **Nickal 57 is 7th all-time, Nolf 54 is 13th**
- \* Falls in a season
  - **Nickal 18 is 4th, Nolf 15 is 13th**
- \* Big Ten Dual Wins
  - **Cael Sanderson holds record with 74**

## BO NICKAL WINS THE HODGE TROPHY AWARD

Penn State Nittany Lion wrestler Bo Nickal won the WIN Magazine/Culture House Dan Hodge Trophy, presented annually to the top collegiate wrestler in the nation by ASICS. The Hodge Trophy has been awarded since 1995. The three-time NCAA champion finished first in the voting, just ahead of teammate Jason Nolf. A Nittany Lion has now won the last three Hodge Trophy awards. Nickal joins former Nittany Lion greats Zain Retherford and David Taylor, who each claimed two Hodge Trophy honors, and former Lion stand-out Kerry McCoy, who won the honor in 1997, as Penn State recipients. In all, Penn State now has four different individuals who have won the honor six times. The Nittany Lion won his third NCAA championship on March 23, defeating Kollin Moore of Ohio State. The 5-1 finals victory at 197 pounds was Nickal's 30th of an undefeated senior campaign that included 18 pins, three tech falls and six major decisions.

## JASON NOLF WINS PENN STATE'S McCOY AWARD

Nittany Lion Jason Nolf was honored as Penn State's McCoy Award winner in April. Nolf wrapped up one of the most successful collegiate wrestling careers in NCAA history in March by winning his third consecutive NCAA Championship at 157 pounds. He ended a stellar 2018-19 season with a perfect 31-0 record, including 15 pins, five technical falls and six majors. His sixth and final major of the year was a resounding 10-2 victory in the NCAA title bout over the nation's second ranked wrestler. Nolf helped lead Penn State to its fourth straight NCAA team title and eighth in nine years. Nolf won the 2019 Big Ten Championship and was named the 2019 Big Ten Championship Co-Outstanding Wrestler. He was a first team All-Big Ten selection as well and was the 2019 Big Ten Co-Wrestler of the Year (with teammate Bo Nickal).

## NITTANY LIONS WIN EIGHTH NCAA TITLE IN 9 YEARS; FOURTH STRAIGHT FOR SECOND TIME IN THAT STRETCH

The Penn State Nittany Lions, under the guidance of head coach Cael Sanderson, entered the final session of the 2019 NCAA Championships having already clinched their eighth team title in the last nine years. Sanderson's squad left the National Finals and PPG Paints Arena with three individual National Champions. Penn State won the 2019 crown by over 40 points. Penn State had five NCAA finalists for the fourth straight year and won three titles, beginning at 285 with senior Anthony Cassar winning his first. Jason Nolf and Bo Nickal each won their third straight crowns. The Nittany Lions won the team race with 137.5 points,

finishing over 40.0 points ahead of second place Ohio State, which had 96.5. Oklahoma State finished third with 84.0. Penn State was the only team to score over 100.0 points. Penn State's seven All-Americans topped the field this year as well. The Lions have had five or more All-Americans in all but Sanderson's first season as head coach. Penn State now has 221 All-Americans, including 35 under Sanderson. Penn State has clinched its eighth NCAA title in the last nine years and its fourth straight, which is Penn State's second four-year title streak within this, Sanderson's 10th year as Penn State's mentor. Penn State has now won nine NCAA titles, also owning a crown from 1953, which is third most in NCAA history. The Nittany Lions concluded the 2019 dual season with a 14-0 record and won a share of the Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) title with a 9-0 conference mark. Penn State has now won 59 straight dual meets dating back to the end of the 2014-15 season. The Nittany Lions won the 2019 Big Ten Championship on March 9-10 in Minneapolis, crowning four champions to run away from the rest of the field, winning by 30.0 points.

## BO NICKAL EARNS THIRD STRAIGHT NCAA TITLE; NAMED NCAA MOST-DOMINANT WRESTLER

Senior Bo Nickal rolled to a 5-0 record at the 2019 NCAA Championships to win his third-straight NCAA individual title. Nickal posted three pins and a major to advance to the NCAA finals where he handled #2 Kollin Moore of Ohio State 5-1 to win the 197-pound crown. Nickal ended his season with a perfect 30-0 mark including 18 pins, three techs and six majors. Nickal leaves Penn State with a 120-3 career mark with 59 falls, 12 techs and 23 majors. He was a three-time NCAA champion, four-time All-American and four-time NCAA finalist. He won the 2019 Hodge Trophy, 2019 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler and was 2019 Co-Big Ten Wrestler of the year, sharing the honor with teammate Jason Nolf.

## JASON NOLF EARNS THIRD-STRAIGHT NCAA TITLE

Senior Jason Nolf blazed his way to a 5-0 mark at the 2019 NCAA Championships to win his third straight NCAA title. Nolf posted a pin and two techs to advance to the NCAA finals where he majored #2 Tyler Berger of Nebraska 10-2 to win the 157-pound crown. Nolf ended his season with a perfect 31-0 mark including 15 pins, five techs and six majors. Nolf leaves Penn State with a 117-3 career record with a school-record 60 pins, 27 techs and 16 majors. He was a three-time NCAA champion, four-time All-American and four-time NCAA finalist. He won the 2019 Penn State McCoy Award, 2019 Big Ten Championship Outstanding Wrestler and was 2019 Co-Big Ten Wrestler of the year, sharing the honor with teammate Bo Nickal.

## ANTHONY CASSAR ROARS TO NCAA TITLE AT 285

Senior Anthony Cassar roared through the NCAA field at 285 to win his first NCAA individual title at the 2019 NCAA Championship. Cassar opened the tournament with a pin and a major before downing #7 Trent Hilger of Wisconsin 4-0 in the quarterfinals. He then downed #3 Gable Steveson of Minnesota 4-3 in the semifinals, beating the Gopher for the second time in two weeks (having won the Big Ten title with a victory over Steveson in Minneapolis at the Big Ten tournament). Cassar then dominated the tournament top seed, #1 Derek White of Oklahoma State, in the NCAA finals. Cassar rolled to a 10-1 major to win his first title and wrap up a 5-0 tourney run in his first trip to NCAAs. Cassar went 30-1 on the year.

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## JOSEPH AND HALL BECOME 3X ALL-AMERICANS AND 3X NCAA FINALISTS

Juniors Vincenzo Joseph and Mark Hall each became three-time All-Americans and three-time NCAA finalists in helping to lead Penn State to its fourth straight NCAA team title. Joseph won his first four bouts to advance to the finals at 165 before suffering a 7-1 upset loss to #8 Mekhi Lewis of Virginia Tech in the finals. Joseph, who won the 165-pound title the two prior years, ended the season with a 27-2 mark. Hall won his first four bouts to advance to the finals once again at 174. Hall gave up a late takedown and dropped a hard-fought 4-3 decision to Arizona State's Zahid Valencia in the finals. Hall, the 174-pound champion as a freshman in 2017, ended his season with a 30-1 record.

## LEE EARNS SECOND ALL-AMERICA TAG; BRAVO-YOUNG BECOMES TRUE FRESHMAN ALL-AMERICAN

Sophomore Nick Lee became a two-time All-American with a second straight fifth-place finish at 141. Lee went 4-2 overall at the 2019 NCAA Championships, including three pins. He ended his 2018-19 season with a 31-4 record including six pins, five techs and 13 majors. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young became a true-freshman All-American at 133 for Penn State, posting a 4-3 win over #4 Micky Phillippi of Pitt in the 'blood round' to earn the honors on Friday night. Bravo-Young went 4-3 overall and placed eighth to earn his first All-America trophy and ended his season with a 25-7 overall record, including nine majors.

## BERGE AND RASHEED EACH PICK UP BIG WINS AT NAAs TO HELP PENN STATE SECURE NATIONAL TITLE

Red-shirt freshman Brady Berge went 2-2 at 149 to secure key points in Penn State's 2019 NCAA team title run. Berge's two wins allowed him to finish the campaign with a 20-5 record with three techs and six majors. Senior Shakur Rasheed, a 2018 All-American at 197, went 2-2 at 184 for Penn State, overcoming late-season injuries to grab important points in Penn State's title run. Rasheed's two wins were majors and he ended his season with a 20-2 mark with six pins, three techs and five majors.

## CAEL SANDERSON NAMED 2019 BIG COACH OF THE YEAR

Nittany Lion mentor Cael Sanderson was named the 2019 Big Ten Coach of the Year in voting done by the conference's head coaches at the conclusion of Penn State's tournament title run in Minnesota on March 9-10. Sanderson was honored for the fifth time in his ten year run at Penn State.

## BO NICKAL AND JASON NOLF NAMED CO-BIG TEN WRESTLERS OF THE YEAR

Senior teammates Bo Nickal and Jason Nolf were named Co-Big Ten Wrestlers of the Year in voting done by the conference's head coaches at the conclusion of Penn State's tournament championship performance in Minnesota on March 9-10. They become the eighth and ninth Nittany Lions to win the honor in head coach Cael Sanderson's tenure at Penn State and the 10th and 11th all-time at Penn State. For Nolf it is the second time he's won the award (he won in 2017) and for Nickal it is his first.

## JASON NOLF NAMED CO-BIG TEN TOURNAMENT O.W.

Senior Jason Nolf was named the 2019 Co-Big Ten Tournament Outstanding Wrestler, sharing the honor with Iowa's Alex Marinelli. Nolf becomes the fifth Nittany Lion to earn tournament O.W. honors in Sanderson's coaching run at Penn State and the eighth overall in school history. It is his first such honor.

## NIITTANY LIONS WIN BIG TEN TITLE; SIXTH IN LAST 10 YEARS

No. 1 Penn State (14-0, 9-0 B1G) rolled through the competition to claim the 2019 Big Ten Championship. Head coach Cael Sanderson's squad crowned four individual champions to out-distance second place Ohio State by over 30 points. Sanderson's squad had nine wrestlers place in the top six, qualifying all nine competitors for the 2019 NCAA Championships in Pittsburgh on March 21-23. Penn State won the team title with 157.5 points, far out in front of second place Ohio State, who had 122.5. Iowa was third with 107.5 and host Minnesota was fourth with 101.5.

## BO NICKAL BECOMES 3X BIG TEN CHAMPION

Senior Bo Nickal went 3-0 at the 2019 Big Ten Championships to win his third Big Ten title, all at different weights. Nickal won the 174 pound title in 2016, the 184 pound title in 2018 and the 197 pound title this year. He teched Brad Wilton of Michigan State and majored #13 Eric Shultz of Nebraska to meet #2 Kollin Moore of Ohio State in the finals. Nickal dominated Moore, posting a 10-3 win with nearly 3:00 in riding time to win the crown.

## JASON NOLF BECOMES 2X BIG TEN CHAMPION

Senior Jason Nolf went 3-0 at the 2019 Big Ten Championships to win his second Big Ten title. After winning the 157 pound title in 2017 and going 2-0 in 2018 before medically forfeiting to get ready for another NCAA title run, Nolf claimed his second crown by pinning #12 Eric Barone of Illinois, beating #7 Alex Pantaleo of Michigan 7-1 and majoring #2 Tyler Berger of Nebraska 12-4 in the finals.

## MARK HALL BECOMES 2X BIG TEN CHAMPION

Junior Mark Hall went 3-0 at the 2019 Big Ten Championships to win his second straight Big Ten title at 174. Hall won in 2018 and followed it up this season to win again. He pinned Michigan State's Drew Hughes and downed #12 Devin Skatzka of Minnesota 4-2 before taking care of #4 Myles Amine of Michigan 3-2 in the finals.

## ANTHONY CASSAR WINS FIRST BIG TEN TITLE AT 285

Senior Anthony Cassar capped off the 2019 Big Ten Championships by winning the 285 pound title in the tournament's final bout. Cassar went 4-0 at the tournament. He majored Purdue's Jacob Aven 12-4, beat #13 David Jensen 8-4 and majored #14 Conan Jennings 10-2 to advanced to the finals where he met #1 Gable Steveson of Minnesota. Tied 1-1 heading into the third, Cassar fell behind 3-1 on a Steveson takedown at the 1:25 mark. Cassar quickly escaped to cut the lead to 3-2. He then notched a title-clinching takedown with :20 on the clock to grab the win and become a Big Ten Champion in his first trip to the tournament. The loss was Steveson's first of the year, and the takedown for Cassar was the first given up by the Gopher all season long.

## NOTES

### JOSEPH AND RASHEED B1G FINALISTS

Junior Vincenzo Joseph and senior Shakur Rasheed each advanced to the Big Ten Championship bouts at 165 and 184 respectively. Joseph won his first two bouts, a 21-6 tech fall over Joey Gunther of Illinois and a fall over #7 Logan Massa of Michigan, before dropping a tough 9-3 decision to #2 Alex Marinelli of Iowa in the finals. Rasheed went 2-0 at the tournament, pinning #20 Cameron Caffey and beating #6 Taylor Venz of Nebraska. He was unable to compete in the finals with a medical forfeit, placing second and going 2-0.

### LEE THIRD, BRAVO-YOUNG FIFTH, BERGE SIXTH; EARN NCAA BIDS AS THEY HELP LIONS TO B1G CROWN

Sophomore Nick Lee went 3-1 with two majors at the 2019 Big Ten Championships, placing third at the event. Lee's only loss was a close 5-4 decision to eventual champion #3 Joey McKenna of Ohio State in the semifinals. Lee beat #16 Max Murin of Iowa 8-3, majored #8 Tristan Moran of Wisconsin and majored #9 Mitch McKee of Minnesota in the third place bout. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young placed fifth at 133 to earn a trip to the NCAA Championships as a true freshman. Bravo-Young went 4-2 in his first trip to Big Tens. He majored Nebraska's Jevon Parrish, majored Jens Lantz of Wisconsin and picked up a medical forfeit victory in the fifth place bout. His lone losses were close ones to #7 Luke Pletcher of Ohio State (8-5) and #3 Austin DeSanto of Iowa (12-8) in conso action. Redshirt freshman Brady Berge qualified for the NCAA tournament with a 2-1 run at 149 in his first Big Ten tournament. Berge majored Purdue's Parker Filius 12-3 then posted a thrilling 4-2 (sv2) win over #9 Pat Lugo of Iowa in the quarterfinals. He dropped a 13-4 major to #2 Micah Jordan of Ohio State. He was unable to compete after that match and medically forfeited, placing sixth to earn the automatic bid to NCAAs.

### LIONS HAMMER BUFFALO IN SEASON DUAL FINALE

Penn State hammered visiting Buffalo in the dual meet finale for the Nittany Lions, capping off the team's fourth straight undefeated season. Penn State won nine of 10 bouts, including five straight pins, to roll to a 47-3 win and end the season 14-0 overall. Penn State won a share of its fourth straight Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) title a week prior when it finished its conference schedule with a 9-0 mark. This marks the fourth straight year that Penn State has gone undefeated, including going 9-0 in the Big Ten. The sellout crowd of 6,614 was the 48th straight Rec Hall sellout and the 53rd in the last 55 home events at Penn State, including five of seven in the Bryce Jordan Center. The Nittany Lions have won 59-straight dual meets dating back to the end of the 2014-15 season. Sanderson's Lions won their last dual of that campaign, went 16-0 in 2015-16, went 14-0 in 2016-17 and went 14-0 in 2017-18.

### LIONS CLAIM SHARE OF 2019 B1G DUAL MEET TITLE

Penn State closed out its Big Ten dual meet schedule with a home win over Michigan State (37-10) on Feb. 15 and a road win at No. 19 Illinois (39-9) on Feb. 17 to finish the conference slate 9-0. Penn State and Iowa both ended the season with 9-0 records and are Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) co-champions. For Penn State, it is the fourth straight season the team has won or shared the regular season crown and the fourth straight season that the Lions posted a 9-0 mark in conference duals. Penn State has won or shared six regular season titles since head coach Cael Sanderson took over the program.

### STOSSEL PICKS UP FIRST DUAL WIN AT ILLINOIS

Senior Scott Stossel stepped in at 133 for Penn State in its 39-9 road win at Illinois on Feb. 17, filling in for Roman Bravo-Young who returned to Arizona for a funeral. Stossel posted a 6-4 win over Illinois' Joshua Contreras to help spark the Lions to the victory, earning his first-ever dual meet victory as a Nittany Lion.

### LIONS HAMMER NO. 19 ILLINOIS FOR B1G ROAD WIN

Penn State closed out the Big Ten dual slate with a dominating 39-9 victory at Illinois on Feb. 17. The Lions won eight of ten bouts, including pins from Mark Hall and Anthony Cassar. Nick Lee and Bo Nickal won by tech falls, Brady Berge and Vincenzo Joseph had majors and Jason Nolf won by injury default. Scott Stossel also picked up a decision at 133, his first ever dual win.

### PENN STATE DOWNS MICHIGAN STATE 37-10 IN REC HALL

Penn State won seven of ten bouts in front of another sold out Rec Hall crowd to take care of visiting Michigan State 37-10 on Feb. 15. The Nittany Lions got pins from Jason Nolf, Vincenzo Joseph and Bo Nickal in the victory.

### LIONS STORM COLUMBUS, DOWN #2 OHIO STATE 28-9

Penn State stormed into Columbus, Ohio, on Feb. 8 and dominated #2 Ohio State in front of over 13,000 fans in sold out St. John Arena. Penn State won seven of ten bouts to post the 28-9 win. All seven match-ups featuring ranked foes were won by the Nittany Lions in the dual as Penn State handed Ohio State its worst dual meet loss since the last time the Lions wrestled at Ohio State, a 32-12 win on Feb. 13, 2017.

### NICKAL PINS #2 MOORE IN WIN AT OHIO STATE NAMED B1G WRESTLER OF THE WEEK

Senior Bo Nickal continued his national dominance by handing No. 2 Kollin Moore of Ohio State his first loss of the season on Moore's home mat. Nickal locked up a textbook cradle midway through the opening period of their marquee match-up in Columbus on Friday night and pinned the second-ranked Buckeye at the 1:38 mark. The pin was one of many highlights in Penn State's 28-9 win over No. 2 Ohio State in the nationally televised dual in sold out St. John Arena. Nickal's pin was his 13th of the year and the 54th of his career. He was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (his second time this year) for his efforts.

### BRAVO-YOUNG OVER #6 PLETCHER; LEE OVER #2 MCKENNA SPARK LIONS IN WIN AT OHIO STATE

True freshman Roman Bravo Young returned to action after being sidelined briefly to down #6 Luke Pletcher of Ohio State 2-1 (tb) in the first match of Penn State's B1G road dual at Ohio State on Feb. 8. Sophomore Nick Lee followed that win up by handing #2 Joey McKenna his first loss of the season at 141, notching a 7-6 victory. The two wins helped spark Penn State to a 28-9 win at OSU in sold out St. John Arena.

## **NOLF, JOSEPH, HALL, CASSAR NOTCH RANKED WINS IN VICTORY AT OHIO STATE**

Penn State won all seven match-ups featuring ranked foes in its 28-9 win at Ohio State on Feb. 8. Joining the aforementioned Bo Nickal, Roman Bravo-Young and Nick Lee with big ranked wins were four other Nittany Lions, all of whom won by bonus. Senior Jason Nolf posted a 21-6 tech fall over #6 Ke-Shawn Hayes at 157, junior Vincenzo Joseph majored #12 Te'Shawn Campbell 11-2 at 165, junior Mark Hall majored #18 Ethan Smith 12-4 at 174 and Anthony Cassar majored #19 Chase Singletary 18-8 at 285.

## **LIONS ROLL OVER #5 MICHIGAN IN SOLD OUT BJC DUAL**

Top-ranked Penn State rolled over No. 5 Michigan in front of nearly 16,000 fans in the sold out Bryce Jordan Center in a marquee Big Ten wrestling dual. The Nittany Lions won seven of ten bouts to roll to the 25-11 victory over the visiting Wolverines and remain unbeaten on the year. The loss was Michigan's first of the season. Penn State posted a convincing 21-13 advantage in takedowns in the dual. The Nittany Lions picked up four bonus points off one pin (Bo Nickal at 197) and one major (Anthony Cassar at 285). The sellout crowd of 15,703 is the sixth highest indoor attendance figure in NCAA wrestling and the fifth highest at Penn State. The Nittany Lions own the top four indoor figures in NCAA history, including the all-time record of 15,998 set last year against Iowa on Jan. 10, 2018. Penn State has wrestled in front of 51 sell-outs in its last 53 home outings, including 46 straight in Rec Hall and five of seven in the BJC.

## **LEE, NOLF, JOSEPH, HALL AND CASSAR TAKE DOWN TOP TEN OPPONENTS IN BJC DUAL WIN OVER MICHIGAN**

Penn State won all five match-ups featuring ranked opponents in the team's 25-11 victory over Michigan on Feb. 1. No. 7 Nick Lee dominated No. 5 Kanen Storr 10-4 at 141, No. 1 Jason Nolf controlled No. 5 Alec Pantaleo 9-2 at 157, No. 1 Vincenzo Joseph used a last second takedown to down No. 7 Logan Massa 4-2 in sudden victory at 165, No. 1 Mark Hall edged No. 3 Myles Amine 3-2 at 174 and No. 4 Anthony Cassar majored No. 8 Mason Parris 19-8 at 285.

## **FOUR LIONS PLACE AT MESSIAH OPEN**

Penn State had four wrestlers competing at the Messiah Open on Feb. 2, attached and unattached, and all four placed. Junior Patrick Higgins went 3-1 with two pins to place third at 133; true freshman Brandon Meredith went 3-1 with two majors for third at 125; true freshman Paul Feite went 3-3 with two majors for sixth at 157; and true freshman Konner Kraezig went 5-1 with a major, two techs and two pins for third at 165.

## **SCHNUPP GETS FIRST B1G DUAL WIN IN PENN STATE'S ROAD VICTORY AT INDIANA**

Penn State finished off a Big Ten road weekend with another win, winning eight of 10 bouts (and eight of nine contested) in a 35-9 victory over the Indiana Hoosiers on Jan. 27. The Lions had won at Purdue two nights earlier. Sophomore Devin Schnupp downed Liam Cronin 5-2 at 125 to pick up his first Big Ten dual meet victory. Bo Nickal, Jason Nolf and Vincenzo Joseph each had pins in the win as well.

## **LIONS ROLL OVER PURDUE IN WEST LAFAYETTE**

Penn State rolled into West Lafayette on Jan. 25 and dominated the Boilermakers in a 30-10 victory. Wrestling shorthanded without two ranked wrestlers, Penn State won seven of ten bouts. Bo Nickal majored #12 Christian Brunner 17-6 and Mark Hall controlled #14 Dylan Lydy 6-2 to highlight the win. Jason Nolf and Vincenzo Joseph each picked up pins as well.

## **NOLF DOWNS #2 BERGER, JOSEPH DOWNS #6 WHITE AS LIONS ROLL OVER #7 NEBRASKA**

Senior Jason Nolf and junior Vincenzo Joseph both posted big wins in anticipated match-ups as Penn State rolled over #7 Nebraska 25-6 on Jan. 20 in sold out Rec Hall. Nolf dominated #2 Tyler Berger 10-4 at 157, notching the bout's only four takedowns. Joseph shutout #2 Isaiah White 2-0 at 165 in his first match in two weeks. In all, Penn State won all six bouts featuring ranked opponents. Mark Hall downed #9 Mikey Labriola 5-3 at 174, Bo Nickal beat #11 Eric Schultz 8-6 at 197, Anthony Cassar beat #14 David Jensen 10-4 at 285 and Nick Lee downed #19 Chad Red 5-4 at 141.

## **CASSAR DOWNS #9 HILLGER AS LIONS TOP WISCONSIN**

Heavyweight Anthony Cassar dominated #9 Trent Hillger 11-5 to lead the Penn State Nittany Lions to a 24-13 win over #19 Wisconsin in sold out Rec Hall on Jan. 13. Cassar's win was the highlight in a hard fought dual that included tech falls from Jason Nolf and Mark Hall.

## **PENN STATE ROLLS UP 51 TDS IN WIN AT #11 NORTHWESTERN**

The Penn State Nittany Lions put on an offensive show in their first Big Ten road dual of the season, collecting 51 takedowns in a 33-8 win at #11 Northwestern on Jan. 11. The Nittany Lions only gave up 7 takedowns in the big victory. Jason Nolf won his 100th career match with a dominating 19-7 major over #3 Ryan Deakin at 157. Nolf had eight takedowns, two stall points and a penalty point in the win, Deakin's only points were escapes. Anthony Cassar majored #19 Conan Jennings 12-3 at 285 as well.

## **NOLF DOMINATES #3 DEAKIN FOR 100TH CAREER VICTORY; EARNS B1G WoW HONORS**

Senior Jason Nolf won his 100th career bout in dominating fashion on Jan. 11, rolling to a 19-7 major decision over #3 Ryan Deakin in the Lions' dual at Northwestern. Nolf reeled off eight takedowns and forced Deakin into three stall warnings and a locked hands in the lopsided win. Deakin's only points came from escapes. Nolf, who won by tech fall two days later in a win over Wisconsin, was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week for his efforts.

## **VERKLEEREN WINS HITCHCOCK MEMORIAL**

Five members of the Penn State wrestling team competed at the Floyd 'Shorty' Hitchcock Memorial Classic at Millersville University on Saturday. Wrestlers competed both attached and unattached at the event. Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren rolled through the field at 149, winning the title with a 4-0 mark. Verkleeren had two pins and a technical fall. Redshirt freshman Austin Hoopes went 2-2 at 184. Sophomore Justin Lopez competed 125 and picked up a victory as did true freshman Paul Feite at 157, whose win was a tech fall. Junior Aarif Asif competed at 165 as well for Penn State.

## LIONS ROLL TO EIGHTH SOUTHERN SCUFFLE TITLE; SIX CHAMPS, NICKAL CLAIMS O.W.

The Penn State Nittany Lions won their eighth Southern Scuffle title in their last eight visits on Jan. 1-2 in Chattanooga. Penn State crowned eight champs, had two runners-up and three third place finishes in a strong team showing. Twelve of Penn State's 18 competitors placed at the event. Nick Lee went 6-0 to win the 141-pound title, Jason Nolf went 5-0 with three pins to win at 157, Vincenzo Joseph went 5-0 with two pins to win at 165, Mark Hall went 5-0 with two tech falls to win at 174, Shakur Rasheed went 4-0 with a pin to win the crown at 184 and Bo Nickal went 5-0 with five pins to win at 197. Nickal was honored as the Outstanding Wrestler (his second such honor having won in 2016) and he won the Gorriaran Award with five pins in a total of 10:32 (Nickal wrestled only 10:32 of a potential 35:00 of total time). Marquee wins for Penn State's six champs included Vincenzo Joseph's 6-5 win over #3 Chance Marsteller of Lock Haven in the finals and Mark Hall's 5-1 win over Oklahoma State's Joe Smith in the finals.

## LIONS PLACE 12 AT SOUTHERN SCUFFLE

In addition to Penn State's six champions at the 2019 Southern Scuffle on Jan. 1-2 in Chattanooga, Penn State had six other place winners at the event. Sophomore Bo Pipher lost in the finals to teammate Jason Nolf to finish second at 157 and Anthony Cassar dropped a 3-2 decision to #3 Derek White of Oklahoma State in the finals to place second at 285. Both Pipher and Cassar went 4-1 overall. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young went 5-1 to place third at 133 while redshirt freshman Brady Berge went 6-1 to finish third at 149. Senior Nick Nevills went 5-1 to finish third at 285. Redshirt freshman Mason Manville went 4-2 in placed seventh at 165.

## NICKAL ECLIPSES 100-WIN MILESTONE AT SCUFFLE; 5-0 ALL PINS, NAMED B1G WoW

Senior Bo Nickal became the 34th member of the 100-wins at Penn State club, eclipsing the mark during his 5-0 run to the Southern Scuffle title on Jan. 1-2 in Chattanooga. Nickal went 5-0 with five pins, with the fifth pin his 50th career fall. Nickal was named tournament OW and won the Gorriaran Award having five pins in just 10:32. He was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week for the week ending Jan. 6, 2019, for his efforts.

## NOLF BECOMES PENN STATE'S ALL-TIME FALLS LEADER

Senior Jason Nolf went 5-0 with three pins to win the Southern Scuffle title on Jan. 1-2. His third pin, on Jan. 2, was historic as it was his 54th career fall and moved him into first place alone on Penn State's all-time pins list. Nolf broke the record of 53 held by Lion greats Josh Moore, David Taylor and Zain Retherford.

## PENN STATE COMPETES AT WILKES AND F&M OVER BREAK

A handful of Nittany Lions competed at the Wilkes Open in late December and the Franklin and Marshall Open in early January, wrestling both attached and unattached. Top performers included Brian Friery, placing fourth at Wilkes at 157 with a 3-2 mark and Scott Stossel going 3-2 at Franklin and Marshall to finish T-7th at 133.

## HALL AND JOSEPH'S TOP-5 WINS LEAD LIONS TO VICTORY OVER #9 ARIZONA STATE

Juniors Mark Hall and Vincenzo Joseph notched impressive top-five victories to spark Penn State to a dominating 41-3 win over #9 Arizona State in sold out Rec Hall on Dec. 14. Hall took down previously unbeaten and top-ranked Zahid Valencia at 174, posting a 4-0 shutout with 4:24 in riding time. Joseph majored No. 5 Josh Shields at 165, rolling to a convincing 11-2 major. Their two wins were two of Penn State's nine in the dual victory.

## BRAVO-YOUNG, BERGE, NOLF GET RANKED WINS IN VICTORY OVER ARIZONA STATE

With Hall and Joseph notching top-five wins, three other Nittany Lions posted victories over ranked wrestlers in Penn State's dual meet win over the Sun Devils. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young dominated seventh-ranked 125-pounder Ryan Millhof, who moved up to 133 in the dual. Bravo-Young was untouched, posting a 14-1 major over the returning All-American. Brady Berge made his Rec Hall dual debut and posted a solid 5-4 win over #11 Josh Maruca at 149. Senior Jason Nolf majored #16 Christian Pagdilao 18-3 at 157, giving the Nittany Lions a sweep of all five matches against a ranked Sun Devil.

## HALL EARNS B1G AND USA WRESTLING WoW HONORS

Junior Mark Hall was named both Big Ten Wrestler of the Week and USA Wrestling National Wrestler of the Week for the week ending Dec. 16, 2018. Hall earned the honor after his impressive 4-0 shutout win, including 2:41 in riding time, over then No. 1 Zahid Valencia in Penn State's 41-3 dual victory over Arizona State on Dec. 14.

## PENN STATE SHUTS OUT #10 LEHIGH IN SOLD OUT REC HALL

Penn State won all ten bouts in a 42-0 shutout win over #10 Lehigh in sold out Rec Hall on Dec. 2. The win over the short-handed Mountain Hawks was highlighted by three ranked wins for the Lions and sophomore Devin Schnupp's first dual victory in Rec Hall. Mark Hall posted a 6-2 win over No. 7 Jordan Kutler at 174, Bo Nickal teched No. 15 Jake Jakobsen 25-10 at 197 and Anthony Cassar notched a 12-3 major over No. 6 Jordan Wood at 285. Schnupp downed Luke Resnick 6-1 at 125 for his first dual victory in Rec Hall.

## PENN STATE AND BUCKNELL COMPETE IN HISTORIC DUAL MEET AT STOJKA PAVILION

The Penn State Nittany Lions and Bucknell Bison competed in an historic dual meet in Lewisburg, Pa., on Nov. 30. The dual, won by Penn State 42-3, was the first-ever trip for Penn State to Bucknell for a dual and was wrestled in BU's Stojka Pavilion. A sellout crowd of 4,279 witnessed the Lion win, a Bucknell wrestling record and the third highest in the building's history. Key wins for Penn State included sophomore Devin Schnupp getting his first dual victory at 125 and redshirt freshman Brady Berge making his Lion dual debut with a technical fall win at 149.

## **PENN STATE PINS ITS WAY TO KEYSTONE CLASSIC TITLE**

Penn State won the 2018 Keystone Classic on Nov. 18, rolling up a lofty 192.0 points and crowning eight champions. This marks the third straight year that Penn State has claimed the title, wrestled in the University of Pennsylvania's historic Palestra. A total of 18 Nittany Lion wrestlers competed at the event. At a weight where the Lions had more than one athlete competing, the top point scorer at that weight had his points tallied into the team score. The entire Penn State contingent tasted success at the event, with every Nittany Lion collecting at least one victory and 14 of the 18 Penn Staters competing placing. All-in-all, Penn State had 14 place winners: eight champions, one runner-up, one third, one fourth, one fifth and two sixths. Penn State posted a gaudy 60-16 overall record, including 10 majors, 11 technical falls and 21 pins.

## **LIONS CROWN EIGHT CHAMPS AT KEYSTONE CLASSIC**

Penn State had eight wrestlers win titles at the Keystone Classic on Nov. 18 in Philadelphia. Roman Bravo-Young went 3-0 with a pin and a technical fall to win at 133; Nick Lee went 5-0 with a pin, three techs and a major to win at 141; Jason Nolf went 4-0 with three pins and a major to win at 157; Vincenzo Joseph went 5-0 with four pins and a tech to win at 165, earning OW honors; Mark Hall went 4-0 with two pins to win at 174; Shakur Rasheed went 4-0 with three pins and a tech to win at 184; Bo Nickal went 3-0 with two pins and a major to win at 197; and Anthony Cassar went 3-0 with a pin and a major to win at 285.

## **BLUMER LEADS PENN STATE CONTINGENT AT MAT-TOWN**

Six members of the Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team competed at the Mat-Town Open at Lock Haven University. Three Nittany Lions placed at the event as wrestlers competed both attached and unattached. Redshirt freshman Joey Blumer led Penn State with a runner-up finish at 149. Blumer went 2-1, advancing to the finals before losing in the title bout. Sophomore Brian Friery picked up a win at 157, placing fourth. His victory was a major. Redshirt freshman Scott Obendorfer placed fourth at 141 as well, going 2-2.

## **LIONS USE SEVEN PINS TO DOMINATE #24 KENT STATE**

Penn State opened up the 2018-19 season in stellar fashion, rolling to a 52-3 victory over #24 Kent State in sold out Rec Hall on Nov. 11. The Lions won nine of ten bouts, including seven pins and two technical falls. Penn State got pins from two freshmen in their collegiate debuts. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young got a pin at 133 and redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren got a fall at 149. Also picking up pins were Jason Nolf at 157, Vincenzo Joseph at 165, Mark Hall at 174, Shakur Rasheed at 184 and Bo Nickal at 197. Nick Lee (141) and Anthony Cassar (285) got the tech falls.

## **GARDNER AND MANVILLE PLACE AT BEARCAT OPEN**

Seven members of the Penn State Nittany Lions competed at the 2018 Bearcat Open in Binghamton, N.Y. Two Nittany Lions came away as place-winners at the day-long event at Binghamton. Wrestlers competed both attached and unattached at the open tournament. Sophomore Luke Gardner and freshman Mason Manville led the Nittany Lions, each placing fourth at their respective weight classes. Gardner went 4-2 with a major and a pin to finish fourth at 149. Manville went 3-2 at 174, earning fourth place as well. Sophomore Bo Pipher went 2-2 with a pin at 157 as well.

## **FIVE LIONS OPEN TOURNEY SEASON AT CLARION**

Five members of head coach Cael Sanderson's Nittany Lion wrestling team competed at the Clarion Open today, officially opening up the 2018-19 open tournament season. Every Nittany Lion competing came away with at least one victory. Sophomore Alex Nicholas posted the most victories for Penn State, going 3-2 with a technical fall at 285. Sophomore Brian Friery went 2-2 with a tech fall at 157 as well. Sophomore Justin Lopez posted a 2-2 mark at 125 while red-shirt freshman Scott Obendorfer went 1-2 with a pin 141. Redshirt freshman Austin Hoopes went 1-2 at 184.



# NOTES

## FALL LEADERS SINCE 2009-10

YEAR	TOTAL	WRESTLER
2009-10	9	Quentin Wright
2010-11	18	Andrew Alton
	13	Ed Ruth
2011-12	15	David Taylor
	14	Quentin Wright
	11	Cameron Wade
	10	Ed Ruth
2012-13	14	David Taylor
	12	Andrew Alton
	12	Ed Ruth
	11	Quentin Wright
2013-14	16	David Taylor
	11	Ed Ruth
2014-15	8	Matt Brown
2015-16	15	Jason Nolf
	15	Zain Retherford
	10	Morgan McIntosh
2016-17	17	Bo Nickal
	17	Zain Retherford
	14	Jason Nolf
	12	Mark Hall
2017-18	17	Zain Retherford
	16	Bo Nickal
	16	Jason Nolf
	13	Mark Hall
	12	Shakur Rasheed
2018-19	18	Bo Nickal
	15	Jason Nolf
	14	Vincenzo Joseph

## FUN WITH FAN FIGURES

### PENN STATE OWNS THE TOP FOUR NCAA INDOOR DUAL MEET MARKS, ALL IN THE BJC!

*The top two NCAA dual meet attendance figures of all-time come in outdoor venues in football stadiums at Iowa City and Piscataway:*

11/14/15	Iowa v. Oklahoma St.	42,287
11/18/16	Princeton v. Rutgers	16,178

### TOP 10 INDOOR ATTENDANCE FIGURES, NCAA ALL-TIME RECORDS:

<b>1: Iowa at PENN STATE (2/10/18)</b>	<b>15,998</b>
<b>2: Pittsburgh at PENN STATE (12/8/13)</b>	<b>15,996</b>
<b>3: Ohio St. at PENN STATE (2/5/16)</b>	<b>15,983</b>
<b>4: Iowa at PENN STATE (2/8/15)</b>	<b>15,967</b>
5: Iowa State at Iowa (12/6/08)	15,955
<b>6: Michigan at PENN STATE (2/1/19)</b>	<b>15,703</b>
7: Minnesota at Iowa (2/1/02)	15,646
<b>8: Lehigh at PENN STATE (12/4/16)</b>	<b>15,424</b>
9: Oklahoma St. at Iowa (1/7/12)	15,400
<b>10: PENN STATE at Ohio St. (2/3/17)</b>	<b>15,338</b>

Of the top ten indoor dual meets in NCAA history, Penn State has hosted six and been a part of seven, more than half! All have come since head coach Cael Sanderson's arrival at Penn State. Iowa has hosted three of the other four and been part of a total of five.

### THE TOP 10 REC HALL ATTENDANCE FIGURES IN THE SANDERSON ERA!

*While Rec Hall held many more fans in decades past, recent renovations and updated fire safety regulations/SRO guidelines at the end of the 2013-14 season have the venerable venue's attendance capped at 6,202 (not including SROs, media, staff, etc.).*

*Since Cael Sanderson took the helm of the Nittany Lions, Rec Hall has essentially been sold out. Penn State is riindg a multi-year streak of Rec Hall sellouts and has also sold out three of five duals in the near-16K seat BJC.*

*The following are the top 10 Rec Hall attendance marks since Sanderson's arrival in 2009-10:*

Rk.	Date	Opponent (Res.)	Att.
1.	1/22/12	Iowa (W, 22-12)	6,796
2.	2/19/12	Pitt (W, 33-6)	6,755
3.	1/29/12	Ohio State (W, 34-9)	6,728
4.	2/3/18	Ohio State (W, 19-18)	6,699
5.	1/30/11	Iowa (L, 13-22)	6,686
6.	12/14/18	Arizona St. (W, 41-3)	6,676
7.	2/5/12	Michigan (W, 34-7)	6,671
8.	2/12/17	Maryland (W, 45-6)	6,661
9.	2/10/17	Illinois (W, 34-7)	6,645
10.	2/15/19	Michigan State (W, 37-10)	6,643

## #1 PENN STATE 52, #24 KENT STATE 3 Sunday, Nov. 11, 2018 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: Jake Ferri KSU dec. Devin Schnupp PSU, 8-12	0-3
133: Roman Bravo-Young PSU pinned Tim Rooney KSU, WBF (5:31)	6-3
141: #4 Nick Lee PSU tech fall Cory Simpson KSU, 18-2 (TF; 3:44)	11-3
149: Jarod Verkleeren PSU pinned Kody Komara KSU, WBF (1:20)	17-3
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU pinned Joe Andrassy KSU, WBF (2:29)	23-3
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU pinned Isaac Bast KSU, WBF (3:40)	29-3
174: #2 Mark Hall PSU pinned Dylan Barreiro KSU, WBF (3:34)	35-3
184: #4 Shakur Rasheed PSU pinned Andrew McNally KSU, WBF (1:13)	41-3
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU pinned Shane Mast KSU, WBF (2:06)	47-3
285: Anthony Cassar PSU tech fall Billy Bolia KSU, 17-2 (TF; 5:15)	52-3
Attendance: 6,496 (42nd straight Rec Hall sell-out; 46th of 48 including 4 of 6 in Rec Hall)	

No. 1 Penn State (1-0-0-0 B1G) opened up the 2018-19 season with a rousing 52-3 win over No. 24 Kent State (3-5) in sold out Rec Hall. Penn State rode seven pins in its season opener to victory, including two from Lions making their Rec Hall dual debuts. The win was the 46th-straight dual meet victory for Penn State, dating back to the end of the 2014-15 season.

The dual was wrestled in front of 6,496 fans, Penn State's 42nd straight Rec Hall sell-out. The Nittany Lions have wrestled in front of sell-outs in 46 of its last 48 home events (42 straight in Rec Hall and four of six in the near-16,000 seat Bryce Jordan Center.

Action began at 125 where sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) dropped a tough 12-8 decision to Kent State's Jake Ferri. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) made his Penn State debut at 133 and thrilled the Lion faithful with a pin in his collegiate debut. Bravo-Young dominated his first two periods against junior Tim Rooney before picking up the pin early in the third, at the 5:31 mark. Sophomore All-American Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, was equally impressive, rolling up 18 points in under two periods and posting an 18-2 technical fall over Kent State's Cory Simpson, getting the tech fall at the 3:44 mark.

Red-shirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) got the call to make his Nittany Lion dual meet debut at 149 and, like Bravo-Young, notched a fall in his first dual in the Blue and White singlet. Verkleeren countered an early throw attempt by KSU's Kody Kamara, lifted the Flash wrestler off his feet and took him to his back for a fast fall at the 1:20 mark. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, continued Penn State's early pin parade. Nolf rolled up five takedowns in the first period before wrapping up a cradle and pinning Kent State's Joe Andrassy at the 2:29 mark. The fall was the 46th of Nolf's career, tying him for fourth all-time at Penn State with Ed Ruth. His fall also gave the Lions a 23-3 lead at intermission.

Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, kept Penn State rolling. The Lion junior dominated the first period against Kent State's Isaac Bast and then ended the match early in the second, getting a pin at the 3:40 mark to put Penn State up 29-3. Classmate Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 2 at 174, followed suit. He controlled KSU's Dylan Barreiro for the first period, building up a 10-0 lead. Like Joseph, Hall ended the match early in the second, picking up the pin at the 3:34 mark. The fall was the 26th of Hall's career, tied for 18th all-time at Penn State. Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 4 at 184 after earning All-America laurels at 197 a year ago, continued Penn State's torrid pace. Rasheed wasted no time in his match with Andrew McNally. The Lion senior notched a quick takedown and then worked his way to a pin, getting the fall at 1:13 in the first period.

Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 his new weight of 197, continued Penn State's pin parade. Nickal rolled up four first period takedowns before pinning Shane Mast at the 2:06 mark, Penn State's seventh pin of the dual and its fourth in the first period. The pin was the 42nd of Nickal's career, sixth all-time at Penn State. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.) got the nod at his new weight of 285 and capped off a raucous home opener with a dominating 17-2 technical fall over Kent State's Billy Bolia, getting the tech at the 5:51 mark.

Penn State posted a 31-4 takedown advantage. All nine of Penn State's wins were for bonus, seven pins and two tech falls.

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) took on Jake Ferri. Schnupp wasted no time taking a lead, using a low shot to take Ferri down and open up an early 2-1 lead. The Lion sophomore used a swift high single to work his way into control of Ferri and take a 4-2 lead at the 1:05 mark. Ferri got control of Schnupp's left ankle, looking for a takedown, but the Lion sophomore was able to work his way to a stalemate with :28 left in the opening period. Trailing 4-2, Ferri chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 4-3 score. Schnupp worked his way into control of Ferri's leg again, but the Flash wrestler forced a stalemate with 1:28 left in the period. The Lion countered a Ferri shot, rolled his way out of a near takedown and action continued neutral with 1:00 left. Ferri took a 5-4 lead right after that scramble but Schnupp quickly escaped to a 5-5 tie with :30 left in the middle stanza. Ferri added another takedown and a rideout to lead 7-5 after two. Schnupp chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 7-6 deficit but Ferri took him down quickly. Schnupp escaped to a 9-7 score and began looking for a tying takedown. But Ferri blew through a strong low double to take an 11-7 lead with :55 on the clock. The Flash wrestler built up over 1:00 in riding time before Schnupp escaped to an 11-8 score. Ferri's riding time gave the Flash the 12-8 victory.

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) made his Nittany Lion debut against Kent State junior Tim Rooney. The duo battled evenly for the first :90 until Bravo-Young rolled through a strong high shot to get his first collegiate takedown and lead 2-0. Bravo-Young controlled the action from the top position and turned Rooney for four back points before the period ended to lead 6-0 after one. Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the second period and went to work on his feet. He picked up his second takedown quickly and then controlled the action for the remainder of the period. Rooney was hit for two stalls as well and Bravo-Young led 9-0 after two with over 2:00 in riding time. Rooney chose down to start the third period and Bravo-Young made him pay for the decision. The Lion quickly turned Rooney's shoulders to the mat and picked up a pin in his Rec Hall debut, getting the fall at the 5:31 mark.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, met Cory Simpson of Kent State. Lee came out firing, taking Simpson down in front of the Kent State bench and nearly turning the Flash grappler to his back before Simpson rolled through to his stomach. Simpson escaped but Lee took him down immediately and led 4-1 with 1:00 on the clock. The Lion then turned Simpson's left shoulder to the mat, picking up a four-point nearfall to lead 9-1 after one. Lee chose down to start the second, escaped, took Simpson down and then ended the match with a four-point near fall. The Lion sophomore got his 18-2 tech fall at the 3:44 mark.

149: Red-shirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) made his Lion dual debut at 149 against Kent State's Kody Komara. Verkleeren fought off an early Komara takedown attempt as the Flash wrestler had control of Verkleeren's upper body early. The Lion freshman countered the control, working his way into a throw, taking Komara down and to his back and, after a quick second to reset himself, picked up a pin in his Rec Hall debut. Verkleeren's fall came at the 1:20 mark.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, took on Joe Andrassy. Nolf put on an early takedown clinic, getting for takedowns in the opening 1:10 to lead 8-3 just over minute into the bout. Nolf continued his offense, picking up two more takedowns to lead 10-5 at the :50 mark. Nolf then wrapped up a cradle, turned Andrassy to his back and picked up Penn State's third pin in five bouts. Nolf's fall came at the 2:29 mark.

165: Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, met KSU senior Isaac Bast. Joseph took a 1-0 lead early when Bast got hit with a quick unspornsmantlike. Joseph then took Bast down to open up a 3-0 lead with 2:15 left in the opening stanza. Joseph cut Bast loose, quickly rolled through a high shot and upped his lead to -1 with 1:25 on the clock. Joseph continued to showcase his offense, letting Bast up and using a strong low double to take a 7-2 lead with a third takedown with :40 on the clock. Joseph added one more cut and takedown and finished on top to lead 9-3 with 1:40 in riding time after one period. Bast chose down to start the second stanza, escaped, and was quickly taken down by Joseph again. Joseph picked up a stall point and then took Bast down to his back for a quick pin, getting the call at the 3:40 mark.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 2 at 174, faced off against Dylan Barreiro. Hall notched the first takedown just :35 into the bout to lead 2-0. He maintained control of the Kent State sophomore, working Barreiro to his back for four nearfall points once, then again, to lead 10-0 with 1:05 left in the opening period. Hall forced Barreiro into a first stall warning and finished on top to lead by ten with 2:26 in riding time after one period. Hall chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped. He then turned into Barreiro, worked shoulder control into a quick takedown and flattened Barreiro's shoulders to the mat for the pin. The fall, Penn State's fifth of the dual, came at the 3:34 mark.

184: Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 4 at 184, met Golden Flash sophomore Andrew McNally. Rasheed, wrestling down at his new weight of 184, wasted no time taking McNally down. He then went control on top, looking for a turning combination. The Rec Hall faithful did not have to wait long. Rasheed rolled McNally over, turning his back flat and picking up Penn State's sixth pin of the dual at the 1:13 mark.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, met Shane Mast for Kent State. Nickal took Mast down just seconds into the bout, cut him loose, and took him down again immediately to lead 4-2. He added a third takedown and cut and led 6-2 less than :90 into the match. Mast shot high but Nickal countered the move, wrapping Mast's shoulders between his lower legs and turning him to his back for a takedown. He then adjusted his position once and picked up Penn State's seventh fall of the dual, this one at 2:06.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.) made his heavyweight debut for Penn State against KSU's Billy Bolia. Wrestling up at 285 for the first time, Cassar took Bolia down quickly to open up an early 2-0 lead. Cassar worked on top, building up a solid riding time edge before letting Bolia up. The Lion then took the Flash grappler down again to lead 4-2 with :55 left in the opening period. Cassar forced Bolia into a first stall and then took him down. Another stall warning gave Cassar a 7-2 lead after one period. Cassar chose down to start the second stanza and quickly escaped to an 8-2 lead. He roared through a strong high shot to up his lead to 10-2, with over 2:00 in riding time in the process. Cassar turned Bolia for two nearfall points and another stall point to lead 13-2 at the :50 mark. He turned Bolia for two more nearfall points and led 15-2 with nearly 4:00 of riding time after two periods. Bolia chose neutral to start the final stanza and Cassar quickly took him down to end the match, picking up a 17-2 tech fall at the 5:15 mark.

## #1 PENN STATE at KEYSTONE CLASSIC Sunday, Nov. 18, 2018 The Palestra -- Philadelphia, Pa.

### TEAM SCORES (top 3):

1: PENN STATE, 192.0  
2: Drexel, 109.5  
3: Penn, 108.0

No. 1 Penn State (1-0 0-0 B1G) won the 2018 Keystone Classic, rolling up a lofty 192.0 points and crowning eight champions. This marks the third straight year that Penn State has claimed the crown, wrestled in the University of Pennsylvania's historic Palestra.

A total of 18 Nittany Lion wrestlers competed at the event. At a weight where the Lions had more than one athlete competing, the top point scorer at that weight had his points tallied into the team score. The entire Penn State contingent tasted success at the event, with every Nittany Lion collecting at least one victory and 14 of the 18 Penn Staters competing placing.

Penn State crowned eight champions at the event. All-in-all, Penn State had 14 place winners: eight champions, one runner-up, one third, one fourth, one fifth and two sixths. Penn State posted a gaudy 60-16 overall record, including 10 majors, 11 technical falls and 21 pins.

True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) was the first of Penn State's nine finalists, taking to the mat in the title bout at 133. The Lion freshman dominated the field, rolling to a 3-0 record with a pin and a tech fall. He picked up his tech in the finals, posting a 24-9 victory (TF; 7:00) over Drexel's Chandler Olson to win the title. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evanston, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, was equally impressive. The Lion sophomore went 5-0 with three techs, a pin and a major to win the 141-pound title, majoring Duke's Josh Finesilver 17-9 in the finals.

Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 15 at 149 won a hard-fought semifinal match-up against teammate and classmate Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.). Berge got two points late to post a 3-2 win to advance to the finals. Berge was dinged a bit in the Verkleeren bout and did not wrestle in the finals, taking a medical forfeit (not a loss). Berge went 4-0 on the day with two tech falls and a major, placing second. Verkleeren rebounded from the tough loss to Berge to go 1-1 in conso action. He posted a 4-2 record with two majors and a pin to place fourth at 149.

Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, rolled through the field in Philadelphia. Nolf went 4-0 with three pins and a major, including a fall at the 4:46 mark over Drexel's Evan Barczak to claim the 157-pound title. Nolf now has 49 career pins, four shy of tying Penn State's all-time record. Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, was dominant as well. Joseph blasted through the Keystone field, going 5-0 with four pins and a tech fall to win the title. He posted a 21-6 tech fall over Drexel's Ebed Jarrell in the finals. Joseph was named the tournament's Outstanding Wrestler as well.

Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 2 at 174, also won the Keystone title. Hall posted a 4-0 mark with two pins to win the crown. He posted a 6-4 win over No. 18 Matt Finesilver in the finals to win it. Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 4 at 184, also stacked up the pins on his way to the 184-pound title. Rasheed went 4-0 with three pins and a tech fall to win at 184, including a pin at the 1:00 mark over Appalachian State's Alan Clothier. Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, was also dominant. Nickal went 3-0 with two pins and a major to win it. He downed No. 10 Stephen Loiseau of Drexel 18-4 with 3:32 in riding time in the finals. Nickal now has 44 career pins, just nine shy of tying Penn State's all-time record.

Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.) met teammate and classmate Nick Nevills (Clovis, Calif.), ranked No. 2 at 285 in the semifinals. Cassar notched a 7-2 victory to advance to the finals where he dominated No. 14 Joey Goodhart of Drexel, posting an 11-3 major. Cassar went 3-0 with a pin and a major to win the heavyweight crown. Nevills rebounded from the loss to Cassar to two straight in consolation action and placed third at 285. The Lion senior went 3-1 with a pin and a tech fall.

Sophomore Luke Gardner (Pottsville, Pa.) went 5-2 with two techs and a pin to place fifth at 149. Sophomore Bo Pipher (Paonia, Colo.) went 4-2 with a pin to finish sixth at 157. Junior Francisco Bisono (Hauppauge, N.Y.) went 2-3 with a major at 184 and took sixth place.

Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litzitz, Pa.) went 2-2 with one major victory at 125 while classmate Justin Lopez (Yonkers, N.Y.) posted a 2-2 mark at 125 as well. Senior Scott Stossel (Pittsburgh, Pa.) went 1-2 at 133, with the victory coming off a first period major. Junior Dominic Giannangeli (Murrysville, Pa.) had a solid 2-2 showing at 141.

Weight-by-weight agate (rankings listed InterMat as of 11/13/18)

125: Devin Schnupp, So.  
Rd. 1: DeAndre Swinson-Barr, Appalachian State – L, 4-6 (sv)  
Cn. 1: Ryan Burns, Sacred Heart – W, 16-5 maj.  
Cn. 2: Dante Minnino, Drexel – W, 10-4  
Cn. 3: Andy Richard, Appalachian State – L, 3-10

125: Justin Lopez, So.  
Rd. 1: Nolan Hellickson, Harvard – L, 0-9 maj.  
Cn. 1: Mike Simonetti, Franklin and Marshall – W, 7-5  
Cn. 2: Blair Orr, Penn – W, 3-2  
Cn. 3: Antonio Minnino, Drexel – L, 3-5

133: Roman Bravo-Young, Fr.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Qtrs: Jon Guevera, Penn – WBF (0:38)  
Semis: Lukus Stricker, Harvard – W, inj.def.  
Finals: Chandler Olson, Drexel – W, 24-9 (TF; 7:00)

133: Scott Stossel, Sr.  
Rd. 1: Tristin Devincenzo, Penn – W, 11-3 maj.  
Qtrs: Chandler Olson, Drexel – L, 4-6  
Cn. 3: bye  
Cn. 4: Doug Zapf, Penn – L, 4-5

141: #4 Nick Lee, So.  
Rd. 1: Tucker Ribman, Harvard – W, 16-0 (TF; 3:51)  
Rd. 2: Dominick Gallo, VMI – W, 18-3 TF (TF; 5:41)  
Qtrs: Grant Aronoff, Penn – WBF (4:07)  
Semis: Anthony Brito, Appalachian State – W, 20-3 (TF; 3:00)  
Finals: Josh Finesilver, Duke – W, 17-9 maj.

141: Dominic Giannangeli, Jr.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Rd. 2: Nick Widmann, Drexel – W, 5-3  
Qtrs: Josh Finesilver, Duke – L, 5-9  
Cn. 3: Julian Flores, Drexel – W, 4-3  
Cn. 4: A.J. Vindici, Penn – L, 4-10

149: #15 Brady Berge, Fr.  
Rd. 1: Anthony DeMartino, Duke – W, 20-5 (TF; 5:34)  
Rd. 2: Mason Rambarose, Sacred Heart – W, 18-0 (TF; 3:43)  
Qtrs: Brock Wilson, Harvard – W, 13-4 maj.  
Semis: Jarod Verkleeren, Penn State – W, 3-2  
Finals: #8 Matt Finesilver, Duke – DNC, Med. Forf. (not a loss)

149: Jarod Verkleeren, Fr.  
Rd. 1: Jerrod Hunziker, VMI – WBF (1:56)  
Rd. 2: Vince Foggia, Drexel – W, 12-4 maj.  
Qtrs: Evan Fidelibus, Rider – W, 14-3 maj.  
Semis: #15 Brady Berge, Penn State – L, 2-3  
Cn. S: Jonathan Milner, Appalachian State – W, 7-4  
3rd: Anthony Artalona, Penn – L, 2-4 (sv2)

149: Luke Gardner, So.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Rd. 2: #8 Mitch Finesilver, Duke – L, 0-4  
Cn. 2: Jerrod Hunziker, VMI – W, 16-1 (TF; 3:55)  
Cn. 3: Robert Groves, Harvard – W, 15-0 (TF; 3:03)  
Cn. 4: Brock Wilson, Harvard – W, 2-1  
Cn. 5: Evan Fidelibus, Rider – WBF (1:13)  
Cn. S: Anthony Artalona, Penn – L, 1-3  
5th: Jonathan Milner, Appalachian State – W, med. forf.

157: #1 Jason Nolf, Sr.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Rd. 2: Carl Antrassian, Penn – WBF (2:15)  
Qtrs: Gary Dinmore, Rider – W, 23-10 maj.  
Semis: Matt Zovistoski, Appalachian State – WBF (2:23)  
Finals: Evan Barczak, Drexel – WBF (4:46)

157: Bo Pipher, So.  
Rd. 1: Gino Fluri, Rider – W, 6-4 (sv)  
Rd. 2: Hunter Ladnier, Harvard – L, 1-4  
Cn. 2: Brandon Leynaud, Duke – WBF (1:21)  
Cn. 3: Emmett LiCastrì, Franklin and Marshall – W, 10-8  
Cn. 4: Willy Kaiser, Penn – W, 5-4  
Cn. S: Hunter Ladnier, Harvard – L, 0-4  
5th: Matt Zovistoski, Appalachian State – Med. Forf.

165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph, Jr.  
Rd. 1: Michael Manley, Drexel – WBF (2:25)  
Rd. 2: Will Schmidt, Sacred Heart – WBF (0:31)  
Qtrs: Evan DeLuise, Penn – WBF (4:29)  
Semis: Joshua Kim, Harvard – WBF (2:13)  
Finals: Ebed Jarrell, Drexel – W, 21-6 (TF; 6:19)

174: #2 Mark Hall, Jr.  
Rd. 1: George Walton, Rider – WBF (3:35)  
Qtrs: Jason Hoffman, Drexel – WBF (4:40)  
Semis: Neal Richards, VMI – W, 5-0  
Finals: #18 Matt Finesilver, Duke – W, 6-4

184: #4 Shakur Rasheed, Sr.  
Rd. 1: Jacob Harrison, Sacred Heart – WBF (0:34)  
Qtrs: Reid Robilotto, Franklin and Marshall – WBF (1:08)  
Semis: Kaden Russell, Duke – W, 15-0 (TF; 3:50)  
Finals: Alan Clothier, Appalachian State – WBF (1:00)

184: Francisco Bisono, Jr.  
Rd. 1: Michale Fagg-Daves, Rider – L, 2-4 (sv)  
Cn. 2: Ryan Farber, Penn – W, 11-2 maj.  
Cn. 3: Jimmy Stillerman, Franklin & Marshall – W, 2-0  
Cn. S: Clifton Wang, Harvard – L, 5-6  
5th: Michale Fagg-Daves, Rider – L, 3-5

197: #1 Bo Nickal, Sr.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Rd. 2: Ben Markulec, VMI – WBF (0:37)  
Semis: Ethan Laird, Rider – WBF (1:35)  
Finals: #10 Stephen Loiseau, Drexel – W, 18-4 maj.

285: #2 Nick Nevills, Sr.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Qtrs: James Brady, Rider – W, 21-6 (TF; 6:50)  
Semis: Anthony Cassar, Penn State – L, 2-7  
Cn. S: Evan Callahan, Harvard – WBF (2:13)  
3rd: Cary Miller, Appalachian State – W, 10-4

285: Anthony Cassar, Sr.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Qtrs: Ben Goldin, Penn – WBF (1:20)  
Semis: #2 Nick Nevills, Penn State – W, 7-2  
Finals: #14 Joey Goodhart, Drexel – W, 11-3 maj.

## #1 PENN STATE 42, BUCKNELL 3 Friday, Nov. 30, 2018 -- Lewisburg, Pa.

125: Devin Schnupp PSU dec. Geo Barzona BU, 5-2	3-0
133: Roman Bravo-Young PSU maj. Dec. David Campbell BU, 21-7	7-0
141: #4 Nick Lee PSU maj. Dec. Matthew Kalonia BU, 15-5	11-0
149: #13 Brady Berge PSU tech fall Joey Schiele BU, 25-10 (6:21)	16-0
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU pinned Zach Hartman BU, WBF (3:49)	22-0
165: D.J. Hollingshead BU dec. Bo Pipher PSU, 10-5	22-3
174: #2 Mark Hall PSU maj. dec. Nick Stephani BU, 20-7	26-3
184: #4 Shakur Rasheed PSU pinned Kyle Inlander BU, WBF (0:310)	32-3
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU maj. dec. Drew Phipps BU, 16-6	36-3
285: #5 Anthony Cassar PSU pinned Brandon Stokes BU, WBF (0:32)	42-3
Attendance: 4,279 (new Bucknell wrestling record)	

No. 1 Penn State (2-0, 0-0 B1G) made its first-ever visit to Bucknell (2-2) for a dual meet and dominated the homesteading Bison in sold out Sojka Pavilion. The Nittany Lions won nine of 10 bouts, including three pins, to roll to a 42-3 victory in Lewisburg, Pa.

The dual was wrestled in front of a sellout crowd of 4,279 in Bucknell's Sojka Pavilion. The crowd is the largest wrestling crowd in Bucknell history and the third largest in Sojka Pavilion history.

The dual began at 125 where Lion sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) picked up his first dual win as a Nittany Lion. Schnupp used two takedowns, including a late one, to post a 5-2 win over Bucknell's Geo Barzona to give Penn State a lead it would never relinquish. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) stayed hot at 133, rolling to a 21-7 major over David Campbell. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) ranked No. 4 at 141, was also impressive, posting a 15-5 major over Bucknell's Matthew Kalonia.

Red-shirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 13 at 149, made his Penn State dual meet debut, picking up a strong victory. Berge dominated Joey Schiele, posting a 25-10 technical fall at the 6:21 mark to put Penn State up 16-0 after four bouts. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, stayed perfect on the year with a second period pin over BU's Zach Hartman. Nolf's pin at the 3:49 mark gave Penn State a 22-0 lead heading into intermission.

With top-ranked Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.) not feeling well, sophomore 157-pounder Bo Pipher (Paonia, Colo.) moved up to 165 for the Lions. Pipher was strong in the match but could not overcome BU's D.J. Hollingshead, who put Bucknell on the board with a 10-5 win. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 2 at 174, put on a takedown clinic on his way to a 20-7 major decision over Nick Stephani with over 3:00 in riding time. Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 4 at 184, notched his fifth takedown of the year, picking up the fast fall over Kyle Inlander at the 0:31 mark.

Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, continued to dominate his new weight. Nickal rolled up seven takedowns to post a 16-6 major decision over Drew Phipps, giving the Lions a 36-3 lead. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 5 at 285, closed out the dual with a fast fall of his own, pinning Brandon Stokes in just 0:32. Cassar's pin allowed the Nittany Lions to walk away with a resounding 42-3 win.

The Nittany Lions posted a lopsided 51-3 takedown advantage. Penn State has now won 47 straight dual meets dating back to the end of the 2014-15 season.

### BOU-T-BY-BOU-T:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) took on Bucknell's Geo Barzona at 125. Schnupp and Barzona battled in the middle off the mat for the opening minute before Schnupp took an early lead with a takedown at the 1:45 mark. Barzona escaped to a 2-1 score and action continued on the Bison logo in the middle of the mat. Schnupp continued to shoot, connecting on a low single. But Barzona was able to force a scramble that ended in a stalemate with :40 left in the opening period. Trailing by one, Barzona chose down to start the second period. Schnupp was able to control the action from the top position for :30 before Barzona escaped to a 2-2 tie. Schnupp was also hit with a first stall warning during the Barzona escape. Schnupp countered a slight Barzona shot to keep the bout tied 2-2 as the clock moved below :30. Barzona tried to turn a late shot into a takedown but Schnupp fought it off to head into the third period tied 2-2. Schnupp chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-2 lead. He then turned into Barzona and forced a scramble in front of the Penn State corner with a low shot. Barzona nearly scored but Schnupp was able to return to neutral and the bout continued to the 1:00 mark with Schnupp leading 3-2. Schnupp nearly locked up a cradle on the edge of the mat but Barzona was able to work his way out of bounds to force a reset with :35 on the clock. Schnupp continued to shoot, using a low single to bring Barzona down for a bout clinching takedown and a 5-2 win.

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) faced off against David Campbell at 133. Bravo-Young attacked quickly, taking the Bucknell wrestler down for an early 2-0 lead just :20 into the bout. The Lion freshman controlled the action from then let Campbell loose and worked his way to a second takedown and a 4-1 lead with 1:00 left in the opening period. Bravo-Young closed out a dominant first period with one more takedown and led 6-2 with 2:06 in time after one period. Campbell chose down to start the second period and Bravo-Young cut him loose to a 6-3 score. The Lion freshman quickly tacked on two more takedowns to up his lead to 10-4 with 1:16 left in the middle period. Bravo-Young added one more takedown with :18 left to lead 12-5 with nearly 3:00 in riding time after two periods. He chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 13-5 lead and the poured on the offense. Bravo-Young added another takedown and then fought off a solid Campbell shot with :50 left, forcing a scramble in front of the Bucknell corner that ended with a Penn State takedown. He would add one final takedown and 3:06 in riding time to roll to a 21-7 major decision.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, met Matthew Kalonia. Lee scored twice in the opening minute, bolting out to an early 4-1 lead on Kalonia. He cut Kalonia loose again, worked on his feet for a few moments and blew through a strong shot for a third takedown and a 6-2 lead with 1:10 left in the opening period. Lee carried that lead into the second stanza, along with 2:17 in riding time. Lee chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 7-2 lead. He then notched his fourth takedown and began working on a strong ride with 1:00 on the clock. He picked up a point on a second Kalonia stall, all while working for a chance to turn the Bison for back points. Kalonia fought off the tilt long enough to kill the clock and Lee led 10-2 with 3:06 in time after two. Kalonia chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 10-3 score. But Lee continued to pour on the offense. The Lion sophomore used a quick low shot to take Kalonia down for a 12-3 lead. He then cut him loose at the 1:05 mark and took him down again quickly to lead 14-4 with over 4:00 in riding time. Lee

149: Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 13 at 149, met Bucknell's Joey Schiele. Berge wasted no time opening up a big lead, notching two quick takedowns in his Penn State dual debut to open up an early 4-1 lead in just 1:00 of action. Berge then worked his riding time edge up to 1:25 before cutting Schiele loose, only to take him down quickly to lead 6-2 with :55 left in the opening period. Berge picked up a penalty point and added one more takedown to lead 9-3 with 2:15 riding time after one period. Berge chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 10-3 lead. He rolled up two fast takedowns and led 14-4 with 1:00 on the clock. Berge continued to press Schiele, forcing the Bison to the edge of the mat. Berge led 14-5 with 2:45 riding time after two and cut Schiele to start the third period. He turned quickly into a takedown, cut Schiele again, and took him down an eighth time to lead 18-7 with 1:25 on the clock. He took Schiele down a total of 11 times on his way to a 25-10 technical fall at the 6:21 mark.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, met Bucknell freshman Zach Hartman. Nolf put on an offensive show early, rolling up three takedowns in the opening minute-plus to lead 5-2 before the midway point of the first period. Hartman countered with a takedown that cut Nolf's lead to 6-5. Nolf then escaped to a 7-5 lead with :45 left to wrestle in the opening period. Leading 7-5, Nolf chose down to start the second period. Hartman was able to keep Nolf down for :30 before the Lion escaped to an 8-5 lead. Nolf fought off a quick Hartman shot, quickly gained control of the Bison's shoulders and, from a standing position, turned him to his back on the mat for a pin. Nolf got the fall at the 3:49 mark, his fifth of the year.

165: With top-ranked Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.) not feeling well, sophomore Bo Pipher (Paonia, Colo.) moved up to 165 and took on Bison senior D.J. Hollingshead. Pipher scored quickly, taking Hollingshead down for an early 2-0 lead. But the Bison reversed Pipher to briefly tie the bout before Pipher escaped to a 3-2 lead, all within the first :45 of the opening stanza. The duo battled evenly for the next minute-plus with neither man finding an opening. Leading 3-2 after the opening period, Pipher chose down to start the second stanza and escaped at the :55 mark. Pipher's escape gave the Lion a 4-2 lead. Hollingshead had 1:04 in riding time but picked up a stall in the process. Trailing 4-2, Hollingshead chose down to start the third period, needing a quick escape. Pipher was able to control the Bison until the 1:52 mark before he escaped to a 4-3 Pipher lead, with the riding time point erased. Pipher fought off a high Hollingshead shot at the 1:20 mark, but the Bison was able to work his way to the two points and a 5-4 lead with :45 on the clock. Pipher escaped to a 5-5 tie but Hollingshead had 1:04 of riding time, all with :27 left in the bout. Pipher battled for a late takedown to grab the win, but Hollingshead was able to hold off the Lion, adding a late four-point move to post a hard-fought 10-5 win.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 2 at 174, met Bucknell's Nick Stephani. Hall opened up an early 2-1 lead with a quick takedown in the opening period. He controlled the action in the middle of the mat, stepping away from a slight Stephani shot, using an underhook and adding a second takedown with :40 left in the period. Leading 4-1 with over 1:00 in riding time after one, Hall chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. Hall bulled his way to a third takedown at the 1:05 mark, cut Stephani loose and then added a fourth takedown with :30 left. Not content, Hall picked up fifth takedown and rode Stephani out to lead 11-3 with 2:04 in riding time after two periods. Stephani chose down to start the third period and Hall cut him loose to an 11-4 score. The Lion junior notched another takedown off a scramble, cut Stephani loose and went on to roll to a 20-7 major decision with 3:06 in riding time.

184: Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 4 at 184, battled Bucknell junior Kyle Inlander. Rasheed made quick work of the Bison grappler. He took Inlander down in the opening seconds and then wrapped up a cradle for the fall at the 0:31 mark. The pin was Rasheed's fifth of the year.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, took on Bison junior Drew Phipps. Nickal and Phipps battled evenly for the opening seconds, but the Lion senior's relentless offense resulted in a takedown and an early 2-1 lead. Nickal picked up a second takedown at the 1:00 mark and then rode Phipps out to lead 4-1 with 1:44 in riding time after one period. Leading by three, Nickal chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. He quickly defended a Phipps shot, stepped back from a low double and worked his way into control of the Bison's shoulders. Nickal worked his way around for a takedown and a 7-1 lead with :50 left in the middle stanza. He rode Phipps out and led 7-1 with 2:22 in time after two. Phipps chose down to start the third period and Nickal cut him loose to a 7-2 score. He turned a solid high single into a takedown and then cut Phipps loose to a 9-3 score. Nickal added two more takedowns to up his lead to 13-4 with the clinched riding time point with :18 left to wrestle. He added one final takedown and, with riding time, posted a 16-6 major decision.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 5 at 285, met Bucknell's Brandon Stokes. The Lion senior put an exclamation point on the dual meet by taking the Bison big man down quickly, turning him to his back and picking up Penn State's third fall of the dual. Cassar got the pin in just 0:32 to put a capstone on Penn State's dual victory.

## #1 PENN STATE 42, #10 LEHIGH 0 Sunday, Dec. 2, 2018 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU tech fall #15 Jake Jakobsen LEH, 19-4 (TF; 5:31)	5-0
285: #5 Anthony Cassar PSU maj. dec. #6 Jordan Wood LEH, 12-3	9-0
125: Devin Schnupp PSU dec. Luke Resnick LEH, 6-1	12-0
133: Roman Bravo-Young PSU maj. dec. Brandon Paetzell LEH, 13-5	16-0
141: #4 Nick Lee PSU maj. dec. Ryan Pomrinca LEH, 23-10	20-0
149: Jarod Verkleeren PSU dec. Jimmy Hoffman LEH, 5-3	23-0
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU pinned Josh Humphreys, WBF (6:19)	29-0
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU pinned Trey Cornish LEH, WBF (4:47)	35-0
174: #2 Mark Hall PSU dec. #7 Jordan Kutler LEH, 6-2	38-0
184: #4 Shakur Rasheed PSU maj. dec. Andrew Price LEH, 11-2	42-0

Attendance: 6,529 (43rd straight Rec hall sellout; 47th of 49 including 4 of 6 in BJC)

- No. 1 Penn State (3-0, 0-0 B1G) rolled to a shutout win over No. 10 Lehigh (0-3) in front of yet another Rec Hall sellout crowd on Sunday. The Nittany Lions won all ten bouts in a 42-0 victory over a short-handed Mountain Hawk squad to remain unbeaten on the year.

Penn State got impressive ranked wins from Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.) and Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.). The Nittany Lions did not give up a takedown in the dual.

The dual began at 197 where senior Nickal, ranked No. 1 nationally, dominated No. 15 Jake Jakobsen. Nickal controlled the action from start to finish and rolled to a 19-4 technical fall at the 5:31 mark. Senior Cassar, ranked No. 5 at 285, followed that up with a big win the dual's marquee match-up. Cassar dominated No. 6 Jordan Wood on his way to an impressive 12-3 major with 2:21 in riding time, putting Penn State up 9-0 early.

Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) picked up his second straight dual win at 125, and his first in Rec Hall, with a 6-1 win over Luke Resnick and Penn State led 12-0. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) then dominated Brandon Paetzell at 133, rolling to a 13-5 major with over 3:00 in riding time. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, closed out the first half with an impressive 23-10 major over Lehigh's Ryan Pomrinca and Penn State led 20-0 at the halftime break.

Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) got the nod at 149 and started the second half and kept Penn State's shutout hopes alive with a hard-fought 5-3 win over Lehigh's Jimmy Hoffman. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, kept the Lions rolling by pinning Josh Humphreys at the 6:19 mark. The fall was the sixth in seven matches for Nolf. Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, made it two straight pins by getting a fall at the 4:47 mark over Mountain Hawk Trey Cornish to put Penn State up 35-0. The fall was Joseph's sixth in seven bouts this year.

Hall, ranked No. 2 at 174, walked away with a convincing win in another of the dual's most anticipated match-ups. Hall posted the bout's only takedowns in a 6-2 win over No. 7 Jordan Kutler. Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 4 at 184, closed out the dual in dominating fashion, posting an 11-2 major with 3:53 in riding time over Lehigh's Andrew Price. Rasheed's win gave the Nittany Lions the 42-0 shutout victory.

The Nittany Lions rolled to a 47-0 takedown advantage and tallied 12 bonus points off two pins (Nolf and Joseph), one tech (Nickal), and four majors (Cassar, Bravo-Young, Lee and Rasheed). Penn State has now won 48 straight dual meets dating back to the end of the 2014-15 season. The sellout crowd of 6,529 was the 43rd straight sellout in Rec Hall and Penn State's 47th in its last 49 home duals, including four of six in the near-16,000 seat Bryce Jordan Center.

### BOU-T-BY-BOU-T:

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, faced off against No. 15 Jake Jakobsen. Nickal worked the center of the mat, looking to force Jakobsen's shoulders down to the mat. The Lion pushed his foe's head down, swung around quickly on the edge of the mat and took a 2-1 lead at the 2:20 mark. He quickly added a second takedown and led 4-1 before a minute had passed. Nickal cut Jakobsen loose to a 4-2 score and added a third takedown a minute later to lead 6-2. Nickal spent the rest of the period controlling the action from the top position and turned Jakobsen for four near fall points to lead 10-2 after one. Jakobsen chose top to start the second period but Nickal quickly escaped to an 11-2 lead. A quick low shot in front of the Lehigh bench led to a takedown and a 13-2 lead for the Lion All-American. Nickal cut Jakobsen loose at the 1:00 mark and immediately set up another scoring opportunity. He used a strong high double to score with 0:13 on the clock and led 15-3 with 1:43 in time after two. Nickal skipped around a slight Jakobsen shot for a takedown, cut him loose and then quickly ended the bout with another takedown, posting the 19-4 tech fall at the 5:31 mark.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 5 at 285, met No. 6 Jordan Wood in the dual's marquee match-up. The duo battled evenly for nearly two minutes before Cassar used a strong high double to lift Wood off the mat and send him down for a takedown and a 2-1 lead. Cassar was lightening quick in the final seconds, notching a second takedown with :05 on the clock to lead 4-1 after one. The Lion chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped for a 5-1 lead. Continuing to dominate, Cassar shot low and notched his third takedown at the 1:10 mark, upping his lead to 7-1. A strong ride gave the Lion over 1:00 in riding time. The Lion was able to force Wood flat and rode the Mountain Hawk out. Trailing 7-1, Wood chose neutral to start the third period. Cassar's pace was relentless. The Lion junior continued to pace around the middle of the mat, looking for another opening to score. With the riding time point clinched, Cassar moved to the side of a low Wood shot and got a takedown to up his lead to 9-1 with :45 on the clock. Cassar would add one more takedown and a riding time point to roll to the impressive 12-3 major decision.

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) took on Lehigh's Luke Resnick at 125. Schnupp was the aggressor early, keeping action in the center circle while trying to gain control of Resnick's shoulders. The Lion sophomore worked Resnick to the mat twice but the Mountain Hawk was able to defend each effort, forcing stalemates. With :30 left, Schnupp shot low, forcing a scramble in the middle of the mat. The sophomore was not able to come up under for the takedown before the period ended and the match moved to the second period scoreless. Schnupp chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Schnupp instigated another scramble in the middle of the mat with :45 on the clock, but Resnick was once again able to force a stalemate. On the reset, however, Schnupp shot low, connected on the shot and scored with :15 left to lead 3-0 after two periods. Resnick chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 score. Not content with a slim lead, Schnupp used shoulder

control to force Resnick's shoulders to the mat and worked his way behind the Mountain Hawk to take a 5-1 lead with :50 left in the bout. The Lion sophomore put together a strong ride and finished off the bout in control. With a 1:11 riding time edge, Schnupp rolled to the 6-1 decision.

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) met Brandon Paetzell at 133. Bravo-Young scored quickly, taking a 2-0 lead and building up over 1:00 in riding time before cutting Paetzell loose after a reset with 1:25 on the clock. The Arizona native continued his fast pace and used a quick shot to notch his second takedown to lead 4-1 with :55 left in the opening period. A ride-out gave the Lion freshman a 4-1 lead with 2:22 in riding time after one period. Paetzell chose down to start the second stanza and escaped to a 4-2 score. Paetzell connected on a low single with :55 on the clock and Bravo-Young thrilled the sold out Rec Hall crowd, jumping out of control, sliding behind Paetzell and notching the counter takedown as the period ended to lead 6-3 with 2:39 in time after two periods. Leading by three, Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the third period. Bravo-Young turned a fast low shot into a scramble and finished off the takedown with :55 on the clock to lead 8-3 with a clinched riding time point. Looking for bonus points, Bravo-Young cut Paetzell loose to an 8-4 score. The Lion quickly took Paetzell down and cut him to a 10-5 lead with :22 on the clock and finished off the major with a takedown at the :09 mark. A 3:07 riding time edge gave Bravo-Young the 13-5 major decision.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, met Ryan Pomrinca. Lee was hot out of the gates, picking up two takedowns in the first sixth seconds to lead 4-2 early. The Lion sophomore used a nifty low single upped his lead to 6-2 with a third takedown at the opening period's midway point. He cut Pomrinca loose to a 6-3 score and then added a fourth takedown and cut. Looking to finish the period on top, Lee shot low, worked control of one foot into a fifth takedown and finished on top to lead 10-4 with 1:19 in time after one. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to an 11-4 lead. He notched his sixth takedown shortly after that and led 13-4 with 1:32 left in the second stanza. The Lion continued to pour on the offense, adding two more quick takedowns to lead 17-7 with 1:51 in riding time after two periods. Pomrinca chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 17-8 score. Lee picked up a stall point and then another takedown to lead 20-9 with :40 left. Lee took a 22-9 lead with :22 left and rolled to a 23-10 major decision with 2:44 in riding time.

149: Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) got the nod at 149 for Penn State and took on Jimmy Hoffman. The duo battled evenly for over a minute with neither wrestler breaking through. The Lion stepped back from a solid Hoffman shot with :50 on the clock and tried to counter but Hoffman was able to keep the pressure on and force action out of bounds with :35 left in the opening period. Tied 0-0, Verkleeren chose down to start the second period and took advantage. With action moving toward the outside circle, Verkleeren worked his way out of control and finished off a reversal with 1:31 on the clock to take a 2-0 lead. Verkleeren maintained control for :40 before Hoffman escaped to a 2-1 score. Trailing 2-1, Hoffman chose down to start the second period. Verkleeren maintained control long enough to build his riding time edge up over 1:00 before a reset was called with 1:39 on the clock. Verkleeren continued to maintain control until Hoffman escaped to a 2-2 tie with 1:22 left to wrestle. Verkleeren had 1:16 in time. Hoffman shot low but Verkleeren countered the move for another takedown and a 4-3 lead after a quick Hoffman escape. Verkleeren fought off Hoffman's late scoring efforts and, with 1:34 in riding time, posted a 5-3 win.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, faced off against Lehigh's Josh Humphreys. Nolf wasted no time taking the lead. The Lion posted two takedowns in the opening 1:30 to lead 4-2. He then forced a scramble with a low shot, picked up a third takedown and led 6-2 at the 1:10 mark. Humphreys was able to finish with his feet and Nolf led 6-3 with 0:34 left. The Lion scrambled to a late takedown but the call was overturned on review and Nolf led 6-3 after one period. Nolf chose down to start the second period, steadily worked his way to his feet and, after forcing a stall warning, escaped to a 7-3 lead. He fought off a solid Humphreys shot and then another as the period ended to lead 8-3 after two periods. Humphreys chose down to start the third period and picked up a stall point before Humphreys escaped to a 9-4 Nolf lead. Nolf added another takedown and led 11-5 before locking up a cradle to get the fall at the 6:19 mark.

165: Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, battled Trey Cornish. Joseph took an early 2-0 lead, taking Cornish down with 2:15 on the clock. He then controlled action from the top position, building up :37 in time before cutting the Hawk loose. He quickly took Cornish down again and led 4-2, turned in off the escape and added a third takedown right away and led 6-3 with 1:05 on the clock. Joseph picked up a stall point and then notched a fourth takedown. He turned Cornish for four back points before the period ended and led 13-3 with 1:39 in riding time after one period. Joseph chose neutral to start the second period and Joseph continued his offensive onslaught. The Lion used a fast low trip to take a 15-3 score just :20 into the middle stanza. He tacked on one more takedown and then finished off the match by turning Cornish to his back and getting the fall at the 4:47 mark.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 2 at 174, met No. 7 Jordan Kutler. The ranked duo battled evenly for the first minute with Hall shooting consistently and Kutler's defense equal to the task. The Lion junior could not break through to score and the first period ended in a 0-0 tie. Hall chose down to start the second period and deftly escaped to a 1-0 lead at the 1:35 mark. Hall then connected on a fast high single and bulled his way to a takedown and a 3-0 lead with 1:08 on the clock. Hall then controlled the action from the top position for the remainder of the period to carry the 3-0 edge, and :47 in riding time, into the third period. Kutler chose down to start the third period and Hall continued to dominate the action from the top position. Hall's riding time ballooned to 1:31 before Kutler escaped to a 3-1 score. Hall shot high to Kutler's right leg again, forcing a scramble that led to another takedown and a 5-2 lead after a quick Kutler escape. But the damage was done and Hall, with 1:38 in riding time, rolled to the 6-2 win.

184: Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 4 at 184, took on Andrew Price. Rasheed spent a minute looking for a chance to score and took a 2-0 lead with a takedown at the 2:10 mark. Rasheed cut Price loose and then quickly took him down again to lead 4-1. The Lion senior then built up a solid riding time edge while looking for a chance to turn the Hawk for back points or more. Price was able to fight off Rasheed's turning efforts but the Lion finished on top to lead 4-1 with 2:14 in riding time after one. Rasheed chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. He picked up his third takedown at the 1:17 mark and led 7-1. After a reset sent action back to the center circle, Rasheed continued his dominant ride and led 7-1 with 3:29 in time after two periods. Price chose neutral to start the final period but Rasheed was undaunted. The Lion senior continued to press Price, forcing the Mountain Hawk into giving up a stall point and then taking him down to open up a 10-1 lead with :44 left to wrestle. Rasheed went on to post the dominant 11-2 major with 3:53 in riding time.

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## #1 PENN STATE 41, #9 ARIZONA STATE 3 Friday, Dec. 14, 2018 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: Brandon Courtney ASU dec. Devin Schnupp PSU, 13-7	0-3
133: Roman Bravo-Young PSU maj. dec. #7/125 Ryan Millhof ASU, 14-1	4-3
141: #4 Nick Lee PSU pinned Cory Crooks (ASU), WBF (2:18)	10-3
149: #12 Brady Berge PSU dec. #11 Josh Maruca ASU, 5-4	13-3
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU maj. dec. #16 Christian Pagdilao ASU, 18-5	17-3
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU maj. dec. #5 Josh Shields ASU, 11-2	21-3
174: #2 Mark Hall PSU dec. #1 Zahid Valencia ASU, 4-0	24-3
184: #4 Shakur Rasheed PSU tech fall Kordell Norfleet ASU, 15-0 (TF; 7:00)	29-3
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU pinned Austyn Harris ASU, WBF (0:35)	35-3
285: #5 Anthony Cassar PSU pinned Brady Daniel ASU, WBF (5:18)	41-3
Attendance: 6,676 (44th straight Rec hall sellout; 48th of 50 including 4 of 6 in BJC)	

No. 1 Penn State (4-0, 0-0 B1G) dominated No. 9 Arizona State (1-3) in the Sun Devils' first-ever appearance in Rec Hall. Penn State won nine of ten bouts, including two top five clashes, to roll to a 41-3 victory over the Sun Devils in front of yet another Rec Hall sellout crowd.

The dual was highlighted by top-five match-ups at 165 and 174, opening up the second half after the Lions bolted out to a 17-3 lead at intermission. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.) and Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.) thrilled one of the largest crowds in Rec Hall history with big wins in the two marquee bouts.

The dual began at 125, where Nittany Lion sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) dropped a hard-fought 13-7 decision to Brandon Courtney, using a late reversal to keep from giving up a major. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), an Arizona-native, then took on Arizona State's Ryan Millhof, ranked No. 7 at 125, as ASU opted to bump the senior up to face the Lion freshman. Bravo-Young dominated the bout, rolling to a 14-1 major decision with 3:16 in riding time to give Penn State a 4-3 lead. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, put Penn State up 10-3 by pinning Cory Crooks at the 2:18 mark.

Red-shirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 12 at 149, took on No. 11 Josh Maruca in his Rec Hall dual debut, the first of four match-ups featuring ranked opponents. Berge notched the only two takedowns of the bout to post a hard-fought 5-4 win. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, then dominated No. 16 Christian Pagdilao, posting an 18-5 major decision to give the Nittany Lions a 17-3 lead at intermission.

Joseph, ranked No. 1 at 165, opened up the second half against No. 5 Josh Shields in another ranked battle. Joseph continued his dominating season, roaring to an 11-2 major decision over the ranked Sun Devil, including 1:38 in riding time. Hall, ranked No. 2 at 174, took to the mat against No. 1 Zahid Valencia in a rematch of last year's NCAA title bout (won by Valencia) and a 2017 NCAA National Semifinal (won by Hall on his way to an NCAA championship). The last two NCAA Champions battled in front of a frantic Rec Hall crowd and Hall thrilled the hometown faithful by posting a strong 4-0 win over Valencia, including 2:41 in riding time. Hall's win snapped Valencia's 43-match win streak that dated back to the 2017 NCAA semifinals.

Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 4 at 184, kept Penn State's roll going with an outstanding 15-0 technical fall over Kordell Norfleet, getting the 15-0 tech at the 7:00 mark off 4:58 in riding time. Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, then stepped to the mat and notched one of his textbook fast falls. Nickal moved in quickly on Austyn Harris, locked the Sun Devil's shoulders up and turned him quickly to his back for a fall in just 0:35 to put Penn State up 35-3. In the dual's final bout, senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 5 at 285, capped off Penn State's dominating team performance with the Lions third fall of the evening. Cassar pinned ASU's Brady Daniel at the 5:18 mark for the Lions' ninth win in the dual. Cassar's fall finished off Penn State's 41-3 victory over the Sun Devils.

The Nittany Lions posted a lopsided 27-6 takedown advantage and did not give up a takedown in nine of the ten bouts. The Lions picked up 14 bonus points off three pins (Lee, Nickal, Cassar), a tech fall (Rasheed) and three majors (Lee, Nolf, Joseph). The dual was ASU's first in Rec Hall although the Sun Devils wrestled in the Bryce Jordan Center during the 2001 National Duals, hosted by Penn State. Penn State has now won 49-straight dual meets dating back to the end of the 2014-15 season. The sellout crowd of 6,676 is the 44th straight Rec Hall sellout for Penn State and the program's 48th in its last 50 duals (including four of six in the near-18,000 seat Bryce Jordan Center). The crowd is the sixth-largest in Rec Hall since Cael Sanderson's arrival as head coach in 2009-10.

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) took on Brandon Courtney of Arizona State. Courtney opened up the match with a strong high double to take an early 2-1 lead. The Sun Devil freshman added on two more takedowns to lead 6-3 two minutes into the bout. Courtney scrambled his way to a takedown and an 8-3 lead as the period wound down and carried that lead into the second period. Courtney chose down to start the second period and Schnupp put together a strong ride, working the clock down to 1:23 before Courtney escaped to a 9-33 lead. The Lion sophomore began nearly scored on a solid shot but Courtney was able to slip out of bounds at the 1:10 mark. Schnupp's tempo had the ASU grappler on his heels as the period ended, forcing a first stall warning. Schnupp chose down to start the third and quickly escaped to a 9-4 score. Courtney notched another takedown and led 11-5 at the 1:20 mark after a quick Schnupp escape. Courtney scrambled to a takedown with :25 left, looking to notch a major decision. However, Schnupp scrambled his way to a reversal with :02 left to keep the bout to a 13-7 decision, bringing the Rec Hall faithful to their feet.

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) battled Ryan Millhof, ranked No. 7 at 125, who bumped up a weight to take on the Lion freshman. Bravo-Young was the aggressor early, scrambling his way to a takedown on the edge of the mat to take an early 2-0 lead with 2:28 on the clock. Bravo-Young then controlled the action on top, building up a :40 riding time edge before the ranked Sun Devil escaped. Bravo-Young's strength allowed him to power through a high shot and take a 4-1 lead with a second takedown. He then dominated the action on top, working the clock down to zeroes and his riding time edge up to 2:19 at the end of the period. Leading 4-1, Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the second period. He picked a fifth point on a second stall and led 5-1 with 1:25 on the clock. Bravo-Young continued to press the ranked 125-pounder. He countered a slight Millhof shot, gained control of his shoulders and worked the clock down to :30 before a stalemate forced a reset. He then powered through a high double off the

restart and took a 7-1 lead with :15 left to lead 7-1 with 2:43 in time after two. Trailing 7-1, Millhof chose top to start the third period but Bravo-Young easily escaped to an 8-1 lead. Bravo-Young shot low at Millhof's feet, forcing a scramble in the middle of the mat with 1:10 left. With the riding time point clinched, Bravo-Young finished off the takedown and then turned him for two back points. A final stall point and the riding time point allowed the Lion to roar to a 14-1 major with 3:16 in riding time.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, met Sun Devil Cory Crooks. Lee dominated the action from the get-go, taking Crooks down twice early and tacking on two nearfall points to lead 6-1 midway through the opening period. Lee then worked arm control into a turn that ended with a quick pin at the 2:18 mark.

149: Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 12 at 149, made his Rec Hall dual meet debut against No. 11 Josh Maruca of Arizona State. The twosome battled evenly in the middle of the mat for the first half of the opening period with Berge forcing the junior Maruca back to the outside circle and into a first stall warning at the 1:10 mark. Berge countered a slight Maruca shot and scrambled around him for a takedown and a 2-1 lead with :30 on the clock. Trailing 2-1, Maruca chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-2 tie. Berge got hit for a stall warning at the :35 mark as the duo battled on their feet in the middle of the mat. Tied 2-2, Berge chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-2 lead. Berge nearly connected on a counter takedown with 1:10 left, but Maruca was able to slip out of trouble and the match continued on with Berge leading 3-2. Berge dodged another Maruca shot, countered, and picked up a second takedown to lead 5-3 with :20 left in the bout. The Lion gave up a stall point and then held on for a hard-fought 5-4 win.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, met No. 16 Christian Pagdilao. Nolf scored quickly, taking the ranked Sun Devil down for a 2-1 lead just :40 into the bout. The Lion then reeled off two quick takedowns and led 6-3 at the 1:15 mark. Nolf then blew through a fast low double, forced a brief scramble, and picked up his fourth takedown to lead 8-3 with :18 on the clock. The Lion then rode Pagdilao out to lead 8-3 after the first period. Pagdilao chose down to start the second period and Nolf put together a dominant ride, building up 1:38 in riding time before cutting the Sun Devil loose to an 8-4 lead. Pagdilao forced a scramble with a low shot and Nolf countered for a takedown of his own to lead 10-4 with 1:58 in riding time after two periods. Nolf chose down to start the third period and deftly scrambled his way to an escape and an 11-4 lead. The Lion senior continued to shoot and took Pagdilao down again with :50 on the clock. Nolf cut the Devil loose and then locked his shoulders between his legs, got the takedown and two near fall points as the period ended. A riding time point thanks to a 2:03 advantage gave Nolf a strong 18-5 major decision.

165: Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, took on No. 5 Josh Shields in a key match-up at 165. The duo battled evenly for a minute, with neither wrestler breaking through the other's defense. Joseph gained control of Shields' ankle, worked his way to a wild takedown on the edge of the mat, using leverage and his legs to turn the Sun Devil for four back points at the 1:16 mark. The move gave Joseph a 6-0 lead. Shields tried to work his way free of Joseph's ride off a reset, but the Lion controlled the Sun Devil junior until the :05 mark to lead 6-1 with 1:18 in time after one period. Joseph chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 7-1 lead. Joseph continued to look to score, forcing Shields into defense for the bulk of the second period. The Lion fought off a solid Shields shot at the end of the period and carried that lead, with 1:14 in time, into the third period. Shields chose down to start the third period and Joseph cut him loose to a 7-2 score with 1:42 left. Shields got hit for a first stall warning with 1:20 on the clock. Joseph picked up a stall point and then capped off the dominating major with a final takedown. A 1:38 riding time edge gave Joseph the 11-2 major over fifth-ranked Shields.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 2 at 174, took on No. 1 Zahid Valencia in a rematch of two thrilling NCAA tournament battles from 2017 and 2018. The duo battled evenly for the opening minute-plus, working in the middle of the mat on the Nittany Lion logo. They battled to a stalemate on their feet at the 1:15 mark with the bout scoreless with each man looking for an opening to score. The duo battled for the remainder of the period without scoring and the bout moved to the second stanza tied 0-0. Hall chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Hall fought off a Valencia high single at the 1:20 mark, scrambling his way into control of the Sun Devil and rolling through for a takedown and 3-0 lead at the :50 mark, bringing nearly 7,000 Rec Hall faithful to their feet. Hall spent the remainder of the period looking to turn Valencia and, while not getting a near fall, finished off the rideout to lead 3-0 with a :41 riding time edge after two periods. Valencia chose down to start the third period and Hall controlled him front the top position again, building up over 1:00 in riding time in the process. The Lion junior continued his ride deep into the third period. He worked his way into a chance to turn Valencia but only got a quick one count at the :40 mark. Hall finished the match off on top and rolled to a dominating 4-0 win with 2:41 in riding time.

184: Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 4 at 184, met Kordell Norfleet. Rasheed was steady to start, taking his time and finding the right spot on the edge of the mat to connect on a low single with 1:41 left. Leading 2-0, Rasheed spent the next minute-plus looking for a chance to turn the Sun Devil wrestler to his back. While not finishing off a cradle, Rasheed finished on top and led 2-0 with 1:41 in time after one period. Rasheed chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. He then quickly turned in on a single and upped his lead to 5-0 with another takedown at the 1:40 mark. Rasheed picked up a riding time point and then began looking to lock up a cradle. A third stall gave Rasheed a 7-0 lead with 3:8 in riding time after two periods. Norfleet chose neutral to start the third period, tried to connect on a low shot, only to have Rasheed roll behind him for another takedown and a 9-0 lead. He upped his lead to 10-0 on another stall, picked up four near fall points at the 1:02 mark and finished on top to post a 15-0 technical fall (with the 4:58 riding time point) at the 7:00 mark.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, faced off against ASU's Austyn Harris. Nickal wasted no time adding to the Lion lead. Nickal spent just 0:30 on his feet before locking Harris up, turning him quickly to his back and getting the fast fall at the 0:35 mark.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 5 at 285, met Sun Devil Brady Daniel. Cassar took Daniel down early, opening up a 2-0 lead just over 0:30 into the bout. The Lion senior built up a solid riding time edge, controlling the action from the top position and then working arm control into a turn. Cassar picked up the four count and led 6-0 at the 1:07 mark. Daniel escaped to a 6-1 score with :30 on the clock and Cassar led 6-1 with 1:51 in time after one. Cassar chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 7-1 lead. He then worked his way through a low shot for a scrambling takedown and a 9-1 lead with 1:30 left in the middle stanza. The Lion senior dominated the action from the top position, forcing Daniel into a first stall warning as his time advantage inched closer to 3:00. He cut the Sun Devil big man loose with :35 on the clock and immediately took him down again to up his lead to 11-2. Trailing 11-2, Daniel chose neutral to start the third period and Cassar made him pay for the decision. The Lion senior moved in quickly, picked Daniel up and tossed him to his back. A quick reset on top and Cassar posted the fall at the 5:18 mark.

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## #1 PENN STATE at SOUTHERN SCUFFLE Jan. 1-2, 2019 -- Chattanooga, Tenn.

### TEAM SCORES (top 3):

- 1: PENN STATE – 216.5
- 2: Oklahoma State – 188.5
- 3: Iowa State – 104.0

No. 1 Penn State (4-0, 0-0 B1G) won the 2019 Southern Scuffle in Chattanooga, Tenn. Head coach Cael Sanderson's Nittany Lions won the team title with a tournament record scoring total to outdistance second place Oklahoma State. The championship is Penn State's eighth in its last eight trips to the tournament. The two-day event started yesterday and concluded tonight in UT-Chattanooga's McKenzie Arena. The Nittany Lions rolled to the team title thanks to crowning six champions. One of those champions became Penn State's all-time pins leader in the process of winning his title and another pinned his way to the crown and another Outstanding Wrestler Award. Twelve of Penn State's 18 entrants at the event placed. The Nittany Lions' team point total of 216.5 is a new Southern Scuffle record as well, crushing the old mark of 198.0 held by Oklahoma State (Penn State had 197.0 during last year's title run). There have been 15 Southern Scuffle's held. Penn State has won it eight times.

Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, won his first Southern Scuffle Championships. He met Lock Haven's Kyle Shoop in the semis and dominated the Bald Eagle veteran, rolling to an 18-4 major decision to advance to the Scuffle finals. In the finals, he met talented Stanford redshirt Real Woods and came away with a hard-fought 6-3 win the title. Lee went 4-0 with a pin and four majors to claim the crown. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, won his third Southern Scuffle title. He pinned Stanford's Dom Mandarino in the semifinals at the 5:22 mark. The fall was the 54th of Nolf's career, setting a new Penn State all-time record for career pins (breaking the old mark of 53 held by Zain Retherford, David Taylor and Josh Moore). He moved into the finals where he met sophomore teammate Bo Pipher (Paonia, Colo.).

Pipher, wrestling unseeded, advanced to the finals by pinning Ohio's Zac Carson at the 6:21 mark, advancing to the finals with his fourth straight win of the tournament. In the finals, Nolf ended the match quickly, rolling up three four-point near falls to post a 16-1 technical fall at the 2:11 mark. Nolf ends the tourney with a 5-0 record with three pins a tech and a major. He leaves Chattanooga with a new school-record 54 career pins and 99 career wins. Pipher was outstanding at 157, going 4-1 with a tech and a pin to reach the finals and placed second as an unseeded grappler. Pipher started his outstanding tournament run yesterday with a tech fall over the nation's 16th-ranked wrestler, Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, won his second straight Scuffle crown. He dominated No. 20 Jesse Dellavechia of Rider in the semifinals, rolling to a 15-5 major decision to advance to the Scuffle championship. In the finals, he met No. 3 Chance Marsteller of Lock Haven the top-ranked Lion batted his way to a 6-5 win for the title. Joseph went 5-0 with a major and two pins during his tournament run.

Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, brought home his third straight Scuffle title. He took on No. 19 Matt Finesilver of Duke in the semifinals and dominated the Blue Devil, rolling to a 6-0 win with nearly 4:00 of riding time. He took on Oklahoma State's Joe Smith in the finals and won a thrilling battle with the two-time All-American Cowboy. Hall and Smith were tied 1-1 late when Hall nailed a quick takedown and immediately locked up a cradle for two quick near fall points, all with less than :20 in the bout. Hall's late fireworks gave him the 5-1 win and his third Southern Scuffle championship. Hall went 5-0 during the tournament with a major and two tech falls. Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 3 at 184, won his second Scuffle crown and his first at 184. He made quick work of No. 17 Sam Colbray of Iowa State in the semifinals, pinning the Cyclone in just 0:45 to advance to the finals. Rasheed, last year's Scuffle champ and OW at 197, met Virginia Tech's Hunter Bolen in the championship finals and walked away with a solid 4-1 win. The victory gave Rasheed his second straight Scuffle crown. Rasheed went 4-0 overall with two majors and a pin. He also had a win over a non-collegiate grappler, which does not count towards his record.

Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, pinned his way to his third Scuffle title. Fresh off winning his 100th career bout to cap off day one, Nickal continued his torrid pace, pinning No. 15 Tom Sleigh of Virginia Tech in the semifinals to start day two. Nickal's fourth fall in as many matches came at the 1:12 mark and moved the Lion senior into the Scuffle finals where he met Stanford's Nathan Traxler. Nickal completed the quest to pin his way to the Scuffle title by getting the fall over Traxler at the 2:09 mark, winning his third Scuffle title. Nickal went 5-0, all pins, with four in the first period and one in the second. He leaves Chattanooga with 102 career victories and 50 career pins. Nickal also won his second Scuffle Outstanding Wrestler honor as well as the Gorriaran Award for most pins in the least time (five in 10:32). Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 5 at 285, advanced to the Scuffle finals and placed second. He met No. 16 Matt Voss of George Mason in the semifinals and controlled the action from start to finish, posting a 14-6 major, his fourth in as many bouts, to move to the 2019 Scuffle title bout. In the finals, he met No. 3 Derek White of Oklahoma State and could not overcome a first period White takedown, dropping a hard-fought 3-2 decision to the third-ranked Cowboy. Cassar went 4-1 in his first Scuffle at 285 with four majors, taking second place.

True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 15 at 133, took third at his first Southern Scuffle. He faced No. 10 Austin Gomez of Iowa State in the semifinals and opened up a big lead with a dominant first period. However, leading 8-3 in the second, the Lion true freshman got caught on the edge of the mat and turned for a fast pin at the 3:57 mark. Bravo-Young rebound with a strong 11-4 win over Stanford's Mason

Pengilly in the conso semis and then dominated No. 20 Sean Nickell of Cal Bakersfield in the third place match, rolling to a 10-1 major. Bravo-Young went 5-1 and placed third as the third seed. Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 10 at 149, placed third at 285 as well. The Lion freshman met No. 6 Mitch Finesilver in the semifinals and, while notching the only takedown of the bout, dropped a hard-fought 3-2 decision on riding time. Berge faced yet another top ten foe in the consolation semis and was outstanding, posting a 7-4 win over No. 7 Jarrett Degan of Iowa State. The win propelled him into the third place bout where he downed Requir Van der Merwe of Stanford 5-2 for the bronze. Berge, the fourth-seed, went 6-1 with two majors to finish third at his first Scuffle appearance.

Senior Nick Nevills (Clovis, Calif.) worked his way to a third place finish at the Scuffle. He met Oklahoma State's Derek White, ranked No. 3 nationally, in the semifinals and lost a hard-fought 4-0 decision. He moved to the consolation semifinals where dominated No. 7 Billy Miller of Virginia Tech, controlling the bout from the start and posting an 8-0 major. He took on No. 16 Matt Voss of George Mason for third and posted a 2-1 win. Nevills ended his tournament with a 5-1 mark, including a major, a tech and a fall. Redshirt freshman Mason Marville (Lorton, Va.) placed at 165 as well, taking seventh as an unseeded wrestler. Marville dominated Columbia's Laurence Kosoy 7-2 in his first conso bout on day two, guaranteeing a place at the Scuffle. He then dropped a hard-fought 8-7 decision to Duke Zach Finesilver in the consolation quarterfinals. He took on Tanner Skidgel of Navy in the seventh place bout and earned an 8-4 win. Marville posted a 4-2 mark with a major during his Scuffle weekend.

Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) went 2-2 at 149. He met Appalachian State's Matt Zovistoski in his first consolation bout of day two and, while leading by one late, gave up a late takedown and then a fall with just one second left to end his tournament. Unattached true freshman Brody Teske (Duncombe, Iowa) went 2-1 on day one, losing in the quarterfinals. The first-year 125-pounder took a medical forfeit (not a loss) in his first consolation bout and did not compete on day two. Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litzitz, Pa.) went 1-2 with a major at 125 for Penn State. Sophomore 149-pounder Luke Gardner (Pottsville, Pa.), junior 141-pounder Dominic Giannangeli (Murrysville, Pa.) and junior 184-pounder Francisco Bisono (Hauppauge, N.Y.) all competed during day one of the event as well.

Penn State won the team title with 216.5 points, a new Southern Scuffle team scoring record. The Nittany Lions went 63-18 overall, including day one's 41-11 mark. Penn State collected 40 bonus wins off 20 majors, six tech falls and 14 pins. The Nittany Lions won their eighth Scuffle title in their last eight trips to the event and set a new tournament scoring record (216.5). Penn State has had the tournament's last four Outstanding Wrestlers: Bo Nickal in 2016, Mark Hall in 2017, Shakur Rasheed in 2018 and Nickal again this year. Ed Ruth (2010) and David Taylor (2012) have also won Scuffle OW honors. Nickal's Gorriaran Award is Penn State's second straight as well. Jason Nolf won last year's Gorriaran as well.

Weight-by-weight agate (rankings listed InterMat as of 12/25/18)

125: Devin Schnupp, So.  
Rd. 1: Antonio Mininno, Drexel – W, 13-5 maj.  
Rd. 2: #17 Rico Montoya, Northern Colorado – L, 0-17 (TF; 4:12)  
Cn. 3: Aslan Klic, Navy – L, 6-7 dec.

125: Brody Teske, Fr. (UNATTACHED)  
Rd. 1: Paxton Rosen, Campbell – W, 6-3 dec.  
Rd. 2: Shakur Laney, Ohio – W, 4-3 dec.  
Qtrs: Luke Werner, Lock Haven – L, 0-15 (TF; 5:33)  
Cn. 4: Med forfeit (not a loss)

133: #15 Roman Bravo-Young, Fr.  
Rd. 1: Dalton Young, Stanford – W, 4-3 dec.  
Rd. 2: Nick Faro, Lehigh – W, 4-1 dec.  
Qtrs: Collin Gerardi, Virginia Tech – W, 8-6 (sv)  
Semis: #10 Austin Gomez, Iowa State – LBF (3:57)  
Cn. S: Mason Pengilly, Stanford – W, 11-4 dec.  
3rd: #20 Sean Nickell, Cal Bakersfield – W, 10-1 maj.

141: #4 Nick Lee, So.  
Rd. 1: Julian Flores, Drexel – WBF (4:14)  
Rd. 2: Carmine Ciotti, Edinboro – W, 15-4 maj.  
Rd. 3: Aiden Murphy, Chattanooga – W, 12-4 maj.  
Qtrs: Cole Matthews, Pittsburgh – W, 11-3 maj.  
Semis: Kyle Shoop, Lock Haven – W, 18-4 maj, dec.  
Finals: Real Woods, Stanford – W, 6-3 dec.

Dominic Giannangeli, Jr.  
Rd. 1: Anthony Sparacio, Binghamton – L, 4-7 dec.  
Cn. 1: Connor Ward, NON-COL – W, 7-2 dec.  
Cn. 2: Carmine Ciotti, Edinboro – L, 0-6

149: #10 Brady Berge, Fr.  
Rd. 1: Frankie Gissendanner, Rider – W, 12-4 maj.  
Rd. 2: Dusty Hone, Oklahoma State – W, 4-2 dec.  
Rd. 3: Alec Hagan, Ohio – W, 12-3 maj.  
Qtrs: #17 Jared Prince, Navy – W, 4-3 dec.  
Semis: #6 Mitch Finesilver, Duke – L, 2-3 dec.  
Cn. S: #7 Jarrett Degan, Iowa State – W, 7-4 dec.  
3rd: Requir Van der Merwe, Stanford – W, 5-2 dec.

149: Jarod Verkleeren, Fr.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Rd. 2: Wyatt Sladek, Campbell – W, 24-9 (TF; 4:40)  
Rd. 3: Alec Opsal, Air Force – W, 17-6 maj.  
Qtrs: #12 Kaden Gfeller, Oklahoma State – L, 2-3  
Cn. 4: Matt Zovistoski, Appalachian State – LBF (6:59)

149: Luke Gardner, Fr.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Rd. 2: Matt Zovistoski, Appalachian State – L, 3-6 dec.  
Cn. 1: bye  
Cn. 2: Gary Dinmore, Rider – L, 4-6 dec.

157: #1 Jason Nolf, Sr.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Rd. 2: Jared Hill, Stanford – WBF (1:21)  
Rd. 3: William Formato, Appalachian State – WBF (4:07)  
Qtrs: Jonce Blaylock, Oklahoma State – W, 21-7 maj, dec.  
Semis: Dom Mandarino, Stanford – WBF (5:22)  
Finals: Bo Pipher, Penn State – W, 16-1 (TF; 2:11)

157: Bo Pipher, So.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Rd. 2: #14 Dan Reed, Columbia – W, 16-0 (TF; 3:00)  
Rd. 3: Chase Straw, Iowa State – W, 5-3 dec.  
Qtrs: Ben Anderson, Duke – W, 5-3 dec.  
Semis: Zac Carson, Ohio – WBF (6:21)  
Finals: #1 Jason Nolf, Penn State – L, 1-16 (TF; 2:11)

165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph, Jr.  
Rd. 1: Michael Ferree, Campbell – WBF (2:07)  
Rd. 2: Joey Mazzara, North Carolina State – WBF (4:40)  
Qtrs: Shane Griffith, Stanford – W, 6-4 dec.  
Semis: #20 Jesse Dellavechia, Rider – W, 15-5 dec.  
Finals: #3 Chance Marsteller, Lock Haven – W, 6-5 dec.

165: Mason Marville, Fr.  
Rd. 1: Trey Watson, Chattanooga – W, 12-3 maj.  
Rd. 2: Tanner Skidgel, Navy – W, 6-2 dec.  
Qtrs: #3 Chance Marsteller, Lock Haven – L, 2-4 dec.  
Cn. 4: Laurence Kosoy, Columbia – W, 7-2 dec.  
Cn. Q: Zach Finesilver, Duke – L, 7-8 dec.  
7th: Tanner Skidgel, Navy – W, 8-4 dec.

174: #1 Mark Hall  
Rd. 1: Logan Stanley, Ohio – W, 17-2 (TF; 6:07)  
Rd. 2: Cody Hughes, Virginia Tech – W, 22-7 (TF; 6:36)  
Qtrs: Marcus Coleman, Iowa State – W, 14-4 maj.  
Semis: #19 Matt Finesilver, Duke – W, 6-0 dec.  
Finals: Joe Smith, Oklahoma State – W, 5-1 dec.

184: #3 Shakur Rasheed, Sr.  
Rd. 1: bye  
Rd. 2: Jonathan Loew, NON-COL (does not count on record) – W, 12-2 maj, dec.  
Rd. 3: Joel Shapiro, Iowa State – W, 13-1 maj.  
Qtrs: Hunter Yeargan, Ohio – W, 11-0 maj.  
Semis: #17 Sam Colbray, Iowa State – WBF (0:45)  
Finals: Hunter Bolen, Virginia Tech – W, 4-1 dec.

184: Francisco Bisono, Jr.  
Rd. 1: Chris Weiler, Lehigh – L, 6-15 maj.  
Cn. 1: Bear Hughes, Oklahoma State – L, 4-6 (sv)

197: #1 Bo Nickal, Sr.  
Rd. 1: Tyrice Houghton, North Carolina State – WBF (3:49)  
Rd. 2: Luke McGonigal, Lock Haven – WBF (1:34)  
Qtrs: Josh Roestman, Navy – WBF (1:47)  
Semis: #15 Tom Sleigh, Virginia Tech – WBF (1:12)  
Finals: Nathan Traxler, Stanford – WBF (2:09)

285: #5 Anthony Cassar, Sr.  
Rd. 1: Jordan Earnest, Ohio – W, 18-4 maj.  
Rd. 2: Ryan Colan, Rider – W, 16-4 maj.  
Qtrs: Gannon Gremmel, Iowa State – W, 16-5 maj.  
Semis: #16 Matt Voss, George Mason – W, 14-6 maj.  
Finals: #3 Derek White, Oklahoma State – L, 2-3 dec.

285: Nick Nevills, Sr.  
Rd. 1: James Brady, Rider – WBF (4:09)  
Rd. 2: John Borst, Virginia Tech – W, 20-5 (TF; 7:00)  
Qtrs: #17 Joey Goodhart, Drexel – W, 7-1 dec.  
Semis: #3 Derek White, Oklahoma State – L, 0-4 dec.  
Cn. S: #7 Billy Miller, Virginia Tech – W, 8-0 maj.  
3rd: #16 Matt Voss, George Mason – W, 2-1 dec.

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## #1 PENN STATE 33, #11 NORTHWESTERN 8 Friday, Jan. 11, 2019 -- Evanston, Ill.

125: #1 Sebastian Rivera NU tech fall Devin Schnupp PSU, 18-2 (TF; 2:53)	0-5
133: #14 Roman Bravo-Young PSU dec. Colin Valdiviez NU, 15-9	3-5
141: #4 Nick Lee PSU maj. dec. Alex McKenna NU, 16-6	7-5
149: #9 Brady Berge PSU maj. dec. Shayne Oster NU, 19-7	11-5
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU maj. dec. #3 Ryan Deakin NU, 19-7	15-5
165: Tyler Moreland NU dec. Bo Pipher PSU, 11-9	15-8
174: #1 Mark Hall PSU dec. Johnny Sebastian NU, 10-4	18-8
184: #3 Shakur Rasheed PSU tech fall Brendan Devine NU, 18-2 (TF; 3:59)	23-8
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU pinned Zack Chakonis NU, WBF (6:12)	29-8
285: #4 Anthony Cassar PSU maj. dec. #19 Conan Jennings NU, 12-3	33-8
Attendance: 1,810	

No. 1 Penn State (5-0, 1-0 B1G) opened up Big Ten dual meet action with a convincing win at No. 11 Northwestern (2-5, 0-2 B1G) on Friday night. The Nitrary Lions, under the direction of veteran head coach Cael Sanderson, rolled to a 33-8 victory for their 50th straight dual meet win.

Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.) hit the 100-career win mark with a 19-7 victory over No. 3 Ryan Deakin of Northwestern at 157. Nolf had eight takedowns in the marquee match-up, with all of Deakin's points coming via escape.

The dual began at where sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) took on No. 1 Sebastian Rivera of Northwestern to start the dual meet. Rivera posted a strong 18-2 technical fall at the 2:53 mark to give Northwestern an early 5-0 lead. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 14 at 133, posted a 15-9 win over NU's Colin Valdiviez to cut the lead to 5-3 and then sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, rolled to a 16-6 major over Alex McKenna to put Penn State on top 7-5.

Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 9 at 149, rolled up nine takedowns in a strong 19-7 major over junior Shayne Oster to put the Nitrary Lions up 11-5. Nolf closed out the first half by picking up his 100th career win with a dominating 19-7 major over No.3 Deakin at 157. Nolf's career milestone sent Penn State into intermission leading 15-5.

Sophomore Bo Pipher (Paonia, Colo.) moved up a weight to 165 to step in for top-ranked Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.) who did not wrestle. Pipher dropped a hard-fought 11-9 decision to Tyler Moreland, having a late comeback fall just short. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, took care of Wildcat Senior Johnny Sebastian, scoring the only takedowns in a strong 10-4 win. Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 3 at 184, rolled up three first period turns as he posted an 18-2 technical fall over Brendan Devin, getting the final takedown midway through the second period at the 3:59 mark.

Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, notched his 51st career pin, and his team-leading 10th of the year, with a fall over Zack Chakonis at the 6:12 mark. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, closed out the dual by dominating No. 19 Conan Jennings, collecting five takedowns in a dominating 12-3 major over the ranked Wildcat. Cassar's capstone win made finished off Penn State's impressive 33-8 victory.

Penn State had 51 takedowns in the bout, rolling to a 51-7 lead. The Nitrary Lions won eight of ten bouts, marking the first time all year Penn State lost more than one match in a dual. Penn State picked up nine bonus points off a pin (Nickal), a tech fall (Rasheed) and four majors (Lee, Berge, Nolf, Cassar). Penn State has now outscored its first five dual meet opponents 210-17 and has a stunning 132-12 takedown advantage in those duals.

### BOU-T-BY-BOU-T:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) took to the mat for Penn State to take on No. 1 Sebastian Rivera of Northwestern. Rivera scored quickly, taking Schnupp down at the 2:40 mark to open up an early lead. Rivera then turned Schnupp for four back points to take a 6-0 lead. He then turned Schnupp for four more points and cut him loose to a 10-1 score. Rivera notched another takedown, Schnupp escaped and Rivera took him down again. He finished off the tech fall with another turn and posted the 18-2 win at the 2:53 mark.

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 14 at 133, met Colin Valdiviez. Bravo-Young quickly took Valdiviez down to open up an early 2-1 lead. The Lion added a second takedown and cut the Wildcat loose to a 4-2 score. He then quickly notched a third takedown to open up a 6-3 lead and finished the first period on top with a fourth takedown. The period ended with Bravo-Young on top but a reversal was awarded to Valdiviez. Penn State challenged the call but it was confirmed and Bravo-Young led 8-5 after one. Valdiviez chose down to start the second period and escaped, but Bravo-Young quickly took him down to lead 10-7 at the 1:10 mark. Bravo-Young's offense was relentless and he notched his sixth takedown to lead 12-7 with :30 on the clock. Valdiviez escaped with :12 on the clock and Bravo-Young led 12-8 after two. The Lion chose neutral to start the final period and pushed the score to 14-9 with :30 left with another takedown. Nearly 3:00 in riding time gave Bravo-Young the extra point and a 15-9 win.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, took on Northwestern's Alec McKenna. Lee scored quickly, notching a first takedown to open up an early lead. He cut McKenna loose and quickly took him down again to lead 4-2. Lee scored just seconds later to up his margin to 6-2 with 1:05 on the clock. Lee maintained control for the rest of the period and led 6-2 with nearly 2:00 in riding time after one. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly turned the tables on McKenna for a reversal and an 8-2 lead. He cut McKenna loose and then notched his fourth takedown at the 1:00 mark. After cutting McKenna loose, he quickly took him down again and led 12-4 with :40 left in the period. Lee finished in control, picking up a stall point along the way, to lead 13-4 with 2:49 in time after two. McKenna chose down to start the third period and Lee notched two takedowns to open up a 15-6 lead. He tacked another point with 2:42 to post the 16-6 major.

149: Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 9 at 149, met Wildcat junior Shane Oster. Berge continued Penn State's strong offense, rolling up two quick takedowns to open up an early 4-2 lead. The Lion freshman continued to pressure Oster and he pushed his lead up to 8-4 with :20 left. Not satisfied, the Lion freshman then finished off a fifth takedown with a low double to lead 10-4 with nearly

1:30 in riding time after the opening period. Oster chose down to start the second period and escaped, only to quickly be taken down again by Berge. Berge cut Oster loose with 1:10 on the clock and then finished off a seventh takedown with :20 on the clock to lead 14-6 with over 2:00 in time after two periods. Berge chose neutral to start the third period. He took Oster down and led 16-7, forced a stall warning, and then finished on top with a final takedown. With 2:59 in riding time added on, Berge rolled to the 19-7 major.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, met No. 3 Ryan Deakin in one of the dual's most anticipated match-ups. Nolf quickly established a lead, notching two takedowns in just :40 to lead 4-2 before a minute had passed. Nolf was consistently on attack, notching a third takedown at the 1:30 mark and then a fourth with just 1:05 left in the period. Nolf picked up his fifth takedown with a swift low double with just seconds left and led 10-4 after one. Deakin chose down to start the second period and Nolf let up him to a 10-5 score. Nolf then quickly blitzed in for another takedown to lead 12-5 with 1:30 on the clock. Nolf cut Deakin loose a sixth time with 1:10 on the clock and then quickly turned a low double into another takedown and a 14-6 lead with 1:00 left in the period. He added another takedown with :20 left and finished on top to lead 16-7 with 1:33 in time after two. Nolf chose down to start the third period and forced a stall warning trying to escape. Deakin continued to stall on top, giving Nolf a point, and then a second stall point, to lead 18-7. Deakin was able to stall his way through control in the third period, giving yet another penalty point on a locked hands. Nolf's dominant performance gave the Lion a 19-7 major and his 100th career victory.

165: Sophomore Bo Pipher (Paonia, Colo.) moved up a weight to 165, stepping in for top ranked Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), who did not wrestle. Pipher battled Wildcat Tyler Moreland. Pipher countered an early Moreland shot, forcing a stalemate at the 2:10 mark. Moreland shot low and, after a short scramble, took a 2-0 lead with a takedown. Pipher escaped to a 2-1 score with 1:30 on the clock. Moreland notched a second takedown but locked his hands and Pipher trailed 4-3 after an escape with :35 on the clock. Leading 4-3, Moreland chose down to start the second period. Pipher was able to break the Wildcat down and maintain control until Moreland escaped at the 1:20 mark. Moreland notched a third takedown to lead 7-4 after a Pipher escape and action resumed in the center of the mat. Moreland finished on top with another double leg takedown and led 9-4 after two. Pipher chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 9-5 score. Pipher then blew through a strong high shot for his first takedown and trailed 10-7 after cutting Moreland loose. Pipher battled for another takedown with :40 left, cut Moreland loose and began looking for a tying takedown with :15 left to wrestle. Moreland gave up a stall warning as he moved away and Pipher's late comeback fell just short with Moreland posting an 11-9 win.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, battled senior Johnny Sebastian. Hall worked the middle of the mat as he looked for shoulder control early on. Hall then shot low on the edge of the mat to post his first takedown at the 1:04 mark to lead 2-0. Hall then controlled the action for the rest of the period to lead 2-0 with over 1:00 in riding time after the opening stanza. Leading by two, Hall chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. Hall then worked Sebastian's head to the mat, moved around and picked up a second takedown to lead 5-0 with :40 on the clock. He once again finished on top and led 5-0 with 1:53 in riding time after two periods. Sebastian chose down to start the third period and Hall cut him loose to a 5-1 score. Hall gave up a penalty point on hands to the face. He forced a scramble on the edge of the mat and appeared to have a takedown but the call was not made. The officials huddled quickly and went to review where the takedown was awarded, giving Hall a 7-2 lead with a clinched riding time point. Sebastian escaped with :50 on the clock. Hall added one final takedown and, with 2:17 in time, posted the 10-4 decision.

184: Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 3 at 184, took on freshman Brendan Devine. Rasheed wasted no time in opening up a big lead. The Lion took Devine down just seconds into the bout and cut him loose quickly. He picked up a quick second takedown to lead 4-1 and then went to work on top. A two-on-one tilt led to a four-count and an 8-1 lead with 1:20 left in the period. He turned him again for two back points and led 10-1 with :45 on the clock. He cut Devine loose, quickly took him down with :20 left and turned him for four more points to lead 16-2 after one period. Rasheed chose neutral to start the second period and ended the bout with a takedown, posting the 18-2 tech fall at the 3:59 mark.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, faced off against NU's Zack Chakonis. Nickal took a 2-0 lead with a takedown at the 2:31 mark, cut Chakonis loose, took him down a second time and let him loose again to lead 4-2 with 2:05 on the clock. Nickal picked up his third takedown with 1:35 on the clock and then his fourth with :45 left. He then finished in control with a strong rideout and led 8-3 with 1:30 in riding time after the opening period. Chakonis chose down to start the second period and Nickal controlled the Wildcat on top, looking for a way to turn him for back points or a pin. Nickal picked up a stall point as Chakonis laid belled out in the middle of the mat. Nickal finished on top and led 9-3 with 3:30 in time after two. Nickal chose neutral to start the third period, with the riding time point clinched. Nickal quickly took Chakonis down and turned him for four back points to lead 16-4 after Chakonis got called for a penalty point. Nickal then ended the match. He took Chakonis down as the Wildcat backed off the mat again, locked up a cradle and picked up his 10th pin of the year at the 6:12 mark.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Ricky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, battled No. 19 Conan Jennings in a battle of ranked big men. Cassar was steady in the middle of the mat and found an opening midway through the opening period. The Lion senior picked up the bigger Wildcat, lifted him off the mat and took him down for a thunderous takedown at the 1:20 mark to take a 2-0 lead. Jennings escaped with :35 on the clock but Cassar was undaunted, roaring through a fast double to finish with a takedown as time expired. Leading 4-1, Cassar chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. The Lion controlled the action in the second period, working his offense and finishing off a solid takedown with :20 on the clock. He rode Jennings out and led 7-1 with 1:05 in riding time after two periods. Trailing by six, Jennings chose neutral to start the final period. Cassar's offense continued however, and the Lion used a high single to notch another takedown and lead 9-2 with 1:00 left to wrestle. After cutting Jennings loose, Cassar finished with a final strong takedown and, with 1:33 in riding time, rolled to a 12-3 major.

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# RECAPS

## #1 PENN STATE 24, #19 WISCONSIN 13 Sunday, Jan. 13, 2019 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: #15 Connor Brown WIS maj. dec. Devin Schnupp PSU, 18-9	0-4
133: #14 Roman Bravo-Young PSU maj. dec. Jens Lantz PSU, 12-4	4-4
141: Tristan Moran WIS dec. #4 Nick Lee PSU, 12-10 (sv2)	4-7
149: Cole Martin WIS dec. #9 Brady Berge PSU, 8-7	4-10
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU tech fall Devin Bahr WIS, 25-10 (TF; 6:37)	9-10
165: #3 Evan Wick WIS dec. Mason Manville PSU, 6-1	9-13
174: #1 Mark Hall PSU tech fall Patrick Spray WIS, 24-5 (TF; 6:13)	14-13
184: #3 Shakur Rasheed WIS dec. Mason Reinhardt WIS, 5-0	17-13
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU maj. dec. Beau Breske WIS, 14-4	21-13
285: #4 Anthony Cassar PSU dec. #9 Trent Hillger WIS, 11-5	24-13

Attendance: 6,589 (45th straight Rec hall sellout; 49th of 51 including 4 of 6 in BJC)

No. 1 Penn State (6-0, 2-0 B1G) defeated No. 19 Wisconsin (6-3, 1-3 B1G) in a Big Ten home dual on Sunday. Nearly 6,600 fans watched in sold out Rec Hall as Penn State took down the Badgers 24-13 to remain unbeaten on the year. Penn State, which trailed at the midway point of a dual for the first time all year, came back on the shoulders of four straight victories to win its 51st straight dual meet. The final four Nittany Lions to wrestled outscored their Badger opponents by a combined score of 54-14, with all 14 Wisconsin points coming via escape.

The dual began at 125 where Penn State sophomore took on No. 15 Connor Brown of Wisconsin. Schnupp may have lost the match 18-9, but he thrilled the Rec Hall crowd in a match that featured seven reversals, three for the Lion sophomore. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 14 at 133, tied the dual at 4-4 with a dominating 12-4 major over Wisconsin senior Jens Lantz. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, suffered his first loss of the season in a hard-fought 12-10 (sv2) bout to Wisconsin Tristan Moran. Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 9 at 149, also suffered a tough loss as Wisconsin junior Cole Martin used a late takedown to secure an 8-7 upset win to push Wisconsin out to a 10-9 lead. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, moved Penn State closer at the break, notching a dominant 25-10 tech fall over Devin Bahr at the 6:37 mark. Nolf's big win sent Penn State into the halftime lockerroom trailing for the first time all season, 10-9.

Redshirt freshman Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) made his Penn State dual meet debut at 165, stepping up for No. 1 Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.) who did not wrestle once again. Manville battled Wick tough but the third-ranked Badger posted a hard-fought 6-1 win to push Wisconsin's lead to 13-9. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, gave Penn State its first lead of the dual with a dominant 24-5 technical fall over Patrick Spray, ending the match at the 6:13 mark. It was a lead that Penn State would not relinquish. Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 3 at 184, pushed Penn State's lead to 17-3 with a 5-0 shutout win over Badger Mason Reinhardt. Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, clinched the dual meet with a dominant 14-4 major over UW's Beau Breske, putting Penn State up 21-13. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, capped off the strong Lion finish by dominating No. 9 Trent Hillger. Cassar notched the bout's only takedowns, five, and rolled to an 11-5 win to ice Penn State's 24-13 dual meet victory. Penn State owned a lopsided 38-8 takedown advantage over Wisconsin. The Lions dropped four bouts in a dual for the first time all year but collected six bonus points off two tech falls (Nolf, Hall) and two majors (Bravo-Young, Nickal).

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litzell, Pa.) got the call for Penn State and took on No. 15 Connor Brown. Schnupp came out and got in on a high single right way but Brown countered, forcing a scramble in the middle of the mat. Schnupp continued to battle but Brown worked his way through the scramble for a takedown and a 2-0 lead at the 1:40 mark. Schnupp fought off a slight cradle attempt by Brown but could not break free of the Badger's strong ride and Brown led 2-0 with 1:47 in riding time after the opening period. Leading by two, Brown chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 3-0 lead. He notched a takedown and led 5-1 after a Schnupp escape. Brown got in on a low single and Schnupp fought off the move for nearly 1:00 before rolling through for a takedown of his own, cutting the lead to 5-3 with :26 on the clock. Brown reversed Schnupp on the reset and then turned him for four back points to lead 11-3 after two periods. Schnupp chose down to start the third period and quickly reversed the ranked Badger to cut the lead to 11-5. Brown returned the reversal and then Schnupp did the same. Yet another reversal for Brown and the Badger led 15-7 with riding time. Schnupp once again reversed the Badger to cut the lead to 15-9 with :40 left. Brown finished off the match with a final reversal and won the thrilling bout 18-9 with 2:03 in riding time.

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 14 at 133, battled senior Jens Lantz. Bravo-Young scored quickly, taking the Wisconsin senior down on the edge of the mat. Bravo-Young built up a :48 riding time edge before the Badger escaped to a 2-1 score. Lantz shot low but Bravo-Young countered the shot to force a stalemate and force a reset with 1:15 on the clock. Bravo-Young continued to press on offense, keeping Lantz backing away from his shots. Bravo-Young forced a first stall and then finished on top with a late takedown to lead 4-1 after one. Lantz chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 4-2 score. Bravo-Young's quickness was too much as the Lion moved around a slight Lantz shot for another takedown and a 6-3 lead. The Lion freshman picked up his fourth takedown at the 1:10 mark and built his riding time edge up over 2:00 with a rideout, picking up a stall point on along the way. Leading 9-3 with 2:16 in time, Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the third period. He picked up a fifth takedown early in the final stanza and then countered another Lantz shot, forcing a stalemate while clinching the riding time point with :45 on the clock. The Lion freshman fought off a final Lantz shot and, with 2:19 in riding time, rolled to the 12-4 major.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 4 at 141, met junior Tristan Moran. Lee shot quickly off the starting whistle but Moran countered for the opening takedown and a 2-0 lead at the 2:30 mark. Moran gave up a penalty point on an illegal hold and then Lee tied the bout 2-2 with a quick escape on the reset. Lee shot again, Moran tried to counter but Lee worked his way to a takedown and a 4-2 lead with 1:30 on the clock. Lee went to work on top, looking for a chance to turn the Badger. Moran gave up a first stall warning while Lee worked for back points. Lee tried to turn Moran late in the period but the Badger worked for a reversal to tie the bout at 4-4 after one period. Moran chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-4 lead. Lee shot high on the Badger, finished off the takedown to lead 6-5 and then built his riding time edge to 1:23 before cutting him loose to a 6-6 tie. Lee shot low, initiating a late scramble but Moran fought off the move keep the bout tied. Tied 6-6 but with 1:24 in time to his favor, Lee chose down to start the second period. He deftly reversed the Badger to take an 8-6 lead but Wisconsin called for a review of the reversal. The called was upheld and Lee led 8-6 with 1:20 on the clock. Lee appeared to turn Moran for back points but no call was given. Moran escaped to an 8-7 score and Lee had the riding time point clinched. Lee took a low shot with :30 on the clock and Moran forced a scramble that

allowed the Badger to take a 9-8 lead. Lee's riding time pushed the match into sudden victory 9-9. The Lion sophomore shot low and but Moran fought off the move for a full :40. Penn State challenged the lack of a takedown call but it was confirmed and the match moved into a first tie-breaker. Moran chose down to start the first tie-breaker and quickly escaped to a 10-9 lead. Lee then chose down and quickly escaped to a 10-10 tie. The Lion shot low with :08 but time ran out and the bout moved into a second sudden victory. Moran quickly ended the bout with a fast takedown, sending Lee to his first loss of the year.

149: Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 9 at 149, met Badger junior Cole Martin. Berge scored quickly and led 2-1 after a Martin escape. The Lion freshman's offensive pressure led to a quick second takedown and Berge led 4-2 with :44 in riding time at the 1:30 mark. Berge continued to dominate the match on his feet, quickly taking Martin down again to lead 6-2. Berge worked to turn Martin but the Badger managed an escape to cut the lead to 6-3. Berge led 6-3 with 1:12 in riding time after one. Martin chose down to start the second period and Martin escaped to a 6-4 score. Berge took a low shot that Martin quickly countered, tying the score at 6-6 with a takedown at the :40 mark. Berge was unable to escape and the bout moved to the third period tied 6-6. Berge chose down to start the third period and steadily worked his way to a 7-6 lead at the 1:35 mark. Berge fought off a Martin shot at the :50 mark, another at the :40 mark but could not fight of a final shot at the :25 mark. Martin led 8-7 with :20 left and then rode Berge out for an 8-7 upset win.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, met Wisconsin's Devin Bahr. Nolf scored two seconds into the bout and led 2-1 after cutting Bahr loose. He moved out to a 4-1 lead with a second takedown, cut Bahr loose, and then blew through a third takedown to lead 6-2 at the 1:40 mark. The Lion senior added two more takedowns to lead 10-4 after the opening period. Bahr chose down to start the second period and Nolf cut him loose to a 10-5 score. Nolf's furious offense led to a sixth takedown and a 12-6 score. Nolf took Bahr down a seventh time and led 14-7 with :50 on the clock. Nolf took Bahr down once more and added two back points for an 18-7 lead with over 2:00 in riding time after the middle stanza. Bahr chose down to start the third period and Nolf cut him loose to an 18-8 score. Nolf took the Badger down again, cut him loose to a 20-9 score, and then upped his lead to 22-9 with 1:15 on the clock with a tenth takedown. Nolf took a 23-10 lead with a second stall and then ended the match with a final takedown for the 25-10 tech fall at the 6:37 mark.

165: Redshirt freshman Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) made his Penn State dual meet debut at 165, stepping in for No. 1 Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), who did not wrestle once again. Manville took on No. 3 Evan Wick of Wisconsin. Wick worked a low single into an early takedown to lead 2-0. Manville could not work his way out from a strong Wick ride until Wick cut him loose to a 2-1 score at the :55 mark. Manville immediately took a low shot after his escape but Wick countered for a second takedown and a 4-1 lead with :30 on the clock. Wick finished off the rideout and led 4-1 with 2:11 in time after one. Wick chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. Manville connected on a low single at the :55 mark but Wick was able to force a stalemate with :45 left in the period. Trailing 5-1, Manville chose neutral to start the third period. He worked Wick's shoulders down, forcing the Badger to play defense for the first half of the final period. The Lion forced Wick into a first stall with :50 left. Manville continued to look for an opening but Wick was able to stay clear of Manville's offense long enough to kill the clock. Wick posted the hard-fought 6-1 win.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, met Badger Patrick Spray. Hall took Spray down quickly to open up an early 2-1 lead. He then used a high single to force a scramble and steadily worked his way to a second takedown and a 4-1 lead with 1:58 on the clock. Hall built up a nice riding time edge with a strong ride and then turned Spray for four back points. He reset, and then turned the Badger once more before the period ended to lead 12-1 with over 2:00 in time after the opening stanza. Spray chose down to start the second period and Hall cut him loose to a 12-2 score. Hall then used shoulder control to force Spray down for another takedown and a 14-2 lead with 1:32 on the clock. Hall tripped Spray to the mat for a 16-3 lead with :25 on the clock and finished on top to carry that lead, and over 3:00 in riding time, into the third period. Looking for a potential pin, Hall chose top to start the third period. Hall let Spray loose after :30 and then took an 18-5 lead with another takedown. He then worked his way to control of Spray's shoulders, threw him to the mat and nearly finished off the pin. Spray managed to roll out of trouble but Hall's final takedown and four near fall points gave the Lion a 24-5 tech fall at the 6:13 mark.

184: Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 3 at 184, battled Mason Reinhardt. Rasheed countered an early Reinhardt shot, took the Badger down, and then worked to lock up a cradle on the edge of the mat. Reinhardt was able to move out of bounds, forcing a reset with Rasheed leading at the 1:59 mark. Rasheed continued to look for a chance to turn Reinhardt, building up a large riding time edge while dominating action from the top. Reinhardt was able to keep from being turned, but the Badger gave up a point with two stalls during the rideout. Leading 3-0 with nearly 3:00 in time, Rasheed chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 4-0 lead. Rasheed worked the middle of the mat but could not break through Reinhardt's defense and the lion led 4-0 with 2:39 in riding time after two periods. Reinhardt chose neutral to start the third period. Rasheed continued to look for his shots and kept Reinhardt backing away for the bulk of the third period. Rasheed countered a slight Reinhardt shot late and, with 2:39 in riding time, rolled to the 5-0 shutout win.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, met UW's Beau Breske. Nickal worked the first 80 seconds in the middle of the mat and broke through the Badger's defense for a takedown at the 1:25 mark to take a 2-1 lead. Breske got hit with a first stall and Nickal continued to circle, using a high single to take a 4-1 lead at the :50 mark. Nickal controlled the action with a strong ride and led 4-1 with over 1:00 in time after one period. Breske chose down to start the second stanza and Nickal cut him loose to a 4-2 score. Nickal picked up a fifth point on another Wisconsin stall and led 5-2 after two periods. Nickal chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 6-2 lead. Nickal opened up a 7-2 lead on another stall and then took Breske down to lead 9-2 with 1:20 on the clock. Nickal moved out to an 11-3 lead with :35 left on the clock. He cut Breske loose with :25 left and nearly finished off the match with a throw but the official stopped the action out of bounds. Nickal picked up a final takedown and, with the riding time point, rolled to a 14-4 major.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Ricky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, took on No. 9 Trent Hillger in a battle of ranked heavyweights. The ranked duo battled evenly for :45 seconds before Cassar connected on a low single to take a 2-0 lead. Hillger was able to escape quickly, cutting the lead to 2-1 with 1:50 on the clock and action resumed neutral in the center circle. Trailing 2-1, Hillger chose down to start the second period and worked his way to an escape and a 2-2 tie. Cassar continued to press on offense, however, and turned a low single into a second takedown and a 4-3 lead with 1:15 on the clock. Cassar used his quickness to slide behind Hillger for a third takedown and a 6-3 lead with :45 left in the period. Hillger was able to escape before the period and Cassar blazed through a late low shot to take the Badger down and lead 8-4 after two periods. Cassar chose neutral to start the third period. Hillger took a low shot but Cassar deftly countered for a fifth takedown and a 10-4 lead with 1:10 to wrestle. With over 1:00 in riding time, Cassar cut Hillger loose and began looking for bonus points. With :30 on the clock, Cassar forced a scramble but Hillger was able to lock up the Lions' waste and keep from giving up the takedown. Cassar's riding time edge gave him a final point and he walked away with a strong 11-5 decision.

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## #1 PENN STATE 25, #7 NEBRASKA 6 Sunday, Jan. 20, 2019 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: #13 Zeke Moisey NEB dec. Devin Schnupp PSU, 6-1	0-3
133: #13 Roman Bravo-Young PSU maj. dec. Jevon Parrish NEB, 20-7	4-3
141: #6 Nick Lee PSU dec. #19 Chad Red Jr. NEB, 5-4	7-3
149: #10 Brady Berge PSU dec. Jordan Shearer NEB, 7-4	10-3
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU dec. #2 Tyler Berger NEB, 10-4	13-3
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU dec. #6 Isaiah White NEB, 2-0	16-3
174: #1 Mark Hall PSU dec. #9 Mike Labriola NEB, 5-3	19-3
184: #5 Taylor Venz NEB dec. Mason Manville PSU, 7-1	19-6
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU dec. #11 Eric Schultz NEB, 8-6	22-6
285: #4 Anthony Cassar PSU dec. #14 David Jensen NEB, 10-4	25-6
Attendance: 6,468 (46th straight Rec hall sellout; 50th of 52 including 4 of 6 in BJC)	

No. 1 Penn State (7-0, 3-0 B1G) took care of No. 7 Nebraska (8-3, 2-2 B1G) in a marquee Big Ten dual meet on Sunday. The Nittany Lions downed the visiting Cornhuskers 25-6 in sold out Rec Hall, winning eight of ten bouts in a dual that featured 16 ranked wrestlers. Penn State won all six bouts pitting ranked opponents against each other, including Jason Nolf's (Yatesboro, Pa.) dominant win over No. 2 Tyler Berger at 157.

The dual began at 125 where Lion sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) took on No. 13 Zeke Moisey of Nebraska. Schnupp battled the former NCAA finalist tough before dropping a hard-fought 6-1 decision. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 13 at 133 dominated Husker Jevon Parrish, rolling to a 20-7 major decision with 3:33 in riding time, putting Penn State on top 4-3. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 6 at 141, increased Penn State's lead with a strong 5-4 win over No. 19 Chad Red Jr.

Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 10 at 149, made it three straight for the Lions, downing Jordan Shearer 7-4 to give Penn State a 10-3 lead in the dual. Nolf, ranked No. 1 at 157, dominated No. 2 Tyler Berger in one of the dual's most anticipated match-ups. Nolf tallied the bout's only four takedowns to roll to a 10-4 win over the second-ranked Husker. Penn State led 13-3 heading into halftime.

Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, returned to action for the first time in two weeks and posted a hard-fought 2-0 win over No. 2 Isaiah White in another marquee match-up. Joseph's win gave the Nittany Lions a 16-3 lead. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, made it six straight wins for the Lions with a 5-3 victory over No. 9 Mike Labriola, putting Penn State up 19-3.

Redshirt freshman Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) moved up from 165 and stepped in for No. 3 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) at 184 to take on No. 5 Taylor Venz. Manville wrestled the fifth-ranked Husker tough but dropped a tough 7-1 decision. Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, beat No. 11 Eric Schultz 8-6 at 197, upping the Lion lead to 22-6. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, closed out the dual meet in stellar fashion, tallying four takedowns in a strong 10-4 win over No. 14 David Jensen. The final victory gave Penn State a 25-6 victory.

Penn State had a 24-7 edge in takedowns, winning eight of ten bouts. The Nittany Lions picked up one bonus point off Bravo-Young's major at 133.

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) took on No. 13 Zeke Moisey in the dual meet's first bout. Moisey got in on a quick low single and wrapped up a cradle right away. Schnupp fought off the turning effort and did not give up back points but trailed 2-0 at the 2:40 mark. Moisey controlled action from the top for nearly 2:00 before Schnupp was hit with a first stall warning. Leading 2-0 with 2:42 in time, chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. Moisey added a second takedown to up his lead to 5-0. Schnupp was unable to break free of another strong Moisey ride and trailed 5-0 with over 4:00 of riding time against after two periods. Schnupp chose down to start the third period and got the escape to trail 5-1. Schnupp began to up the tempo on offense, looking for a chance to take the former NCAA finalist down. Moisey was able to fight off Schnupp's efforts but the Lion's late offense kept the bout to a 6-1 decision.

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 13 at 133, battled Husker freshman Jevon Parrish. Bravo-Young scored quickly, turning a high single into a takedown and an early 2-0 lead. Parrish escaped at the 2:12 mark and got in on a high single but Bravo-Young deftly countered, turning the tables on the Husker for a takedown and a 4-1 lead with 1:40 on the clock. Bravo-Young maintained control until he had 1:00 in riding time before he cut Parrish loose to a 4-2 score. The Lion freshman bulled through a high shot, knocking Parrish back and finishing off the takedown lead to 6-2 with under 1:00 to wrestle. The Lion finished off the period in control and led 6-2 with 1:52 in riding time after the first period. Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the second period. Bravo-Young continued to set the offensive pace as Parrish worked the outside circle. But the Lion freshman was relentless, getting his fourth takedown at the :45 mark to lead 8-3 after cutting Parrish loose. Bravo-Young added another takedown at the :25 mark and led 1-3 with 2:35 in riding time after two periods. Parrish chose down to start the third period and Bravo-Young cut him to a 10-4 score. The Lion, looking for bonus points, quickly added two more takedowns to up his lead to 14-5. Bravo-Young picked up a point on another Parrish stall and then cut the Husker loose to a 15-5 score with a riding time point clinched. The Lion countered a Parrish shot, took the Husker down and cut him once more to lead 17-7. He added a final takedown and, with 3:33 in time, rolled to a 20-7 major decision with 3:33 in riding time.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 6 at 141, met No. 19 Chad Red, Jr. The ranked duo battled evenly for over two minutes. Lee got in on a high single at the :50 mark and, after a brief scramble, finished off the takedown to open up a 2-0 lead. The Lion was able to maintain control of Red for the final seconds and led 5-2 with :48 in time after the opening stanza. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly worked his way into a position to notch a reversal. But Red was able to maintain the offensive position and forced a reset with 1:10 on the clock. Lee worked his way to his feet and forced Red into a second stall, taking a 3-0 lead. Red finished the period on top but Lee led 3-0 after two. Red chose down to start the final period and Lee was able to control the Husker long enough to erase Red's riding time edge. Lee led 3-1 with 1:35 on the clock but Red was able to counter a Lee shot, taking him down to tie the bout

3-3 and work his riding time point up over 1:00. Lee took a 4-3 lead on another Red Stall but the Husker maintained offensive control and had 1:27 in riding time with :39 to wrestle. Lee escaped to a 5-3 lead after a reset and fought off a late Red flurry to post a 5-4 win.

149: Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 10 at 149, took on Husker Jordan Shearer. Berge worked the middle of the mat for a minute, nearly scoring on a quick shot at the 2:00 mark. But Shearer was able to step back from the effort and the bout continued scoreless through the midway point of the first period. Berge shot low on Shearer again, working right ankle control into a takedown and a 2-0 lead with :25 on the clock. Berge maintained control for the rest of the period but gave up a first stall warning in the process. Shearer chose down to start the second period and worked his way to an escape and a 2-1 score with 1:45 on the clock. Berge shot again but Shearer was able to force a stalemate with 1:00 on the clock. The Lion freshman continued to set the pace, shooting consistently and forcing Shearer into defense. Shearer took his first shot at the :15 mark of the second period but Berge was able to fight off the effort and led 2-1 after two. Berge chose down to start the final period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. Berge used his quickness to counter a slight Shearer shot to notch a takedown. But Berge gave up a stall point and a reversal in a quick flurry and led 6-4 after escaping with :30 on the clock. Berge picked up a final penalty point in the closing seconds and posted a hard-fought 7-4 win.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, met No. 2 Tyler Berger in one of the dual's many marquee match-ups. Nolf wasted no time in taking a lead, using a single leg to lift Berger into the air, finishing off the takedown to lead 2-1 after cutting the second-ranked Husker loose. Nolf was steady in the middle of the mat, connecting on a low single at the 1:15 mark. Berger forced a scramble but Nolf was undeterred, moving around for another takedown and a 4-2 lead after another cut. Nolf led 4-2 after the first period and took down to start the second. The Lion senior quickly escaped to a 5-2 lead and immediately moved in on offense. Nolf's relentless pressure allowed the Lion to connect on another low shot but Berger was able to force a stalemate with a potentially dangerous hold. Nolf quickly connected on a reset, notching his third takedown with :40 on the clock to up his lead to 7-2. Trailing 7-2, Berger chose down to start the third period and Berger gave up a stall warning while Nolf cut him loose to a 7-3 score. Berge connected on a high single at the 1:30 mark, but Nolf easily forced a stalemate and a reset with 1:19 to wrestle. Nolf scrambled his way to a fourth takedown to lead 9-4 after cutting Berger loose again and then picked up another point on a Berger penalty. The Lion pressed the action for the final :15 and posted a dominating 10-4 win.

165: Senior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, met No. 6 Isaiah White in another top-ten battle. The talented duo battled evenly for the first minute, with neither wrestler grabbing an early advantage. Joseph worked the center circle for the next minute, forcing White backwards towards the outside circle as the clock moved below the 1:00 mark. The Lion junior took multiple shots but White was able to play defense for the first 3:00 and keep the bout scoreless. With the bout tied 0-0 after one, White chose down to start the second stanza. Joseph was strong on top, however, breaking White down and controlling the action for over 1:00. Joseph's strong ride forced White into a first stall warning at the :40 mark and the Lion finished on top. Tied 0-0 but with 2:00 in time to his side, Joseph chose down to start the third period. The Lion worked his way to his feet and escaped to a 1-0 lead with 1:04 on the clock and 1:06 in riding time. Joseph worked for shoulder control in the middle of the mat but White was able to defend the efforts. Joseph's 1:06 in riding time gave the Lion a 2-0 win.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 nationally, took on No. 9 Mike Labriola in an anticipated match-up at 174. Hall stalked the middle of the mat, keeping Labriola moving backwards as the Lion junior looked for an opening to score. Hall's consistent pressure forced Labriola into a first stall at the :50 mark. He then worked his way in on a low single and then steadily fought through a scramble for a takedown and a 2-0 lead with :15 on the clock. Leading by two, Hall chose down to start the second period. He quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead and then went on offense again. Labriola countered a Hall shot and managed to trip the Lion to the mat for a takedown. But Hall quickly escaped and led 4-2 with :43 left in the second period. Trailing 4-2, Labriola chose down to start the third period. Hall controlled the action from the top position but was called for locked hands. Penn State challenged the call but the call stood and Hall led 4-3. Hall continued on top as the clock moved to the :40 mark and had over 1:00 in riding time. The Lion finished the match on top but Nebraska challenged the action, looking for a locked hands. The review did not show any locked hands and Hall, with 1:49 in riding time, posted a 5-3 win.

184: Redshirt freshman Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) moved up from 165 and stepped in for No. 3 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) to face off against No. 5 Taylor Venz at 184. Venz worked his way to a takedown and an early 2-0 lead on the Lion freshman. Manville worked his way to an escape and a 2-1 deficit and then nearly scored on a low single but Venz was able to force a stalemate. Leading 2-1, Venz chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 3-1 lead. Manville took a high single, Venz countered, but Manville was able to stay neutral on his feet and action resumed in the center circle at the 1:00 mark. The Lion freshman fought off another late shot by Venz and trailed 3-1 after two periods. Trailing by two, Manville chose neutral to start the third period and once again got in on a low single before Venz forced a stalemate with a scramble. Manville shot again but this time Venz was able to counter for a takedown and a 5-1 lead. Manville fought off a Venz turn attempt as he worked to escape the Husker ride. He gave up one stall point. Venz finished on top and with 2:15 in time, posted the hard-fought 7-1 win over the Lion 165-pounder.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, met No. 11 Eric Schultz. Nickal was steady to start the match. He worked the center circle and took a 2-1 lead with a solid takedown at the 2:20 mark. After cutting Schultz loose, Nickal continued to pressure the Husker and took a 4-1 lead with a second takedown at the 1:10 mark. Nickal maintained control until the :40 mark when he cut Schultz loose. Schultz defended two late Nickal shots and the Lion led 4-2 after one. Nickal chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-2 lead. Nickal's relentless pressure allowed the Lion to work his way to a third takedown and a 7-3 lead with 1:00 on the clock. Schultz was able to defend his way to the end of the second period with Nickal leading 7-3. Schultz chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 7-4 score at the 1:25 mark with Nickal owning 1:48 in time. Nickal gave up a late takedown but with 1:48 in time, posted the 8-6 victory.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, faced off against No. 14 David Jensen. The ranked duo battled evenly for the first three minutes with neither man finding an opening in which to score. With the bout scoreless after the opening stanza, Cassar chose down to 10-4 the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Cassar worked the middle of the mat, looking to turn shoulder control into an offensive opportunity. But Jensen was able to step back from every Cassar shot and keep the action neutral as the clock moved below the 1:00 mark. Jensen took a soft low shot at the :05 and Cassar took advantage, using his quickness to step behind the effort and score the takedown to lead 2-0 after two. Jensen chose down to start the third and escaped to a 2-1 score. Cassar quickly took him down to up his lead to 4-1 and then dominated the final seconds, tacking on two more takedowns to roll to a 10-4 win with 1:10 in time.

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# RECAPS

## #1 PENN STATE 30, PURDUE 10 Friday, Jan. 25, 2019 -- West Lafayette, Ind.

125: Devin Schroeder PUR dec. Devin Schnupp PSU, 6-1	0-3
133: #18 Ben Thornton PUR dec. #13 Roman Bravo-Young PSU, 7-3	0-6
141: #7 Nick Lee PSU maj. dec. Nate Limmex PUR, 17-6	4-6
149: Jarod Verkleeren PSU dec. Parker Filius PUR, 8-3	7-6
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU pinned Elijah Davis PUR, WBF (0:42)	13-6
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU pinned Cole Wysocki PUR, WBF (3:56)	19-6
174: #1 Mark Hall PSU dec. #14 Dylan Lydy PUR, 6-2	22-6
184: Max Lyon PUR maj. dec. Francisco Bisono PSU, 12-4	22-10
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU maj. dec. #12 Christian Brunner PUR, 17-6	26-10
285: #4 Anthony Cassar PSU maj. dec. Jacob Aven PUR, 14-4	30-10
Attendance: 1,837	

No. 1 Penn State (8-0, 4-0 B1G) continued its winning ways in a lopsided Big Ten road win at Purdue (5-6, 2-3 B1G) Friday night. The Nittany Lions won seven of ten bouts and picked up two pins on their way to the 30-10 victory over the Boilermakers.

The dual began at 125. Nittany Lion sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) dropped a tough 6-1 decision to Purdue's Devin Schroeder. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 13 at 133, could not bounce back from an early takedown and injury timeout and lost a tough 7-3 decision to No. 18 Ben Thornton. Purdue led 6-0 after the opening two bouts. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 7 at 141, put the Lions on the scoreboard with a strong 17-6 major decision over Nate Limmex, including 2:34 in riding time.

Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) got the nod at 149 for No. 11 Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) and downed Parker Filius 8-3 to give the Nittany Lions a 7-6 lead in the dual. The win was Verkleeren's first Big Ten dual meet victory. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, closed out the first half with his 55th career pin. Nolf got the fast fall at the 0:42 mark over Purdue's Elijah Parker. The Nittany Lions owned a 13-6 lead at intermission.

Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, added to Penn State's lead with his ninth pin of the year, getting the fall over Cole Wysocki at the 3:56 mark to give the Lions a 19-6 lead. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, then rolled over No. 14 Dylan Lydy with a 6-2 decision. Junior Francisco Bisono (Hauppauge, N.Y.) made his Penn State dual meet debut at 184, stepping in for No. 3 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), and dropped a tough 12-4 major to Max Lyon in his Lion debut.

Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, dominated No. 12 Christian Brunner. Nickal tallied seven takedowns in a thorough 17-6 major decision over the ranked Boilermaker. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, closed out the dual with a strong 14-4 major over Purdue's Jacob Aven. The Nittany Lions won seven of ten bouts and rolled to the 30-10 victory.

Penn State owned the takedown game as well with 20-10 edge. The Nittany Lions grabbed nine bonus points off two pins (Nolf, Joseph) and three majors (Lee, Nickal, Cassar). Nolf's pin was his 55th, adding to his record as Penn State's all-time leader in falls.

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) met Purdue freshman Devin Schroeder at 125. Schnupp and Schroeder battled evenly for the first minute in the middle of the mat. Schroeder shot low and Schnupp countered, forcing a scramble in the middle of the mat. Schroeder was able to force a stalemate and action resumed neutral at the 1:10 mark. Schnupp fought off two solid Schroeder shots as the clock moved below the :30 mark but the Boilermaker connected on a low double with :20 left. He added two back points to lead 4-0 after one. Schnupp chose down to start the second period and steadily escaped to a 4-1 score with 1:20 on the clock. Schroeder took a strong single with :45 on the clock and was able to trip Schnupp to the floor for another takedown and a 6-1 lead with :25 left in the period. Schroeder chose down to start the third period. Schnupp controlled the action from the top position for over a minute, looking for a turning position. Schroeder was able to keep from being turned but, with the big lead after two periods, was able to notch the 6-1 win over Schnupp.

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 13 at 133, took on No. 18 Ben Thornton in one of the dual's marquee match-ups. Thornton got in quickly on a single leg and lifted it high in the air. Bravo-Young tried to roll out of the position but Thornton was able to maintain control and took the Lion down. Bravo-Young called for injury time and action continued with Thornton up 2-0 and on the bottom. Thornton escaped on the reset and Bravo-Young trailed 3-0 at the 2:15 mark. The duo battled evenly for the next minute before Bravo-Young took a flurry of shots in the final :30. Thornton was able to back out of trouble and led 3-0 after one period. Thornton chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 4-0 lead. Bravo-Young shot low and Thornton fought off the effort, countered and gained control of Bravo-Young's right knee again. Thornton spent the next minute working his way to a takedown and finished it off as the period ended to lead 6-0 after two. Bravo-Young chose down to start the final period as the Lion fought through the injury sustained in the opening period. Bravo-Young rolled to an escape with 1:15 on the clock, cutting the Thornton lead to 6-1. Bravo-Young notched a takedown with :25 left and cut Thornton loose but could not complete the comeback and dropped a 7-3 decision.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 7 at 141, met Purdue's Nate Limmex. Limmex looked to connect on a quick shot but Lee fought it off and then set up his offense in the middle of the mat. The Lion sophomore forced Limmex's shoulders down, worked his way behind him and took a 2-1 lead with a takedown at the 1:30 mark. Lee picked up his second takedown, cut Limmex, loose and then grabbed a third with a high shot with :15 on the clock. Limmex chose down to start the second period and Lee went to work on top, looking for a turning combination. Lee worked Limmex's shoulders over for a four-count to up his lead to 10-2 at the :40 mark. Lee finished the period on top and led 10-2 with 2:38 in time. Lee chose down to start the third period and upped his lead to 11-2, then picked up another point on hands to the face. Lee then took Limmex down and led 14-3 at the 1:20 mark. With the riding time point assured, Lee turned a low single into a takedown with :15 on the clock. Limmex countered a late Lee shot for a final takedown but Lee rolled to the 17-6 major with 2:34 in riding time.

149: Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) got the call at 149 for No. 11 Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) and faced off against Parker Filius. Verkleeren, wrestling in his first Big Ten dual, took an early 2-1 lead with a fast shot in the opening seconds. He set the tempo for the next minute plus, forcing Filius towards the outside circle. Filius broke out of his defense and nearly took Verkleeren down but no takedown was awarded. Purdue challenged but the call stood and action resumed with Verkleeren leading 2-1 at the 1:15 mark. Verkleeren picked up his second takedown at the :50 mark to lead 4-2 after a Filius escape. Verkleeren chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-2 lead. Filius worked his way in on a low single but Verkleeren quickly countered, worked his way into control of Filius' feet, and forced a stalemate at the :34 mark. Filius chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-3 score. Verkleeren fought off a strong Filius shot on the edge of the mat, forcing a reset. Filius shot low on the reset but Verkleeren quickly countered low, working his way into control and a key takedown to up his lead to 7-3 at the :40 mark. Verkleeren finished the match on top and, with 1:00 in riding time, posted the 8-3 win.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, battled Elijah Davis. Nolf countered a quick Davis shot, worked his way into a takedown and a 2-0 lead with 2:45 on the clock. Nolf then locked up a cradle and quickly ended the bout with a fast fall the 0:42 mark. The pin was the 55th career fall for the Lion senior, Penn State's all-time leader.

165: Senior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, met Purdue's Cole Wysocki. Joseph fought off an early Wysocki shot and then took a 2-1 lead with a solid high shot at the 2:20 mark. Joseph spent the next minute working to break through Wysocki's defense and did so with a high single at the 1:00 mark, taking a 4-1 lead. He finished the period on top and led 4-1 with 1:03 in riding time after one. Joseph chose down to start the second period, quickly escaped and then took Wysocki down again to up his lead to 7-1. The Lion junior steadily worked his way into position to lock up a cradle and finished off the match with a pin at the 3:56 mark.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, took on No. 14 Dylan Lydy. The ranked duo battled in the middle of the mat for the first minute-plus. Hall's pressure forced Lydy to back towards the outside circle as the Boilermaker was able to keep the Lion from breaking through on offense for over two minutes. Lydy was hit with his first stall at the 0:57 mark and Hall continued to press the tempo. Lydy was able to play defense for the opening period and the bout moved to the second stanza tied 0-0. Hall chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Hall connected on a high single at the 1:35 mark and finished off the takedown to lead 3-0. Hall controlled the action on top for :29 before he cut Lydy loose to a 3-1 lead. Trailing 3-1, Lydy chose bottom to start the third period. Hall broke the Boilermaker down, working his riding time edge up to 1:00 before Lydy escaped to a 3-2 score. Hall nearly connected on a high double but Lydy was able to roll through the move as action moved out of bounds with 1:10 on the clock. Hall iced the bout with a single leg and scramble for a takedown and a 5-2 lead with :25 on the clock. The Lion finished on top and, with 1:35 in riding time, rolled to the 6-2 win.

184: Francisco Bisono (Hauppauge, N.Y.) stepped in for No. 3 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) at 184 and made his Penn State dual meet debut against Max Lyon. Lyon took an early lead with a fast low single at the 2:35 mark. Bisono worked his way to an escape and a 2-1 score at the 1:55 mark and action resumed neutral in the middle of the mat. Lyon connected on a low single and took a 4-1 lead with 1:10 on the clock. Bisono worked his way to his feet and escaped to a 4-2 score with :20 on the clock. Trailing 4-2, Bisono chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 4-3 deficit. Lyon turned a high shot into a third takedown with 1:10 on the clock to open up a 6-3 lead. A Bisono escaped out the Lyon lead to 6-4 with :40 on the clock and the Boilermaker added a fourth takedown before the period ended to lead 8-4 with 2:22 in time after two periods. Lyon chose down to start the final stanza and quickly escaped to a 9-4 lead. Lyon picked up a final takedown and, with 2:21 in time, posted a 12-4 major.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, took on No. 12 Christian Brunner of Purdue. Nickal scored just :25 into the bout, using a low single to take Brunner down to a 2-0 lead. Nickal nearly locked up the Boiler's shoulders for a throw, but Brunner was able to stay on his feet and escaped to a 2-1 score. Nickal once again turned a low shot into a takedown and a 4-2 lead at the 1:40 mark. The Lion senior notched his third takedown of the opening period with :50 on the clock and led 6-2. Nickal took an 8-3 lead with a fourth takedown as the period ended. Trailing 8-3, Brunner chose down to start the second period. Nickal controlled the action until the 1:20 mark and led 8-4 with 1:31 in riding time to his favor. The Lion senior finished on top, tripping Brunner to the mat for a final takedown with :20 left in the period. A short rideout later and Nickal led 10-4 with 1:58 in riding time after two. Nickal chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to an 11-4 lead. Nickal countered a Brunner shot for a takedown and nearly took the Boilermaker to his back but a potentially dangerous call forced a reset. Nickal cut Brunner loose with :45 on the clock and quickly took him down again. Nickal picked up a penalty point for hands to the face and, with 2:15 in riding time, rolled to the 17-6 major.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, met senior Jacob Aven. The duo battled evenly for the first half of the opening period. Cassar nearly connected on a high single at the 1:15 mark but Aven was able to step back out of Cassar's reach and keep the bout scoreless. Cassar blew through a high shot off a reset with :36 left and took Aven down to lead 2-0. The Lion senior finished the period on top and led by two after the first period. Cassar chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. He then turned into Aven and forced his way through a high shot. The ensuing takedown gave the Nittany Lion a 5-0 lead with 1:20 left in the middle period. Aven escaped to a 5-1 score and Cassar took a 7-1 lead with a blast double at the :10 mark. Trailing 7-1, Aven chose down to start the third period and Cassar cut him loose to a 7-2 lead. Cassar upped his lead to 9-2 with 1:30 on the clock and then went to work on top, building his time up over 2:00 before cutting Aven loose to a 9-3 score. Cassar forced Aven into a stall warning and then bullied his way through a high double to lead 11-4. He added a final takedown and, with 2:33 in riding time, posted a 14-4 major.

## #1 PENN STATE 35, INDIANA 9 Sunday, Jan. 27, 2019 -- Bloomington, Ind.

184: Norman Conley IND dec. Francisco Bisono PSU, 5-1	0-3
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU pinned Jake Kleimola IND, WBF (0:58)	6-3
285: #4 Anthony Cassar PSU dec. Fletcher Miller IND, 11-5	9-3
125: Devin Schnupp PSU dec. Liam Cronin IND, 5-2	12-3
133: Garrett Pepple IND won by forfeit	12-9
141: #7 Nick Lee PSU maj. dec. Kyle Luigs IND, 13-3	16-9
149: #11 Brady Berge PSU dec. Fernie Silva IND, 6-4	19-9
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU pinned Breyden Bailey IND, WBF (2:46)	25-9
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU pinned Bryce Martin IND, WBF (1:23)	31-9
174: #1 Mark Hall PSU maj. dec. Jake Covaciu IND, 12-4	35-9
Attendance: 1,962	

No. 1 Penn State (9-0, 5-0 B1G) took down home standing Indiana (4-9, 1-5 B1G) to close out a Big Ten road swing through the Hoosier state on Sunday. Penn State downed Indiana 35-9 in Bloomington to remain unbeaten on the year.

Penn State won all but one off the contested bouts (giving up a forfeit loss at 133), including one Nittany Lion's first-ever Big Ten dual victory.

The dual began at 184 where junior Francisco Bisono (Hauppauge, N.Y.) stepped in at 184 for No. 3 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) for the second time this weekend. Bisono was once again tough but dropped a hard-fought 5-1 decision. Junior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, made short work of IU's Jake Kleimola. Nickal turned an early scramble into a cradle and a fast fall, getting the pin at the 0:58 mark to put Penn State up 6-3.

Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, downed Indiana's Fletcher Miller in an 11-5 win, rolling up over 2:00 in riding time to put Penn State up 9-3. Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) thrilled the many Lion faithful at the dual by picking up his first Big Ten dual meet victory in a 5-2 win over Indiana's Liam Cronin. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) was injured in the first period of his match at Purdue Friday night and did not wrestle. Indiana's Garrett Pepple won by forfeit at the weight and Penn State led 12-9 at intermission.

Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 7 at 141, got Penn State started on the right foot in the second half. He posted a 4-0 takedown edge in front of many home-state fans to roll to a 13-3 major over Kyle Luigs. Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) once again stepped in for No. 11 Brady Berger (Mantorville, Minn.) at 149 and notched a 6-4 win over Fernie Silva to give the Lions a 19-9 lead.

Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, picked up his second first period of the weekend with a fall over Breyden Bailey at the 2:46 mark. The fall was the 56th of Nolf's career. Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, also picked up his second pin of the weekend. The Lion got his tenth pin of the year with a fall over Bryce Martin at the 1:20 mark. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, closed out the dual with a dominating 12-4 major over IU's Jake Covaciu. Penn State won eight of ten bouts (and eight of nine contested) to roll to the 35-9 dual meet victory.

Penn State dominated the dual, rolling up a 21-4 takedown advantage. The Nittany Lions grabbed 11 bonus points off three pins (Nickal, Nolf, Joseph) and two majors (Lee, Hall). Nickal's pin was his 11th this year and the 52nd of his career. Nolf has 11 this year and 56 for his career. Joseph's pin was his tenth of the season.

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

184: Junior Francisco Bisono (Hauppauge, N.Y.) stepped in for No. 3 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) at 184 and took on junior Norman Conley. Conley scored first, using a strong high double to take Bisono down to an early 2-0 lead. Conley maintained control for the next minute before Bisono escaped to a 2-1 score. Bisono nearly connected on a single leg with 1:00 left in the period but Conley was able to counter, getting his second takedown to lead 4-1. Bisono was unable to escape and trailed 4-1 after one. Conley chose down to start the second period. Bisono controlled the action from the top position, however, working Conley's riding time down below 1:00. Bisono continued with his strong ride for the remainder of the period, while still trailing 4-1, he completely wiped out Conley's time edge. Bisono chose down to start the third period but Conley was strong on top. The Hoosier controlled Bisono long enough to work his riding time edge back over the 1:00 mark. Conley finished the bout on top and, with 1:58 riding time, posted the 5-1 win.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, met Indiana's Jake Kleimola. Nickal controlled the action in the center circle, forcing a scramble that allowed him to work his way into a takedown. After a second or two of adjustment, Nickal deftly locked up a cradle and notched the fast fall at the 0:58 mark. The pin was Nickal's 11th of the year and the 52nd of his career.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, took on senior Fletcher Miller. Cassar worked the middle of the mat against the Hoosier big man and bulled through a nice high shot for his first takedown at the 1:52 mark. Miller escaped after a short ride and action resumed neutral with Cassar leading 2-1. Cassar stepped back from a slight Miller shot and then zipped in for a low shot to Miller's left ankle, finishing off the takedown to lead 4-1. He rode Miller out and carried that lead, with :57 in riding time, into the second period. Miller chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 4-2 score. Cassar blew through a high shot at Miller's waist for a third takedown and led 6-2 with 1:00 left in the middle period. The Lion senior worked for a turning combination but Miller was able to keep his stomach flat to the mat for the rest of the period. Leading 6-2 with over 2:00 in time, Cassar chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 7-2 lead. He continued to press the pace, forcing Miller backwards before connecting on another strong double leg at the 1:00 mark, upping his lead to 9-2 with a clinched riding time point. Miller escaped with :20 left and then managed a late takedown to keep Cassar from notching the major. Cassar added a late escape and the riding time point (2:40) and rolled to the 11-5 win.

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) met Liam Cronin. The duo battled evenly in the middle of the mat over the first minute-plus. Schnupp took a slight low single at the 1:20 mark but Cronin was able to step back from the Lion's efforts. Schnupp looked to control the tempo, taking a handful of shots over the final 1:30 but Cronin's defense was strong. Tied 0-0 after one, Schnupp chose down to start the second

period. The Lion sophomore tried to roll out of control but action moved out of bounds, forcing a reset with 1:22 left in the period. The Lion sophomore sued the same move at the 1:00 mark, forcing a scramble that ended in a Schnupp reversal and a 2-0 lead at the :25 mark. He also picked up a point on a Cronin locked hands during the scramble and led 3-0 with :15 on the clock. Trailing 3-0, Cronin chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 score. Schnupp continued to shoot, forcing a scramble in front of the Hoosier bench that ended with the Lion sophomore picking up a takedown to lead 5-1. Cronin rolled out of Schnupp's control on the reset and the Lion led 5-2 with :35 on the clock. The Lion sophomore staved off a late Cronin flurry of shots and walked away with his first Big Ten dual victory, a 5-2 decision.

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 13 at 133, suffered a first period injury two nights earlier in the road trip at Purdue and did not wrestle. Indiana's Garrett Pepple got the forfeit victory (not a loss for Bravo-Young).

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 7 at 141, took on Hoosier Kyle Luigs. Lee worked Luig's shoulders down early in the bout and finished with a low single to a takedown and a 2-1 lead at the 2:30 mark. He quickly added a second takedown and led 4-2 before a minute had passed. Lee fought through Luig's defense for a third takedown with 1:00 on the clock and began looking to turn the Hoosier. Lee finished on top and led 6-2 with 1:19 in riding time after one. Luigs chose down to start the second period and Lee controlled the action once again. The Lion sophomore clinched the riding time point with a full second period rideout and led 6-2 with 3:19 in time after two. Lee chose down to start the third period and quickly reversed Luigs to up his lead to 8-3. He immediately took Luigs down again and turned him for two back points with 1:00 on the clock. Leading 12-3, Lee finished on top with 4:45 of riding time to roll to a 13-3 major.

149: Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) once again got the nod at 149 for No. 11 Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) and took on Fernie Silva. Silva connected on a quick shot off the whistle that Verkleeren was able to step away from. The Lion freshman worked for shoulder control on the edge of the mat but Silva was able to keep the bout scoreless midway through the opening period. Verkleeren took a high single with 1:20 left and tripped Silva to the mat to take a 2-1 lead. The period finished neutral and Verkleeren led by one after one. Silva chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-2 tie. He then worked his way behind Verkleeren for a takedown and a 4-3 lead after a quick Lion escape with 1:30 on the clock. The early period flurry was the only scoring of the middle stanza and Verkleeren trailed 4-3 after two. The Lion chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 4-4 tie. Verkleeren looked to counter Silva's shots by controlling his shoulders off the move, but Silva was able to fight off each Lion counter effort. Verkleeren connected on a solid single with :30 left and steadily worked his way to a takedown at the :18 mark to take a 6-4 lead. Verkleeren finished with a rideout and posted the 6-4 win.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, took on Breyden Bailey. As he did two nights earlier at Purdue, Nolf moved in quickly. The Lion tripped Bailey to the mat :40 into the bout and finished off the takedown for an early 2-0 lead. Nolf controlled the action off a resets and moved himself into position to turn Bailey's shoulders to the mat for four near fall points and a 6-0 lead. Nolf tried another turn, but Bailey was able to scramble out of trouble. Nolf's offense was relentless as he quickly tripped the Hoosier to the mat for a second takedown and an 8-1 lead. Nolf cut Bailey loose at the :25 mark and then quickly locked his shoulders, tossed him to the mat, and picked up his second first period pin of the weekend, this one at the 2:46 mark.

165: Senior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, faced senior Bryce Martin. Joseph scored quickly, taking Martin down to lead 2-0 less than :15 into the bout. He worked for a turning combination on the reset and locked up a cradle with 1:45 to wrestle. The Lion needed little time after that, getting his second pin of the weekend at the 1:23 mark.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, battled Hoosier Jake Covaciu. Covaciu took an early shot and gained control of Hall's ankle, but the Lion seamlessly rolled though the move and took a 2-1 lead with a sweet counter takedown. Hall paced the middle of the mat for the next minute and nearly connected on a high single with :20 on the clock. Covaciu was able to defend the effort and the bout moved to the second period with Hall leading 2-1. Hall chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. Hall worked the center of the mat, forcing Covaciu into a stall before taking him down for a 5-1 lead with :40 left in the period. Hall finished off the period with a rideout and led 5-1 with :50 in time after two. Covaciu chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 5-2 score. Hall fought off a Covaciu shot and forced a reset with :57 left to wrestle. He then skipped behind the Hoosier for another takedown and a 7-3 lead after cutting him loose with :45 on the clock. Hall secured the major with two takedowns in the final :25 seconds and, with 1:20 in riding time, posted the 12-4 major.



# RECAPS

## #1 PENN STATE 25, #5 MICHIGAN 11 Friday, Feb. 1, 2019 -- Bryce Jordan Center -- University Park, Pa.

125: #15 Drew Mattin MICH def. Devin Schnupp PSU, 6-0	0-3
133: #1 Stevan Micic MICH tech fall Scott Stossel PSU, 20-5 (TF; 7:00)	0-8
141: #7 Nick Lee PSU dec. #5 Kanen Storr MICH, 10-4	3-8
149: Malik Amine MICH dec. Jarod Verkleeren MICH, 7-5	3-11
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU dec. #5 Alec Pantaleo MICH, 9-2	6-11
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU dec. #7 Logan Massa MICH, 4-2 (sv)	9-11
174: #1 Mark Hall PSU dec. #3 Myles Amine MICH, 3-2	12-11
184: #2 Shakur Rasheed PSU dec. Jelani Embree MICH, 5-3	15-11
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU pinned Jackson Striggow MICH, WBF (5:50)	21-11
285: #4 Anthony Cassar PSU maj. dec. #8 Mason Parris MICH, 19-8	25-11

Attendance: 15,703 (Penn State has wrestled in front of 51 sell-outs in its last 53 home events / 46 straight in Rec Hall and 5 of 7 in the BJC)

No. 1 Penn State (10-0, 6-0 B1G) defeated No. 5 Michigan (9-1, 5-1 B1G) in front of nearly 16,000 fans in the sold out Bryce Jordan Center in a marquee Big Ten wrestling dual. The Nittany Lions won seven of 10 bouts to roll to the 25-11 victory over the visiting Wolverines and remain unbeaten on the year. The loss was Michigan's first of the season. The dual began at 125 where sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) battled No. 15 Drew Mattin tough before losing a close 6-0 decision. With No. 15 Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) not wrestling, senior Scott Stossel (Pittsburgh, Pa.) got the nod at 133. Stossel, making his Penn State dual debut, took on No. 1 Stevan Micic and suffered a 20-5 tech fall loss (7:00). Michigan led 8-0 after two bouts. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 7 at 141, put Penn State on the board with a dominating 10-4 win over No. 5 Kanen Storr, cutting the Michigan lead to 8-3. Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) stepped in at 149 for No. 11 Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) and lost a close, back-and-fourth bout to senior Malik Amine, 7-5. Michigan led 11-3 after four bouts. Penn State would not lose again. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, the dominated No. 5 Alec Pantaleo, bolting out to a 6-0 lead before posting the 9-2 win, including 1:39 in riding time. Nolf's impressive win cut the Michigan lead to 11-6 at halftime.

Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, brought nearly 16,000 fans to their feet with a last second takedown to post a thrilling 4-2 (sv) win over No. 5 Logan Massa. Joseph's takedown came with just :01 left in sudden victory and cut Michigan's lead to 11-9. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, also came through with a late takedown to seal a thrilling win. Hall scored with under :30 left to wrestle to post an exciting 3-2 win over No. 3 Myles Amine to give Penn State its first lead of the dual, 12-11. Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 2 at 184, returned to the line-up at 184 and walked away with a hard-fought 5-3 win over Michigan's Jelani Embree to put Penn State up 15-11. Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, posted the dual's only fall, pinning Michigan's Jackson Striggow at the 5:50 mark to clinch the dual meet victory for Penn State. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, dominated No. 8 Mason Parris in the dual's final bout, rolling to a convincing 19-8 major decision as nearly 16,000 fans roared their approval. Penn State posted a convincing 21-13 advantage in takedowns in the dual. The Nittany Lions picked up four bonus points off one pin (Nickal) and one major (Cassar). Nickal's pin was his 12th of the year and the 53rd of his career. He is now tied for second all-time at Penn State in pins behind teammate Nolf's 56. The sellout crowd of 15,703 is the sixth highest indoor attendance figure in NCAA wrestling and the fifth highest at Penn State. The Nittany Lions own the top four indoor figures in NCAA history, including the all-time record of 15,998 set last year against Iowa on Jan. 10, 2018. Penn State has wrestled in front of 51 sell-outs in its last 53 home outings, including 46 straight in Rec Hall and five of seven in the BJC.

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) took on No. 15 Drew Mattin at 125. Schnupp and Mattin worked the middle of the mat with each wrestler taking slight shots in the first minute. Mattin countered two Schnupp shots and on the second turned it into a high double and a 2-0 lead with a takedown. Mattin built up nearly two minutes in riding time with a rideout and led 2-0 after one period. Mattin chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 3-0 lead at the 1:24 mark. The duo battled evenly as the clock moved below 1:00. Schnupp nearly connected on a high double with :25 on the clock but Mattin was able to move action out of bounds and carried the 3-0 lead into the third period. Schnupp went on the offensive, forcing Mattin into defense that for the first half of the third period. The Lion could not break through Mattin's defense and the clocked ticked down below the :40 mark. Mattin went on to post the 6-0 decision.

133: With No. 15 Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) not competing, senior Scott Stossel (Pittsburgh, Pa.) made his Penn State dual debut at 133 against No. 1 Stevan Micic. Stossel got in on an early low single and pulled the top-ranked Wolverine's foot up off the mat. Micic countered but Stossel stayed engaged and continued to fight for the takedown. Micic was able to fight off the effort long enough to force a reset with 1:36 on the clock. Micic took a 2-0 lead with a fast takedown seconds later. Micic cut Stossel loose and then added a second takedown to lead 4-2 with :50 left in the period. Micic tacked on a third takedown and led 6-2 after one. Micic chose bottom to start the second period and escaped to a 7-2 lead. Micic used a solid single at the 1:20 mark to take a 9-2 lead with 1:10 left and built his riding time up over 1:00. Micic worked Stossel over for four back points and a 13-2 lead as the period wound down. Trailing 13-2, Stossel chose down to start the third period and Micic cut the Lion loose to a 13-3 score. Micic tacked on another takedown to lead 15-4 at the 1:20 mark and added two more takedowns to end the bout. Micic had 2:44 in riding and, with the bonus point, rolled to the 20-5 tech fall.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 7 at 141, took on No. 5 Kanen Storr in a much-anticipated match-up. Lee moved in after a high Storr shot at the 2:30 mark and turned a high single into a takedown and a 2-1 lead. Storr tried to score quickly after the escape but Lee once again turned the Wolverine's move into offense of his own, getting a counter takedown to lead 4-1 at the 1:33 mark. Lee then worked on top, building up over 1:00 in riding time. Lee forced Storr into a first stall as the period ended and led 4-1 with 2:05 in riding time after one. Storr chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 4-2 score. Lee's constant pressure allowed the Lion to connect on a fast single to up his lead to 6-3 after cutting the Wolverine loose. Lee appeared to move behind Storr for another takedown with :30 left in the period but no call was given. Penn State challenged the call but it was confirmed and Lee maintained his 6-3 lead. Leading by three with over 2:00 in time, Lee chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 7-3 lead. Action continued neutral in the middle off the mat for the next minute. Lee continued to press Storr, looking for another takedown. The Lion forced Storr back to the outside circle and then countered a Storr shot for a 9-3 lead with a takedown. He cut Storr loose and pressed for bonus points but Storr was able to play defense and kill the clock. Lee's 2:22 RT gave him the 10-4 win.

149: Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) got the call at 149 for No. 11 Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) and battled Michigan senior Malik Amine. The duo battled through quite a scramble in

the opening minute with each man nearly connecting for two and back points. Amine was able to finish control and took a 2-0 lead at the 2:30 mark with a takedown. Verkleeren steadily worked his way into a reversal to tie the bout at 2-2 with :35 on the clock. The Lion freshman controlled the Wolverine senior for the rest of the period and finished off the rideout tied 2-2. Verkleeren chose down to start the second period but Amine was able to keep control long enough to build up a 1:52 time edge before the Lion escaped to a 3-2 lead. The Lion freshman used a slick duck under move to up his lead to 5-3 with a takedown at the :45 mark. Amine worked in on a low single as the period ended but Verkleeren was able to tangle action and kill the clock. Amine chose down to start the third period and Verkleeren worked to kill his riding time edge. Amine was able to escape to a 5-4 Verkleeren lead at the 1:30 mark, while still holding 1:09 in time. The Wolverine senior finished off a takedown at the 1:08 mark and took a 6-5 lead. Amine controlled the action long enough to clinch the riding time point and then finished on top to post the 7-5 win with 2:19 in riding time.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, took on No. 5 Alec Pantaleo. The top-five duo circled the middle of the mat for the opening minute before Pantaleo tried to take a shot. Nolf countered and, after a short scramble, finished off the takedown to lead 2-0 at the 1:50 mark. Nolf then dominated action on top, building up over 1:00 in riding time, keeping Pantaleo's stomach to the mat. Nolf adjusted on top at the :25 mark and turned the Wolverine over for four back points before the period ended and led 6-0 with 1:50 in time after one. Nolf chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 7-0 lead. Pantaleo nearly connected on a high double but Nolf steadied, worked his way out of trouble and kept action neutral with 1:03 on the clock. Nolf continued to work on offense, forcing Pantaleo into defense for the final minute of the period and led 7-0 with 1:44 in time after two. Pantaleo chose neutral to start the third period. Nolf forced Pantaleo into a stall at the 1:25 mark. Pantaleo used a high double to cut the lead to 8-2 with :45 on the clock after a Nolf escape. Nolf's 1:39 in riding time gave the Lion a dominant 9-2 win.

165: Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, met No. 7 Logan Massa. Joseph worked for the middle of the mat for the opening minute but Massa was able to defend the Lion's efforts and keep the bout scoreless at the midway point of the opening period. The duo traded low shots at the 1:00 mark but neither man was able to find any opening and the bout moved to the second period tied 0-0. Massa chose down to start the second period and Joseph broke him down to the mat after one quick escape attempt. Massa got loose to a 1-0 lead on his third try and action resumed neutral with 1:30 on the clock. Massa got called for hands to the face and Joseph tied the bout at 1-1 with :50 left in the middle period. Tied 1-1, Joseph chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 2-1 lead. The duo battled in the middle of the mat and the Michigan bench threw the challenge brick, looking for a hands to the face call on Joseph. The penalty was awarded and the bout moved into the final 1:30 tied 2-2. The bout moved into the final :30 tied 2-2 and then through regulation. The bout moved to sudden victory where Joseph continued to shoot Massa to the outside circle. Joseph tried to connect on a high double with :18 left but Massa's defense held firm. Joseph's offense paid off, though, as the Lion moved behind the Wolverine with :10 left. He lifted Massa off the ground and finished off the winning takedown with just :01 left to post the thrilling 4-2 (sv) win.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, faced off against No. 3 Myles Amine. Hall fought off a nice early shot by Amine, forcing a reset with 2:20 on the clock after a scramble in the middle of the mat. Hall then went to work on offense, taking numerous shots that forced Amine to play defense for the next two minutes. Hall and Amine battled neutral for the rest of the period. Tied 0-0, Hall chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. The Lion junior then moved in on offense. With action in the center circle, Hall fought off an Amine shot with :55 on the clock, getting to his feet to maintain his 1-0 lead with :30 on the clock. Hall then worked his way into control of a low single that forced a scramble that nearly ended in a Hall takedown as the period ended. No takedown was given and Hall led 1-0 after two. Amine chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 1-1 tie. Hall almost scored again at the 1:05 mark, but Amine was able to step back from Hall's pressure to keep the bout tied. Hall clinched the match with :28 on the clock, rolling behind Amine for a takedown to lead 3-1. Amine escaped with :15 on the clock but Hall's takedown did the damage as the Lion junior posted the 3-2 win.

184: Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 2 at 184, returned to the line-up and battled Jelani Embree. Rasheed got in on an early single and fought for the next :30 before lifting Embree off the mat and notching the takedown to lead 2-0 at the 1:50 mark. Embree worked to an escaped to cut the lead to 2-1 and action resumed neutral in the middle of the mat. Rasheed countered a late Embree shot, moved down to a low single and took a 4-1 lead with :08 left in the first period. Embree chose down to start the second period and maintained control through a wild scramble in the opening :30. Rasheed built his riding time edge to 1:26 before Embree escaped to a 4-2 score. Rasheed got hit for hands to the face, cutting his lead to 4-3 with :45 on the clock. The duo battled evenly for the rest of the period and Rasheed led 4-3 after two with 1:26 in time. Rasheed chose down to start the third period and steadily worked his way to his feet and an escape with 1:28 on the clock. Rasheed led 5-3 and had :56 in time. Rasheed worked in the middle of the mat for the next minute and posted a hard-fought 5-3 win.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, met Michigan's Jackson Striggow. Nickal wasted no time taking a lead, taking Striggow down for an early 2-0 lead. Striggow worked his way to neutral but Nickal was relentless, using a low single for a second takedown and a 4-1 lead. Nickal went to work on top, building up over 1:00 in riding time as he looked for a chance to turn the Wolverine junior. Nickal forced Striggow into a first stall with :40 on the clock, then cut him loose to a 4-2 lead. Nickal used a swift low single for a third takedown and led 6-2 with over 2:00 in time after the opening stanza. Nickal chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 7-2 lead. Striggow took a shot but Nickal deftly countered and led 9-3 after a fourth takedown. The Lion senior added a fifth takedown off a high single :55 on the clock. He then finished the period on top, picking up another point on a second Striggow stall, to lead 12-3 with 3:10 in riding time after two. Striggow chose down to start the final period and Nickal cut him loose to a 12-4 score. Nickal rolled through a scramble for a takedown, nearly picking up back points in the process. He then reset himself, locked up a cradle, and clinched the dual with a pin at the 5:50 mark.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 4 at 285, battled No. 8 Mason Parris. Cassar bulled through a high double, locked Parris up at the waist and threw him to his back just :15 into the bout. Cassar got the takedown and four near fall points before Parris worked his way out of bounds with an escape. Michigan challenged the four back points but the call stood and Cassar led 6-1 after a furious start. Cassar blew through a high single to double for a second takedown and led 8-2 after a Parris escape with 1:55 on the clock. Parris connected on a high single to cut Cassar's lead to 9-4 with 1:00 left in the opening period. The Lion senior answered, using a low single to take Parris down and up his lead to 11-4. The Lion finished the period on top and led 11-4 with :48 in riding time after the opening period. Parris chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to an 11-5 score. Cassar's quick offense led to another takedown off a high single with 1:00 left, giving the Lion a 13-5 lead. Parris escaped with :38 left in the period but Cassar's relentless offense led to another takedown and a 15-7 lead after two periods. Cassar chose down to start the final period and quickly escaped to a 16-7 lead. The twosome battled evenly for the next :45. Cassar almost connected on two more offensive moves but Parris was able to stay neutral. The Lion then used his quickness to slide behind the Wolverine for another takedown and an 18-8 lead. With 1:43 in riding time, Cassar posted the dominating 19-8 major decision.

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## #1 PENN STATE 28, #2 OHIO STATE 9

Friday, Feb. 8, 2019 -- Columbus, Ohio

133: #15 Roman Bravo-Young PSU dec. #6 Luke Pletcher OSU, 2-1 (TB)	2-0*
141: #7 Nick Lee PSU dec. #2 Joey McKenna OSU, 7-6	5-0
149: #3 Micah Jordan OSU dec. Jarod Verkleeren PSU, 10-8	5-3
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU tech fall #6 Ke-Shawn Hayes OSU, 21-6 (TF; 5:51)	10-3
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU maj. dec. #12 Te'Shawn Campbell OSU, 11-2	14-3
174: #1 Mark Hall PSU maj. dec. #18 Ethan Smith OSU, 12-4	18-2*
184: #1 Myles Martin OSU maj. dec. Mason Manville PSU, 18-6	18-6
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU pinned #2 Kollin Moore OSU, WBF (1:38)	24-6
285: #4 Anthony Cassar PSU maj. dec. #19 Chase Singletary OSU, 18-8	28-6
125: Malik Heinselman OSU dec. Devin Schnupp PSU, 7-4	28-9

Attendance: 13,276

\* Penn State deducted one team point for taking off headgear at 133 and Ohio State deducted one team point for late challenge at 174.

No. 1 Penn State (11-0, 7-0 B1G) dominated No. 2 Ohio State (9-2, 5-2 B1G) in one of the biggest duals of the college wrestling season. Penn State controlled the action from start to finish on its way to a convincing 28-9 road win in front of 13,000 fans in Columbus, Ohio. Penn State opened but the dual with two thrilling wins over top-six ranked Buckeyes and rolled from there. The dual meet featured seven bouts pitting ranked wrestlers against each other and Penn State won all seven of them, many for bonus points. The dual began at 133 where true freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 15 at 133, returned to action after missing some time with an injury and took on No. 6 Luke Pletcher. The Nitnany Lion battled Pletcher evenly through seven minutes and an overtime period before escaping in his tie breaker period and then maintaining offensive control of Pletcher for his period to post the thrilling 2-1 (TB) win. The Lions lost a team point, however, when Bravo-Young took off his headgear. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 5 at 141, kept Penn State rolling at 141, using a late takedown to post an exciting 7-6 victory over No. 2 Joey McKenna. The two early Lion wins put Penn State up 5-0 after two bouts. Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) got the call at 149 and nearly notched Penn State's third straight big win. Verkleeren battled No. 3 Micah Jordan tough for seven minutes before dropping a hard-fought 10-8 decision, cutting the Lion lead to 5-3. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, dismantled No. 6 Ke-Shawn Hayes, rolling to a 21-6 technical fall at the 5:51 mark. Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, dominated No. 12 Te'Shawn Campbell, picking up the bout's only four takedowns and racking up 2:12 in riding time to post an 11-2 major decision. Joseph's performance gave Penn State a 14-3 lead at intermission.

Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, built on Penn State's sizeable halftime lead with a dominating 12-4 major decision over No. 18 Ethan Smith. Hall's win gave the Lions an 18-2 lead as Ohio State lost a team point for a late challenge call. Redshirt freshman Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) moved up from 165 to step in for No. 2 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) at 184 and met No. 1 Myles Martin. Manville battled Martin tough before dropping an 18-6 major decision. Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, then sent the many Penn State faithful who made the trip to Columbus to their feet with a big win in one of the dual's marquee match-ups. Nickal met No. 2 Kollin Moore and, after about a minute and a half, turned a slight Moore shot into a tight cradle. Nickal turned Moore to his back with the move and after :30 of work got the first period pin at the 1:38 mark to put Penn State up 24-6 and clinch the dual. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 3 at 285, was impressive at heavyweight, collecting eighth takedowns in a resounding 18-8 major decision over No. 19 Chase Singletary to put Penn State up 28-6. Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) stepped on the mat at 125 and dropped a tough 7-4 decision to Malik Heinselman in the dual's final bout. Penn State won seven of 10 bouts to roll to the 28-9 victory. The Nitnany Lions owned a lopsided 20-15 edge in takedowns. The Lions picked up eight bonus points off a pin (Nickal's fall over No. 2 Moore), a tech fall (Nolf's over No. 6 Hayes) and three majors (Joseph over No. 12 Campbell, Hall over No. 18 Smith and Cassar over No. 19 Singletary).

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 15 at 133, returned to action after missing some time with an injury and met No. 6 Luke Pletcher. Bravo-Young and Pletcher worked the middle of the mat for the first minute-plus. Bravo-Young stepped back from a couple early Pletcher shots and was denied on a slight effort of his own at the 1:15 mark. The twosome battled evenly for the final minute-plus and the bout moved to the second period scoreless. Tied 0-0, Bravo-Young chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Pletcher worked Bravo-Young's shoulders to the mat at the 1:15 mark but the Lion was able to force a stalemate and action resumed neutral. Bravo-Young tried another duck under but Pletcher defended the shot and the bout moved to the second period with Bravo-Young leading 1-0. Trailing by one, Pletcher chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 1-1 tie. The duo traded shots and counter shots as the clock moved below 1:00 with neither wrestler breaking through. Bravo-Young scrambled through a late shot as time expired but Pletcher was able to step back and kill the clock. The first sudden victory period was highlighted by a late Pletcher shot that Bravo-Young rolled out of as time expired, sending the bout to a tie breaker. Bravo-Young chose down to start his tie breaker and quickly escaped to a 2-1 lead. Pletcher chose down for his period and Bravo-Young maintained control until the :08 mark. He was hit with a first stall warning, forcing a reset. Bravo-Young was able to keep Pletcher down for the final seconds and posted the thrilling 2-1 (tb) win. Bravo-Young was dinged for taking off his headgear and Penn State was deducted a team point.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 5 at 141, met No. 2 Joey McKenna. The duo battled evenly for the first half of the period. McKenna connected on a low single and took an early 2-1 lead after a quick Lee escape. Lee intensified his offense and forced McKenna into a stall for feeling the mat at the 1:10 mark. The twosome battled evenly for the rest of the period and McKenna led 2-1 after one. McKenna chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. Lee dove in on a fast single, connected on it and tied the match 3-3. But Ohio State challenged the call and the officials overturned it. Trailing 3-1 still, Lee pressed the action over the next minute. McKenna got in on a high single and turned a scramble into a takedown and a 5-1 lead. Lee quickly escaped to a 5-2 score and the bout moved to the third period with Lee trailing 5-2. Lee chose down to start the third period and worked his way to an escape and a 5-3 score. Lee then bulled through a high double, tied the score at 5-5 and then cut McKenna loose to a 6-5 McKenna lead with 1:10 to wrestle. Lee moved in on offense, took the Buckeye down with a fast low shot and took a 7-6 lead with :30 on the clock. The Lion sophomore then controlled the Buckeye on top for the final seconds and posted the thrilling 7-6 win.

149: Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) got the call at 149 and took on No. 3 Micah Jordan. Jordan notched the first takedown at the 2:00 mark, opening up 2-0 lead in front of the Ohio State bench. Verkleeren escaped to a 2-1 score, but Jordan was able to work his way through a high single for another takedown and a 4-2 lead with :55 on the clock. Verkleeren picked up a point on unnecessary roughness (hands to the face) and trailed 4-3 after one period. Verkleeren chose down to start the second

period and quickly escaped to a 4-4 tie. He gave up a point on stalling and trailed 5-4 and then worked his way in on a high single. He finished off the takedown and took a 6-5 lead, which Jordan tied with an escaped. Verkleeren then gave up a point on hands to the face and the ranked Buckeye led 7-6 at the :40 mark. The twosome battled evenly for the final seconds and Jordan led 7-6 after two periods. Jordan chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to an 8-6 lead. Verkleeren countered a Jordan shot, worked his way into control of Jordan's feet and nearly scored twice with Jordan's shoulders towards the mat. But the scramble ended in a stalemate with :50 left and action resumed neutral. Jordan worked his way in on a shot but Verkleeren countered, rolled through the move and took Jordan Down to tie the bout. But Verkleeren got called for a questionable stall call, giving the Buckeye a 9-8 lead. Penn State challenged the call but it stood. Verkleeren cut Jordan loose but could not notch a final takedown and dropped a hard-fought 10-8 decision.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, battled No. 6 Ke-Shawn Hayes. Nolf scored quickly, taking Hayes down and cutting him loose for an early 2-1 lead. He quickly added a second takedown to lead 4-1 with 1:55 on the clock and then controlled the action for :30 before cutting Hayes loose to a 4-2 score. Nolf scored just seconds off the reset and cut Hayes again to up his lead to 6-3 with 1:15 on the clock. The Lion senior continued to press on offense and picked up a fourth takedown to lead 8-3 after one period. Hayes chose down to start the second period and Nolf cut him loose to an 8-4 score. Nolf quickly notched his fifth takedown, cut Hayes again and led 10-5 with 1:20 on the clock. The Lion senior picked up his sixth takedown at the 1:00 mark and then worked his riding time edge up to 1:48 before cutting Hayes loose again. Nolf added a seventh takedown with a strong high double and led 14-6 with 2:09 in riding time after two. Nolf chose down to start the third, quickly escaped and then took Hayes down to up his lead to 17-6 with 1:35 on the clock. Nolf worked Hayes over, nearly pinning him but settled for four near fall points and a 21-6 technical fall at the 5:51 mark.

165: Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, met No. 12 Te'Shawn Campbell. The Pittsburgh natives battled evenly for the first minute-plus before Joseph worked a high single into a takedown and an early 2-0 lead. Joseph built up nearly a minute worth of riding time before cutting Campbell loose to a 2-1 lead. With :20 left, Joseph worked a high shot into a second takedown and led 4-1 with :55 in time after one period. Joseph chose down to start the second period. The Lion senior worked his way to an escape and a 5-1 lead with 1:25 left in the period. Joseph blew through a high double, notching a takedown in front of the Penn State corner with :40 on the clock to lead 7-1. The Lion finished on top and carried that lead and :59 of riding time into the second stanza. Campbell chose down to start the third period and Joseph cut him to a 7-2 lead. Joseph continued to press Campbell, countering a slight Buckeye shot for an eight takedown and a 9-2 lead with 1:05 left to wrestle. Joseph then controlled the action on top for the final minute-plus and, with a stall point and 2:13 in time, rolled to the 11-2 major.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, faced off against No. 18 Ethan Smith. Smith connected on a low shot at the 1:50 mark but Hall fought off the move, got to one leg, rolled through and behind the Buckeye for a takedown of his own and led 2-0 at the 1:21 mark. Hall stepped back from another low Smith shot and continued working the middle of the mat. The twosome battled evenly for the remainder of the period and Hall led 2-1 after one. Smith chose down to start the second period and Hall went to work on top. The Lion controlled Smith deep into the period, working his riding time edge over 1:00. Continuing to look for a chance to turn the Buckeye, Hall forced Smith into a stall warning at the :35 mark and finished the period on top. Leading 2-1 with 2:28 in riding time, Hall chose down to start the third period. The Lion junior quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead and action resumed neutral. Hall shot at Smith's left leg, finished off the takedown and opened up a 5-1 lead. He cut Smith loose to a 5-2 score and immediately went back to work on offense. Hall turned a low single into another takedown and a 7-3 lead. He quickly added two more takedowns and finished the bout on top with a rideout. Hall's 3:16 in riding time gave him the 12-4 major decision. Ohio State lost a team point during the bout for a late challenge.

184: Redshirt freshman Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) moved up from 165 for No. 2 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) at 184 and battled No. 1 Myles Martin. Martin scored quickly on the Lion 165-pounder. The Buckeye notched two takedowns in the opening minute to lead 4-2 at the 2:00 mark. Manville steadied himself and battled the Buckeye All-American evenly for the next minute before Martin broke through for a third takedown to lead 6-2 after the opening period. Manville chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 6-3 score. Manville forced a scramble in the middle of the mat with 1:30 on the clock but Martin was able to muscle through for a takedown and an 8-4 lead. Martin got hit for stalling with 1:00 on the clock and then took Manville down to lead 1-4 with :55 left in the middle period. Leading 10-4, Martin chose down to start the third period and escaped to an 11-4 lead. Manville escaped and Martin notched another takedown to up his lead to 13-5 with a clinched riding time point. Manville shot low with 1:00 on the clock but Martin countered for another takedown and a 15-6 lead. Manville nearly finished off a takedown and the :30 mark, but Martin was able to work his way behind him for a final takedown and an 18-6 major.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, met No. 2 Kollin Moore in the dual's marquee match-up. Moore shot quickly, trying to connect on a single, but Nickal deftly stepped back and action resumed in neutral. Moore worked in on a single leg and Nickal made him pay. The Lion senior quickly countered the move, worked his way into a cradle and locked Moore up. Nickal turned Moore to his back and, after :30 of work, got the first period fast fall at the 1:38 mark.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 3 at 285, took on No. 19 Chase Singletary. The Lion big man wasted no time opening up a big lead. Cassar notched two takedowns in the first 1:30 and led 4-1. After the second takedown, he built up :51 in riding time before cutting Singletary loose. Cassar went on to add a third takedown to up his lead to 6-2. Cassar finished on top and carried that lead and 1:27 in riding time into the second period. Singletary chose down to start the second period and Cassar continued to dominate on top. He cut the Buckeye loose with 1:35 on the clock and action continued neutral with Cassar up 6-3. Cassar added a fourth takedown with 1:10 on the clock, then a fifth at the :35 mark to lead 10-4. Leading by six with nearly 3:00 in time, Cassar chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped. He added a sixth takedown and led 13-5 at the 1:15 mark. The Lion senior used a high shot for another takedown and led 15-5 with :50 left to wrestle. The Lion cut Singletary loose at the :25 mark and then rolled through a high double for another takedown. Singletary finished with a reversal but 3:52 in riding time gave Cassar the 18-8 major.

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) battled Ohio State's Malik Heinselman. The duo battled evenly in the middle of the mat, with neither wrestler finding an opening in the first minute plus. Heinselman notched the bout's first takedown at the 1:22 mark and took a 2-0 lead. Schnupp worked his way to an escaped and a 2-1 score with :45 on the clock and then worked the middle of the mat, looking for a chance to score. Leading 2-1 after one, Heinselman chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. The duo then battled for the next minute in the middle of the mat until Heinselman forced a scramble with a low single at the :45 mark. Schnupp was able to fight off the takedown for a bit but Heinselman was able to finish off the move and take a 5-1 lead. Schnupp worked his way to an escape before the period ended and trailed 5-2 after two. The Lion chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-3 score. Riding time was not a factor at this point. Heinselman turned a low single into a takedown and a 7-4 lead with :45 on the clock. Schnupp battled for a late takedown but Heinselman was able to fight off the Lion's late efforts and posted the 7-4 win.



# RECAPS

## #1 PENN STATE 37, MICHIGAN STATE 10 Friday, Feb. 15, 2019 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: #7 Rayvon Foley MSU maj. dec. Devin Schnupp PSU, 14-5	0-4
133: Anthony Tutolo MSU dec. Scott Stossel PSU, 4-1	0-7
141: #2 Nick Lee PSU maj. dec. Austin Eicher MSU, 19-7	4-7
149: Jarod Verkleeren PSU maj. dec. Jaden Enriquez MSU, 12-3	8-7
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU pinned Jake Sanderson MSU, WBF (3:50)	14-7
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU pinned Austin Hiles MSU, WBF (3:48)	20-7
174: #1 Mark Hal PSU win by DQ over Drew Hughes MSU, DQ (5 stalls)	26-7
184: #15 Cameron Caffey MSU dec. Mason Manville PSU, 6-4	26-10
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU pinned Brad Wilton MSU, WBF (0:35)	32-10
285: #3 Anthony Cassar PSU tech fall Chase Beard, 21-6 (TF; 6:06)	37-10

Attendance: 6,643 (47th straight Rec Hall sellout, 52 of 54 including 5 of 7 in BJC)

No. 1 Penn State (12-0, 8-0 B1G) took care of visiting Michigan State (9-7, 3-5 B1G) in front of yet another sold out Rec Hall crowd. Head coach Cael Sanderson's crew won seven of 10 bouts, all for bonus points, to post the 37-10 win as over 6,600 fans looked on.

The dual began at 125 where sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) battled No. 7 Rayvon Foley tough before dropping a 14-5 major decision. Senior Scott Stossel (Pittsburgh, Pa.) stepped in at 133 for true freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 11 at 133, who returned to Tucson for a funeral. Stossel fought Spartan Senior Anthony Tutolo for seven minutes but Tutolo walked away with a hard-fought 4-1 win to put Michigan State up 7-0 after two bouts.

Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, put Penn State on the board with a dominating 19-7 major decision over Spartan senior Austin Eicher. Lee's win cut MSU's early lead to 7-4. Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) was impressive at 149, rolling to a 12-3 major over Jaden Enriquez with over 3:00 in riding time to give Penn State an 8-7 lead. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, dominated Michigan State's Jake Tucker. After building up a big lead, Nolf turned Tucker's shoulders to the mat for his 12th pin of the year at the 3:50 mark. Nolf's big win gave Penn State a 14-7 lead at intermission.

Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, thrilled the Rec Hall faithful with a rousing performance over MSU's Austin Hiles. Joseph turned a big first period lead into a takedown, cradle and pin at the 3:48 mark to push Penn State out to a 20-7 lead. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, controlled the action from start to finish against Drew Hughes, building up a 14-1 lead before winning by disqualification after Hughes took his fifth stall warning trying to stay on top during the third period.

Redshirt freshman Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) once again moved up from 165 to 184 for No. 2 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) and nearly pulled off a huge upset. Manville fought No. 15 Cameron Caffey to the end before dropping a close 6-4 decision. Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, then stepped on to the mat and quickly took care of Brad Wilton. Nickal notched a takedown, turned it into a cradle and got the fast fall at the 0:35 mark to put Penn State up 32-10. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 3 at 285, capped off the dual with a 21-6 tech fall over Spartan Chase Beard. Cassar's tech at the 6:46 mark finished off Penn State's 37-10 victory.

Penn State amassed a lopsided 35-8 advantage in takedowns. All seven of Penn State's wins were for bonus. The Nittany Lions collected 16 bonus points off three pins (Nolf, Joseph, Nickal), one DQ (Hall), one tech fall (Cassar) and two majors (Lee, Verkleeren). Nolf's fall was his 12th of the year and upped his all-time PSU career record mark to 57. Nickal's pin was his 14th of the year. He is second all-time at Penn State with 55, trailing Nolf by two. Joseph's fall was his 11th of the year. The sellout crowd of 6,643 is the tenth largest Rec Hall crowd of the Sanderson era at Penn State.

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Lititz, Pa.) met No. 7 Rayvon Foley. The duo battled in the middle of the mat for the first :45 before Foley notched the first takedown to open up a 2-0 lead. The Spartan maintained control of Schnupp for well over a minute while trying to turn the Lion and forced Schnupp into a stall warning at the :40 mark. Schnupp was unable to break free of Foley's strong ride and Schnupp trailed 2-0 after the opening period. Foley chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. Schnupp worked his way in on a low single at the 1:45 mark and steadily brought Foley's right leg up to his shoulder. The Lion finished off the takedown with a trip and trailed 4-2 after a Foley escape. Foley connected on a fast shot to up his lead to 6-3 with :30 on the clock. Schnupp took a low single but Foley countered for another takedown late in the period and led 8-3 with 2:33 in riding time after two periods. Schnupp chose down to start the third and Foley cut him to an 8-4 score. Foley countered another Schnupp shot and led 10-5 with 1:20 on the clock and then added another takedown to lead 12-5 with 1:00 left in the match. Foley finished the match on top and, with 3:46 in riding time and a stall point, posted the 14-5 major decision.

133: Senior Scott Stossel (Pittsburgh, Pa.) stepped in at 133 for No. 11 Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), who returned to Tucson for a funeral. Stossel met Spartan senior Anthony Tutolo. Stossel and Tutolo battled evenly for the first minute-plus before Stossel worked his way in on a low single at the 1:50 mark. Tutolo forced a scramble as he tried to counter the move but the action ended in a stalemate with 1:19 on the clock. Tutolo took a slight shot and Stossel stepped back from the move to keep action neutral as the clock moved below the :50 mark. Tied 0-0, Tutolo chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Stossel continued to keep action in the middle of the mat. Tutolo worked his way in on a solid single but Stossel worked his way into a scramble, trying to counter the move for a takedown of his own. But Tutolo was strong enough to break Stossel's grip on his ankle and got the takedown with :25 left in the period. Trailing 3-0, Stossel chose down to start the third period but Tutolo was able to keep control and break the Lion senior down in the middle of the mat. Tutolo's riding time edge moved over the 1:00 mark as the final period hit its midway point. Stossel worked his way to an escape with :10 left but Tutolo, with 2:07 in time, posted the 4-1 win.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, met senior Austin Eicher. Lee wasted no time working his offense, turning a quick shot into a takedown and an early 2-1 lead. Lee bullied his way through a low shot at the 2:20 mark to open up a 4-1 lead and then went to work on top, looking for a chance to turn Eicher. Eicher was able to fight off two Lee turn efforts before Lee cut him loose to a 4-2 score. Lee had 1:15 in riding time at the 1:15 mark of the period. Lee slid behind Eicher for a third

takedown and a 6-2 lead with :45 on the clock and then finished the period on top to lead 6-2 with over 2:00 in riding time after one period. Lee chose down to start the second period and steadily worked his way to an escape and a 7-2 lead. The Lion sophomore forced Eicher into a stall warning and then he finished off a takedown to lead 9-2 with 1:10 on the clock. Eicher escaped as Lee tried to lock up a cradle, cutting the Lee lead to 9-3 with :45 left in the period. Lee continued to press on offense and picked up another takedown with :18 left in the period to lead 11-3 with 2:36 in time after two. Eicher chose down to start the third period and gave up a stall point before Lee cut him to a 12-4 score. Lee quickly tacked on two more takedowns to lead 16-5 with 1:05 on the clock. Lee cut Eicher to a 16-6 score and bullied his way through a takedown with :25 left to lead 18-7. Lee piled up 3:45 in riding time and posted the 19-7 major.

149: Redshirt freshman Jarod Verkleeren (Greensburg, Pa.) took on MSU's Jaden Enriquez at 149. Verkleeren came out hot, rushing through a fast shot to lead 2-1 early. He quickly lifted Enriquez off the mat and took him down for a second takedown to lead 4-1 before a minute had passed. The Lion freshman maintained control for the next minute, building up a sizeable riding time advantage while trying to turn Enriquez. Verkleeren cut Enriquez loose with :40 on the clock and immediately turned in on a low shot, finishing off the move on the edge of the mat to lead 6-2 with :35 left in the period. Verkleeren finished the period on top and led 6-2 with 2:27 in time after one. Verkleeren chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 7-2 lead. The duo worked the middle of the mat with neither wrestler breaking through for over a minute. Verkleeren worked his way into control of a low single and finished off the takedown with :15 on the clock to lead 9-2 with 2:34 in time after two. Enriquez chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 9-3 score. Verkleeren continued to work on his feet, needing one more takedown to secure bonus points. Verkleeren continued to pressure Enriquez and the action paid off with a low shot for a takedown and an 11-3 lead with :38 on the clock. With the riding time point secured, Verkleeren finished on top and posted the strong 12-3 major with 3:14 in riding time.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, met Jake Tucker. Nolf wasted no time taking a lead, working a fast double leg for a takedown and a 2-0 lead just seconds into the bout. Nolf then went to work on top, looking for a turning combination but Tucker slid out from underneath the Lion and scored a reversal to tie the bout at 2-2 with 2:15 on the clock. Nolf was nonplussed, however, and answered Tucker's reversal with a reversal of his own to lead 4-2 with 1:50 left in a fast paced first period. Nolf cut Tucker loose to a 4-3 score and then quickly took the Spartan down to lead 6-4. Nolf added a third quick takedown, then another, and with :45 on the clock led 10-5 with over 1:00 in time. Nolf finished the period on top and led 10-5 with 1:45 in riding time after the opening stanza. Tucker chose down to start the second period and was hit for a first stall right away. Nolf then worked Tucker's shoulder over and settled in for a few seconds. After a brief bit of work, Nolf picked up the pin at the 3:50 mark.

165: Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, took on Spartan Austin Hiles. Joseph set a fast pace to start the match and connected on his second shot with 2:28 on the clock. The Lion cut Hiles loose and then quickly notched a second takedown to lead 4-1 with 1:40 left to wrestle in the opening period. Joseph picked up a third takedown with a fast high double and led 6-2 as the clock moved below the 1:00 mark. Joseph forced Hiles into a stall warning and built up a large time edge before turning the Spartan over for four back points to lead 10-2 with 2:10 in riding time after the opening period. Joseph chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to an 11-2 lead. He then gained control of Hiles' shoulders and rolled him over for another takedown. After resetting for a moment, Joseph wrapped up a cradle and quickly pinned Hiles at the 3:48 mark.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, met Drew Hughes. Hall set a high pace in the first period, forcing Hughes backwards as he looked for a chance to score. Hall connected on a takedown and used his back to force Hughes' back to the mat for four back points and a 6-0 led with 1:05 on the clock. Michigan State called for a review of the scoring flurry but the call on the mat was confirmed. Hall then went to work on top, finishing with a rideout to lead 6-0 with 1:31 in riding time after one period. Hall chose neutral to start the second period and worked the middle of the mat. He quickly slid behind Hughes for a takedown and an 8-0 lead with 1:18 on the clock. Hall cut Hughes loose at the 1:00 mark and moved in again, pushing the Spartan over backwards for another takedown and a 10-1 lead with :40 on the clock. Hughes got hit for first stall during Hall's ride and the Lion finished on top to lead 10-1 with 2:44 in time after two. Hughes chose top to start the third period, gave up two points on two stalls to give Hall a 12-1 lead. After a brief reset, Hughes got hit for his fourth stall, then a fifth and Hughes stalled out, getting disqualified on the fifth stall and giving Hall the six point win (Hall was leading 14-1 at the time).

184: Redshirt freshman Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) moved up from 165 for No. 2 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) and battled No. 15 Cameron Caffey. Caffey worked his way in on a low single at the 1:55 mark, trying to take Manville down in front of the Spartan bench. But Manville was able to defend the shot and force a stalemate with 1:24 on the clock. Manville used a fast low shot to force a scramble in the middle of the mat that nearly ended in a Lion takedown. But Caffey was able to work the action to a stalemate and Manville and Caffey continued neutral as the period ended. Tied 0-0, Caffey chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Manville continued to pressure Caffey and turned a low shot into a takedown and a 2-1 lead at the 1:35 mark. But the officials opted to review the move on their own and reversed the call. Manville trailed 1-0 on the reset with 1:35 on the clock. Caffey turned a low shot into the bout's first takedown and Manville quickly escaped to a 3-1 MSU lead with 1:10 on the clock. Manville shot low on Caffey but the Spartan countered the move and notched another takedown to up his lead to 5-1 with a rideout. Trailing 5-1, Manville chose down to start the third period. He worked his way to an escaped, cutting the lead to 5-2 and spent the next minute-plus working for a takedown to eat into the Spartan lead. Caffey was able to fend off numerous Manville shots until the Lion finally connected and cut the lead to 5-4. Manville cut Caffey to a 6-4 score with :25 left and the Lion's furious final efforts were held off as Caffey held on for a hard-fought 6-4 win.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, faced off against Brad Wilton. Nickal wasted no time thrilling the Rec Hall faithful, taking Wilton down in the opening seconds, wrapping up a cradle and getting the fast fall at the 0:35 mark.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 3 at 285, took on Chase Beard. Cassar fought off an early Beard shot and the, after a reset, took an early 2-1 lead with a fast takedown in the middle of the mat. Cassar bullied through a low shot to open up a 4-2 lead seconds later after cutting beard loose. Leading 4-2, Cassar notched his third takedown and then finished on top to lead 6-2 with 2:04 in time. Beard chose down to start the second period and Cassar cut him loose to a 6-3 score. Cassar blew through a high shot, taking Beard straight to his back for a six point move, nearly getting the pin in the process, to take a 12-3 lead. The Lion senior cut Beard loose and took him down again to lead 14-4 late in the period and carried that lead with over 3:00 in riding time into the final period. With the riding time point clinched, Cassar chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 15-4 lead. Cassar added another takedown to lead 17-4, cut Beard loose, took him down to a 19-5 lead, cut him again and finished the match with a final 21-6 tech fall.

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## #1 PENN STATE 39, #19 ILLINOIS 9 Sunday, Feb. 17, 2019 -- Champaign, Ill.

125: #12 Travis Piotrowski ILL pinned Devin Schnupp PSU, WBF (1:03)	0-6
133: Scott Stossel PSU dec. Joshua Contreras ILL, 6-4	3-6
141: #2 Nick Lee PSU tech fall Abdullah Assaf ILL, 17-2 (TF; 3:48)	8-6
149: #11 Brady Berge PSU maj. dec. Christian Kanzler ILL, 15-4	12-6
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU inj. def. #10 Eric Barone ILL, Inj.Def. (5:25; Nolf up 12-1)	18-6
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU maj. dec. Nick Gasbarro ILL, 15-4	22-6
174: #1 Mark Hall PSU pinned Carver James ILL, WBF (2:20)	28-6
184: #7 Emery Parker ILL dec. Mason Manville PSU, 7-3	28-9
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU tech fall Matt Wroblewski ILL, 19-3 (TF; 6:49)	33-9
285: #3 Anthony Cassar PSU pinned Deuce Rachal ILL, WBF (2:06)	39-9

No. 1 Penn State (13-0, 9-0 B1G) pummeled No. 19 Illinois (2-9, 1-8 B1G) in the Big Ten dual meet finale for head coach Cael Sanderson's Nittany Lions. Penn State won eight of 10 bouts to post a 39-9 win over the homestanding Illini, helping secure Penn State at least a share of its sixth Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) title. Penn State has won or shared four straight Big Ten Regular Season crowns.

The dual began at 125 where sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litzit, Pa.) was pinned by No. 12 Travis Piotrowski at the 1:03 mark to give Illinois an early 6-0 lead. Senior Scott Stossel (Pittsburgh, Pa.) stepped in at 133 for true freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 11 at 133, who returned to Tucson for a funeral. Stossel used takedowns in the second and third periods and added 1:40 in riding time to post a 6-4 win over Joshua Contreras, picking up his first dual victory as a Nittany Lion.

Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, put on an offensive clinic in downing Illinois' Abdullah Assaf. Lee had four takedowns and three turns, including a four-pointer in the second period to post the 17-2 technical fall at the 3:48 mark. Lee's win put Penn State up 8-6 after three bouts. Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 11 at 149, returned to the line-up and was impressive in a 15-4 major over Illinois' Christian Kanzler. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, then dominated No. 10 Eric Barone. Nolf built up a 12-1 lead before Barone, after a second injury timeout, was unable to continue, giving Nolf the injury default victory at the 5:25 mark. Nolf's win put Penn State up 18-6 at the midway point.

Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, rolled through Nick Gasbarro to keep Penn State charging. Joseph notched six takedowns and amassed 4:37 in riding time to post the 15-4 major and put Penn State up 22-6. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, made short work of Illinois' Carver James. Hall turned a first period takedown into one two point turn before resetting and pinning James at the 2:20 mark in the first period.

Redshirt freshman Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) once again moved up from 165 to 184 for No. 2 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) and battled No. 7 Emery Parker tough for seven minutes before dropping a close 7-3 decision. Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, racked up six takedowns and two near falls on his way to a 19-3 tech fall over Matt Wroblewski, getting the tech at the 6:49 mark to put Penn State up 33-9. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 3 at 285, finished off Penn State's dominating performance by pinning Deuce Rachal at the 2:06 mark, locking the Illini up and tossing him to his back in seconds for the fall. Cassar's pin made the final 39-9 for the Nittany Lions.

Penn State dominated the dual from start to finish, posting a 28-5 takedown advantage. The Lions tallied 15 bonus points off two pins (Hall, Cassar), an injury default (Nolf), two tech falls (Lee, Nickal) and two majors (Berge, Joseph). Hall picked up his 29th career pin. Nickal now has 111 career wins while Nolf has 108. Penn State has won or shared four straight Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) titles and six overall, all since Sanderson's arrival at Penn State.

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litzit, Pa.) met No. 12 Travis Piotrowski. Piotrowski scored quickly, turning a high single into a takedown and a 2-0 lead seconds into the bout. Schnupp tried to work his way to his feet but Piotrowski wrapped up a cradle and turned the Lion to his back, picking up the pin at the 1:03 mark.

133: Senior Scott Stossel (Pittsburgh, Pa.) stepped in at 133 for No. 11 Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), who returned to Tucson for a funeral. Stossel took on Joshua Contreras. The duo battled through a scoreless opening minute in the middle of the mat. Stossel looked to control the center circle, setting up his offense. Contreras was able to counter a low Stossel single and take a 2-0 lead with just seconds left in the period and led after the opening period. Contreras chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 3-0 lead at the 1:45 mark. Contreras then worked his way in on a high single and Stossel was able to force a reset with 1:20 left in the middle stanza. Contreras took a shot and this time Stossel countered for a takedown to cut the lead to 3-2 with :55 on the clock. Stossel then maintained control of the Illini grappler for the rest of the period and trailed 3-2 with :49 in riding time. Stossel chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to tie the bout 3-3. He then countered another Contreras shot for takedown and led 5-3 with 1:10 left to wrestle. He worked his riding time up over 1:00 and continued to control action from the top position. With the riding time point assured, Contreras escaped to a 5-4 score with :20 left. Stossel fought off a late Illini shot and, with 1:40 in time, posted the 6-4 win.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, faced off against Illinois' Abdullah Assaf. Lee scored quickly, taking Assaf down on the edge of the mat seconds into the bout. He then cut Assaf loose :30 later and went back to work in neutral. Lee picked up his second takedown with 1:50 to wrestle, taking a 4-1 lead. He worked Assaf over to his back and upped his lead to 6-1 with two near fall points at the 1:20 mark. Lee added two more back points and finished on top to lead 8-1 with 2:21 in riding time after one period. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 9-1 lead. He quickly zipped through a low single for another takedown, then cut Assaf loose, then grabbed him by his shoulders

149: Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 11 at 149, took on Christian Kanzler. Berge came out quickly, gaining control of Kanzler's left ankle and picking up the takedown at the 2:26 mark to open up a 2-0 lead. Berge worked up :41 in riding time before Kanzler escaped to a 2-1 score with 1:20 on the clock. Berge once again grabbed Kanzler's left ankle but Kanzler was able to force a stalemate at the :25 mark, forcing a reset. Berge continued to shoot, forcing Kanzler into defense, and then the Lion

dove through a low double for a takedown with just :01 left to lead 4-1 after one period. Trailing 4-1, Kanzler chose down to start the second period and Berge went to work on top. The Lion worked a bow and arrow and turned Kanzler to his back for four back points and an 8-1 lead with 1:10 on the clock. Berge forced Kanzler into a stall warning before the Illini escaped with :28 left in the period. Berge chose down to start the third period and picked up another point on a stall before escaping to a 10-2 lead. He then quickly turned in on Kanzler and took him down to lead 12-3 with :50 left in the bout. Berge took Kanzler down again with :38 on the clock and, with 1:17 in riding time, rolled to the 15-4 major.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, met No. 10 Eric Barone. Nolf picked up Barone's left ankle and spent the next :45 working the Illini to the mat for a takedown. Nolf whipped Barone's ankle downward, picked up the takedown at the 1:43 mark and led 2-1 with 1:08 left in the opening period. Nolf continued to pressure Barone and his work paid off with a second takedown with just seconds left to lead 4-1 after the opening stanza. Nolf chose down to start the second period and steadily worked his way to an escape and a 5-1 lead. Nolf worked Barone to his back on the edge of the mat, took the Illini down and to his back for two near fall points before Barone took an injury timeout. Nolf led 9-1 after the flurry. Nolf chose down on the reset and escaped with :15 on the clock. He added a last second takedown and led 12-1 after two. Barone chose down to start the third period and Nolf went to work on top. Barone took injury time again and could not continue, giving Nolf the injury default victory at the 5:25 mark, with Nolf leading 12-1 at the time. Joseph built up over 2:00 in riding time while trying to turn the Illini for back points. The Lion junior went on to post the injury default win after Barone could not continue at the 5:25 mark.

165: Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, took on Nick Gasbarro. Joseph set the pace early, working the middle of the mat until using a solid single leg to notch a takedown with 2:15 on the clock, opening up a 2-0 lead. He cut Gasbarro loose and went back to work in neutral, picking up a second takedown with 1:12 left in the period. Joseph added a third takedown and led 6-2 after the opening period. Gasbarro chose down to start the second period and Joseph cut him loose to a 6-3 score. After fighting off a Gasbarro shot, Joseph worked a high single into a fourth takedown with 1:15 on the clock and upped his lead to 8-3. Joseph forced Gasbarro into one stall warning with rideout and led 8-3 with 2:54 in riding time after two periods. Joseph chose down to start the third period and quickly rolled through a reversal to a 10-3 lead with 1:45 on the clock. He picked up another point on a Gasbarro stall and led 11-4 after cutting Gasbarro loose. He added another takedown, picked up another stall point and, with 4:37 in riding time, posted the dominating 15-4 major decision.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, met Carver James. Hall drew first blood quickly, taking James down on the edge of the mat. He then built up a good riding time edge while turning the Illini to his back for two near fall points and a 4-0 lead just over a minute into the bout. Hall continued to work on top, looking to turn the Illini. He worked James over, rolling through control and turning James to his back and getting the first period pin at the 2:20 mark.

184: Redshirt freshman Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) moved up from 165 for No. 2 Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) and battled No. 7 Emery Parker. Manville was the aggressor early, forcing Parker towards the outside circle while looking to connect on offense. The Lion freshman pressed the Illinois senior for over two minutes and then fought off Parker's attempts at shoulder control as the period wound down. Scoreless after the opening stanza, Parker chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. He then used a quick shot to notch the first takedown of the bout and took a 3-0 lead on Manville. Manville worked his way to an escape and a 3-1 score with 1:30 in the clock. Parker countered a Manville effort and took a 5-2 lead with :55 left in the period. Manville was unable to break through Parker's defense and trailed 5-2 after two. The Lion freshman chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 5-3 score. He quickly went to work on offense and spent the next two minutes forcing the ranked Illini into defense. Parker was able to counter a late Manville shot and posted the 7-3 win.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, battled Matt Wroblewski. Nickal took an early 2-1 lead with a takedown and cut and then went back to work in the middle of the mat. The Lion senior stepped back from a slight Illini shot and slid around Wroblewski for a second takedown and a 4-1 lead with 1:31 on the clock. Nickal built up over 1:00 in riding time, controlling action from the top position before turning Wroblewski to his back for two near fall points at the :20 mark to lead 6-1 after the opening stanza. Wroblewski chose neutral to start the second period. Nickal immediately went to work on offense and drove the Illini to the mat for another takedown and an 8-1 lead. After a reset with 1:10 on the clock, Nickal cut Wroblewski loose to an 8-2 score. Nickal continued to work on offense while the Illini backed away. The Lion ducked under Wroblewski late for another takedown and led 10-2 with 2:52 in time after two. Nickal chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to an 11-2 lead. He picked up another takedown and led 13-3 with 1:20 on the clock. Wroblewski took his first shot of the match, Nickal countered, locked up the cradle and appeared to have the Illini pinned. No fall was given but the four near fall points gave Nickal the 19-3 tech fall at the 6:49 mark.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 3 at 285, took on Deuce Rachal. The duo battled evenly for the opening two minutes before the Lion locked Rachal up at the shoulders, drove him to the mat and picked up the first period fall at the 2:06 mark.



## #1 PENN STATE 47, BUFFALO 3 Sunday, Feb. 24, 2019 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: Kyle Akins UB dec. Justin Lopez PSU, 5-0	0-3
133: #11 Roman Bravo-Young PSU maj. dec. Derek Spann UB, 14-5	4-3
141: #2 Nick Lee PSU win by forfeit	10-3
149: #11 Brady Berge PSU dec. Jason Estevez UB, 11-4	13-3
157: #1 Jason Nolf PSU pinned Kyle Todrank UB, WBF (5:41)	19-3
165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph PSU pinned Noah Grover UB, WBF (1:03)	25-3
174: #1 Mark Hall PSU pinned Jake Lanning UB, WBF (2:13)	31-3
184: #2 Shakur Rasheed PSU pinned Logan Rill UB, WBF (1:16)	37-3
197: #1 Bo Nickal PSU pinned Brett Perry UB, WBF (1:19)	43-3
285: #3 Anthony Cassar PSU maj. dec. Sam Schuyler UB, 16-5	47-3
Attendance: 6,614 (48th straight sellout in Rec Hall, 53 of 55 including five of seven in BJC)	

No. 1 Penn State (14-0, 9-0 B1G) hammered visiting Buffalo (12-5, 5-2 MAC) in the dual meet finale for the Nittany Lions, capping off the team's fourth straight undefeated season. Penn State won nine of ten bouts to roll to a 47-3 win and end the season 14-0 overall. Penn State won a share of its fourth straight Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) title last weekend when it finished its conference schedule with a 9-0 mark. This marks the fourth straight year that Penn State has gone undefeated, including going 9-0 in the Big Ten.

The dual began at 125. With Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) not wrestling (precautionary), sophomore Justin Lopez (Yonkers, Pa.) made his Penn State dual meet debut. Lopez battled senior Kyle Akins tough before dropping a 5-0 decision. True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 11 at 133, dominated Buffalo's Derek Spann. The Lion freshman rolled to a 14-5 major decision with 2:40 in riding time, handing Spann only his third loss of the year in 20 matches and giving Penn State a 4-3 lead in the dual. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, won by forfeit and the Nittany Lions led 10-3 after three bouts.

Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 11 at 149, dominated the third period as he rolled to an impressive 11-4 win over Buffalo senior Jason Estevez to give the Nittany Lions a 13-3 lead. Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, took to the mat for the final time in Rec Hall. Nolf put on an offensive clinic in his match against Kyle Todrank, taking an 18-7 lead before hitting a cradle and pinning Todrank at the 5:41 mark. Nolf picked up his 58th career pin in his final Rec Hall appearance and the Nittany Lions led 19-3 at halftime.

Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, made short work of Buffalo's Noah Grover to begin the second half. Joseph hit a strong double leg less than 1:00 into the bout and quickly turned the Bull to his back for a pin at the 1:03 mark. Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, made it three straight pins for the Lions. Hall turned a late first period takedown into a pin at 2:13 to put Penn State on top 31-3. Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 2 at 184 returned to the lineup on Senior Day and thrilled the Lion faithful with Penn State's fourth straight pin. Rasheed locked up a cradle at the 1:16 mark and pinned Logan Rill to give Penn State a 37-3 lead.

Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, took to the mat for the final time in Rec Hall. Nickal left Rec Hall in style by giving Penn State its fifth straight pin. Nickal used a cradle to notch his 56th career pin in his final Rec Hall bout, pinning Brett Perry at the 1:19 mark to give the Lions a 43-3 lead. Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 3 at 285, finished off Senior Day in style. Cassar racked up seven takedowns to roll to a 16-5 major decision. Cassar's major made the final 47-3.

The Nittany Lions owned a superb 27-1 edge in takedowns. The Lions picked up 20 bonus points in the dual off five pins (Nolf, Joseph, Hall, Rasheed, Nickal), a forfeit win (Lee) and two majors (Bravo-Young, Cassar). Nolf upped his Penn State record in career pins to 58 while Nickal moved to 56, second all-time. Hall now has 30 career pins, 14th all-time at Penn State, while Rasheed has 27, 20th all-time. Joseph notched his 12th pin of the year and now has 18 as a Nittany Lion. The sellout crowd of 6,614 was the 48th straight Rec Hall sellout and the 53rd in the last 55 home events at Penn State, including five of seven in the Bryce Jordan Center.

The Nittany Lions have won 59-straight dual meets dating back to the end of the 2014-15 season. Sanderson's Lions won their last dual of that campaign, went 16-0 in 2015-16, went 14-0 in 2016-17 and went 14-0 in 2017-18. Penn State ends its dual season at 14-0, 9-0 in the Big Ten, finishing the Big Ten season with a 9-0 mark for the fourth straight year.

### BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) did not wrestle for Penn State (precautionary) so classmate Justin Lopez (Yonkers, N.Y.) made his Lion dual debut against senior Kyle Akins. The duo worked the middle off the mat for the opening minute with neither wrestler gaining an advantage. Lopez stepped away from two Akins during the second minute of the match, while Akins stepped back from a Lopez low single at the 1:00 mark. Lopez was able to defend a strong Akins shot on the edge of the mat as the period ended and the bout moved to the second period scoreless. Akins chose down to start the second period and Lopez tried to turn him to his back. Akins worked his way underneath the Lion sophomore for a reversal, however, and led 2-0 just :30 into the middle stanza. Akins controlled the action on top, forcing Lopez in to a stall warning during a rideout and led 2-0 with 1:12 in riding time after two periods. Trailing by two, Lopez chose neutral to start the third period. He fought off an Akins shot in front of the Lion bench, forcing a reset with 1:30 on the clock, but the Bull senior connected for a takedown after the reset and led 4-0 at the 1:00 mark. Akins finished the match on top and, with 2:19 in riding time, posted the 5-0 decision.

133: True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 11 at 133, met Derek Spann. Bravo-Young connected on a single leg early, finishing of the shot for a takedown at the 2:40 mark. The Lion freshman went to work on top, looking for a turning combination while building up over 1:00 in riding time. Bravo-Young cut Spann loose at the 1:05 mark and went back to work in the middle of the mat. The Lion freshman bulled through a double leg, picked Spann up and put him on the mat for another takedown at the :35 mark. Bravo-Young finished the period on top and led 4-1 with 2:07 in riding time after one period. Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the second period, fought off a quick Spann shot and then zipped his way through a fast shot for a takedown on the edge of the mat to open up a 6-1 lead with 1:25 left in the middle stanza. He cut Spann loose and then used a fast low double for another takedown and cut to lead 8-3 with :50 on the clock. Trailing 8-3, Spann chose down to start the third period and Bravo-Young cut him loose immediately. After one shot was stifled via stalemate, Bravo-Young forced Spann into a first stall warning. He continued to press on offense and hit a standing cradle for a takedown and two back points to lead 12-5 with a clinched riding time point. The Lion freshman got in on another single and picked up a point on stalling as Spann fled the mat. Bravo-Young picked up a final point on 2:40 in riding time and rolled to the 14-5 major decision.

141: Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, won by forfeit and improves to 24-1 on the year with the forfeit victory.

149: Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 11 at 149, took on Jason Estevez. The duo battled evenly for the opening minute-plus with neither wrestler finding an opening. Berge fought off an Estevez single leg at the 1:10 mark, forcing a reset and action continued neutral tied 0-0. Berge connected off the reset. The Lion freshman pulled the Bull's head towards the mat and reached in for a low single to take a 2-0 lead with just under 1:00 left in the period. Berge finished the opening period on top and led 2-0 with :52 in riding time. Estevez chose down to start the second period and Berge cut him loose to a 2-1 score. The Lion fought off two solid Estevez shots, working his way back to his feet and continuing in neutral as the clock moved below the 1:00 mark. Leading 2-1 after two periods, Berge chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. The Lion chased Estevez around the mat, forcing the Bull backwards until blowing through a high double with 1:30 left in the bout. The fast takedown gave Berge a 5-1 lead and pushed his riding time edge well over 1:00. Berge cut Estevez loose on the reset and went back to work on offense. Berge stepped behind a low Bull shot for another takedown and, after cutting Estevez loose, led 7-3. He picked up two more takedowns in the final seconds and, with 1:38 in riding time, posted the 11-4 win.

157: Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, took on Kyle Todrank in his final appearance in Rec Hall. Nolf came out quick and almost connected on his first shot seconds into the bout. Todrank stepped out of trouble and then Nolf fought off a Bull shot for a reset with 2:10 on the clock. Nolf took a 2-0 lead with a takedown seconds later and then went to work on top, building up :30 in riding time before cutting Todrank loose. Nolf countered a low Todrank shot and upped his lead to 4-1 with another takedown. Nolf cut the Bull loose and went back to work with :45 on the clock. The Lion senior picked up a third takedown and led 6-2 with :35 left in the period. Nolf picked up one more takedown and led 8-3 with 1:30 in riding time after one period. Todrank chose down to start the second period and Nolf went to work on top. The Lion worked Todrank over to his back at the 1:20 mark and took a 12-3 lead with four back points. After Todrank escaped, Nolf quickly took the Bull down again and led 14-4 with :50 on the clock. Nolf picked up a stall point and led 15-5 with a clinched riding time point after two periods. Todrank started the third period down and then Nolf slipped on a turn attempt, giving Todrank a reversal. Energized, Nolf took Todrank down, cut him quick and then hit a cradle immediately afterwards. Nolf then planted Todrank for the fall at the 5:41 mark for his 58th career pin in his final appearance in Rec Hall.

165: Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, battled Noah Grover. Joseph connected on a double leg less than a minute into the bout and quickly ended the match. The Lion junior turned Grover to his back and picked up the fast fall at the 1:03 mark.

174: Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, squared off against Jake Lanning. Hall countered an early Lanning shot and took a 2-1 lead with a takedown and cut. The Lion junior then turned a low shot into a brief scramble and a takedown to lead 4-1 with 1:30 on the clock. Hall built up over 1:00 in riding time, then worked Lanning's arm over and his shoulders flat for another first period pin, this one at 2:13.

184: Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 2 at 184, returned to the Lion line-up for Senior Day and met Logan Rill. Rasheed took Rill down quickly, taking a 2-0 lead less than :30 into the bout. The Lion senior then went to work on top, looking to lock up a cradle and end the bout quick. Rasheed locked up a cradle at the 1:00 mark and, after a brief reset, picked up Penn State's fourth straight pin at the 1:16 mark.

197: Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, met Brett Perry in his final appearance in Rec Hall. Nickal kept up Penn State's torrid pace, notching the team's fifth straight pin. The Lion senior said goodbye to Rec Hall by locking up a cradle against Brett Perry and pinning the Bull at the 1:19 mark for his 56th career fall.

285: Senior Anthony Cassar (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 3 at 285, capped off Senior Day against Sam Schuyler. Cassar took a 2-0 lead with a fast takedown less than a minute into the bout. The Lion senior went to work on top and built up over 1:00 in riding time before cutting him loose to a 2-1 score. Cassar picked up his second takedown right away to lead 4-1 with 1:50 on the clock. Cassar nearly turned Schuyler to his back for points but the period ended and the Lion led 4-1 with 1:52 in time after one. Schuyler chose down to start the second period and Cassar controlled the action on top, building up 2:33 in time before cutting Schuyler loose to a 4-2 lead. Cassar blew through a third takedown right away, cut the Bull loose and finished the second period on top with a takedown at the :07 mark. Leading 8-3 with clinched riding time, Cassar chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 9-3 lead. The Lion senior used another strong double leg to take an 11-4 lead. He added another takedown with :50 left in the period and led 13-4 with nearly 4:00 in riding time. Cassar added one more takedown and 4:24 in riding time to post a 16-5 major decision.

## #1 PENN STATE AT BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Sat.-Sun., March 9-10, 2019 -- Minneapolis, Minn.

### FINAL TEAM STANDINGS:

- 1: PENN STATE – 157.5
- 2: Ohio State – 122.5
- 3: Iowa – 107.5
- 4: Minnesota – 101.5
- 5: Nebraska – 96.5
- 6: Michigan – 76.5
- 7: Wisconsin – 76.0
- 8: Northwestern – 53.5
- 8: Rutgers – 53.5
- 10: Purdue – 42.0
- 11: Illinois -- 39.5
- 12: Indiana – 31.0
- 13: Michigan State – 29.5
- 14: Maryland – 13.0

No. 1 Penn State (14-0, 9-0 B1G) rolled through the competition to claim the 2019 Big Ten Championship. Head coach Cael Sanderson's squad crowned four individual champions to out-distance second place Ohio State by over 30 points.

Sanderson's squad had nine wrestlers place in the top six, qualifying all nine competitors for the 2019 NCAA Championships in Pittsburgh on March 21-13. Penn State won the team title with 157.5 points, far out in front of second place Ohio State, who had 122.5. Iowa was third with 107.5 and host Minnesota was fourth with 101.5.

Senior Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 157, met No. 2 Tyler Berger of Nebraska in the first of six Big Ten title tilts for Penn State. Nolf swarmed Berger off the whistle, taking him down just :04 into the bout to open up an early 2-1 lead after cutting Berger loose. The Lion senior quickly grabbed Berger's ankle, lifted his leg off the mat, and finished off a second takedown to lead 4-2 with 1:50 on the clock. Berger chose down to start the second period and Nolf was strong on offense. He maintained control long enough to build up over 1:00 in riding time before cutting Berger loose. Nolf added a third takedown to lead 6-3 with over 2:00 in riding time after two periods. Nolf added an escape and a takedown midway through the third period to open up a 9-4 lead. He added a final takedown and 2:45 in riding time to roll to the 12-4 major decision and become a two-time Big Ten Champion.

Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 165, took on No. 2 Alex Marinelli of Iowa in the Big Ten championship bout. The duo battled through a high paced opening two minutes with Joseph able to withstand a solid Marinelli single leg at the 1:00 mark. The top-ranked pair paced the center of the mat for the full three minutes but Joseph was called for one stall warning. Joseph escaped to start the second period but Marinelli was able to connect on a throw for six points, getting the takedown and four near fall points. The Hawkeye carried a 6-2 lead in to the third period and escaped to a 7-2 lead. Joseph forced a scramble that nearly ended with each man getting a takedown but Marinelli finished on top, taking a 9-2 lead. Joseph added an escape but Marinelli walked away with the 9-3 victory, handing Joseph his first loss of the year.

Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), ranked No. 1 at 174, faced off against No. 2 Myles Amine of Michigan in the conference finals. Hall got in on a single leg a minute into the bout but Amine was able to force a stalemate and a reset. The duo battled evenly for the next minute before Hall forced a scramble that ended with the Lion notching a takedown with :33 on the clock. Amine escaped before the period ended and Hall led by one after the opening period. Amine chose down to start the second period and Hall went to work on top, building up :40 in riding time before Amine escaped to tie the bout. Tied 2-2, Hall chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-2 lead.

Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.), ranked No. 2 nationally at 184, took a medical forfeit in the finals at 184. Not a loss for the senior, Rasheed heads to the NCAA Championships in Pittsburgh after a 2-0 Big Ten tournament that included a pin.

Senior Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas), ranked No. 1 at 197, took on No. 2 Kollin Moore of Ohio State in the conference title bout. Nickal was steady for the first minute and a half before turning a low shot into a takedown and a 2-0 lead at the 1:04 mark. The Lion senior then maintained control of Moore for the rest of the period to lead 2-0 after one. Nickal escaped to start the second period and then countered a Moore shot, scrambled through a takedown and took a 5-0 lead. He added a last second takedown and led 7-1 after two periods. Moore escaped to start the third period but Nickal continued to pour on the offense. The Lion senior added another takedown and built his riding time point up well over 2:00. Nickal went on to post the 10-3 win with 2:51 in riding time to become a three-time Big Ten Champion.

Senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.), ranked No. 3 at 285, battled No. 1 Gable Steveson of Minnesota in the final Big Ten Championship match-up. Cassar had his first blast double defended as Steveson stepped back from the Lion's initial move. The duo battled evenly then, facing each other in the center of the mat for the remainder of the first period. Tied 0-0, Steveson escaped to start the second period, taking a 1-0 lead. The second period mirrored the first with no offensive threats and Cassar trailed by one after two. Cassar escaped to start the third period, quickly tying the score at 1-1. Cassar got called for stalling at the 1:25 mark and then Steveson connected on a takedown to lead 3-2 after a quick Cassar escape. The Lion stayed steady, working his way into a single leg and takedown to open up a 4-3 lead with :20 on the clock. The takedown was the first given up by Steveson all year long. Cassar then maintained control of Steveson for the final seconds to notch the impressive 4-3 victory and become a Big Ten Champion.

Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, met No. 8 Tristan Moran of Wisconsin in the consolation semifinals. Lee took a 2-0 lead with a takedown late in the first period and rode Moran out to lead 2-0 with 1:08 in riding time after one period. The Lion sophomore quickly escaped and then scrambled to a takedown on the edge of the mat to take a 5-0 lead. The Lion upped the edge to 7-1 after two periods and then continued to dominate the Badger in the third period. Lee added a fourth takedown, picked up a stall point and 3:17 in riding time to roll to an 11-3 major with 3:18 in riding time. Lee's win moved him into the third place bout where he took on No. 9 Mitch McKee of Minnesota. Lee took an early lead with a

first period takedown but McKee answered with his own late in the period. Lee appeared to escape as the period ended but no escape was given and the Lion trailed 3-2 after one. Lee escaped to start the second period and then blew through a strong double leg to take a 5-4 lead midway through the period after McKee escaped. Lee then hit a six-point move, taking McKee to his back for a takedown and four near fall points to lead 11-4 after two periods. He added 2:11 in riding time in the third period and rolled to the 12-4 major decision, placing third as he now prepares for the 2019 NCAA Championships.

True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 12 nationally at 133, took on No. 3 Austin DeSanto of Iowa in the consolation semifinals. The Lion fell behind the third-ranked Hawkeye early, giving up four first period takedowns to trail 8-3 after the first period. Bravo-Young gave up an escape and a stall point in the second period and trailed by seven heading into the final period. The Lion freshman picked up an escape to start the third period and then took DeSanto down to cut into the Hawkeye's lead. The Lion freshman continued to race back with another takedown but time ran out and DeSanto posted a hard-fought 12-8 win. The loss sent Bravo-Young into the fifth place match where he received a medical forfeit victory. Bravo-Young ends his first Big Ten tournament with a 4-2 record including two majors. He took fifth place in a loaded 133-pound bracket and will now prepare for the NCAA Championships in two weeks.

Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 13 nationally at 149 and the sixth seed, punched his ticket to NAAs on day one by advancing to the Big Ten semifinals. Berge was unable to wrestle Saturday and medically forfeited. The medical forfeits do not count as losses. Berge went 2-1 to place sixth at his first Big Ten tournament and will now prepare for the NCAA Championships.

Sophomore Devin Schnupp (Litz, Pa.) went 0-3 at 125 on day one and ended his season with a 6-17 mark, including his first career dual meet victories. Schnupp was making his first ever appearance at the Big Ten tournament.

Sanderson was named Big Ten Coach of the Year for the fifth time in his ten years at Penn State. Nickal and Nolf were named Co-Big Ten Wrestlers of the Year, becoming Sanderson's eighth and ninth Big Ten Wrestler of the Year winners. Nolf was honored as the 2019 Big Ten Championship Co-Outstanding Wrestler, sharing the honor with Alex Marinelli. He is Sanderson's fifth tournament O.W.

The Nittany Lions went 7-2 on day two and finish the tournament with a 26-8 record. The Nittany Lions picked up 24 bonus points off nine majors, two technical falls and four pins. Nolf and Hall now have two Big Ten titles each while Nickal became a three-time Big Ten Champion. Cassar won his first.

Penn State has now won six Big Ten Championships (tournament) under Sanderson and six Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) titles, including this year's dual crown. The Nittany Lions have now had 26 individuals win a total of 47 Big Ten individual titles.

### **Penn State's individual bout-by-bout agate: All rankings listed InterMat as of 2/26/19**

125: Devin Schnupp, So. (14th seed) -- DNP

Rd. 1: #12 Travis Piotrowski, Illinois – L, 17-0 (TF; 4:39)

Cn. 1: Shane Metzler, Rutgers – L, 6-1 dec.

Cn. S1: Shane Metzler, Rutgers – L, 6-4 dec.

Schnupp made his first ever appearance at the Big Ten Championship at 125. Schnupp took on fifth seed and 12th-ranked Travis Piotrowski of Illinois in his first match and dropped a 17-0 technical fall. He then took on Rutgers' Shane Metzler in his first consolation bout and lost a 6-1 decision.

Schnupp then faced Rutgers' Shane Metzler in the first round off a special consolation bracket with the opportunity to place ninth at 125. Schnupp, who dropped a 6-1 decision to Metzler earlier in the tournament, lost 6-4 this time. Schnupp ends his season with a 6-17 record.

133: #12 Roman Bravo-Young, Fr. (4th seed) – 5th place – NCAA Qualifier

Rd. 1: Jevon Parrish, Nebraska – W, 18-5 maj. dec.

Qtrs: #7 Luke Pletcher, Ohio State – L, 8-5 dec.

Cn. 2: Jens Lantz, Wisconsin – W, 14-5 maj. dec.

Cn. Q: Dylan Duncan, Illinois – W, 3-2 dec.

Cn. S: #3 Austin DeSanto, Iowa – L, 12-8 dec.

5th: Medical Forfeit – W, Med. Forf.

Bravo-Young, ranked No. 12 nationally at 133 and the fourth seed, made his Big Ten tournament debut against Nebraska's Jevon Parrish. Bravo-Young took an early 6-2 lead with three first period takedowns, added three more in the second and rolled to an 18-5 major with 2:26 in riding time. Bravo-Young then met No. 7 Luke Pletcher of Ohio State in the quarterfinals. Bravo-Young drew first blood and led 2-1 after the opening period. Pletcher answered with a takedown and two back points to lead 6-3 after two periods. The Buckeye added another takedown in the third and posted the hard-fought 8-5 win.

He then took on Wisconsin's Jens Lantz in his first consolation bout. Bravo-Young took an early first period lead with two first period takedowns and added three more in the second period. The Lion freshman then picked up two more takedowns and added a bonus point thanks to 1:47 riding time to post a strong 14-5 major decision. The win clinched Bravo-Young's trip to nationals, making him Penn State's ninth qualifier. The Lion then met Dylan Duncan of Illinois in the consolation quarterfinals. Bravo-Young notched an early first period takedown to lead after the opening period. Duncan tied the match with an escape to start the second and the match was tied after two. Bravo-Young chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-2 lead. The Lion freshman made the escape stand and held on for a 3-2 decision.

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## 141: #2 Nick Lee, So. (2nd seed) – 3rd place – NCAA Qualifier

Rd. 1: bye  
 Qtrs: #16 Max Murin, Iowa – W, 8-3 dec.  
 Semis: #3 Joey McKenna, Ohio State – L, 5-4 dec.  
 Cn. S: #8 Tristan Moran, Wisconsin – W, 11-3 maj. dec.  
 3rd: #9 Mitch McKee, Minnesota – W, 12-4 maj. dec.

Lee, ranked No. 2 at 141 and the second seed at the tournament, had a first round bye. He met No. 16 Max Murin of Iowa in the quarterfinals and opened up an early lead with two first period takedowns. Murin cut the lead to 4-3 after one. McKenna led 5-1 in the second and Lee cut into the lead late in the third but the Buckeye was able to hold on for a 5-4 win.

Lee took on No. 3 Joey McKenna of Ohio State in the first of Penn State's eight semifinal match-ups. McKenna drew first blood with a takedown midway through the opening period and another in the final seconds to lead 4-1 after one. McKenna led 5-1 in the second and Lee cut into the lead late in the third but the Buckeye was able to hold on for a 5-4 win.

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## 149: #13 Brady Berge, Fr. (6th seed) – 6th Place – NCAA Qualifier

Rd. 1: Parker Filius, Purdue – W, 12-3 maj. dec.  
 Qtrs: #9 Pat Lugo, Iowa – W, 4-2 (sv2)  
 Semis: #2 Micah Jordan, Ohio State – L, 13-4 maj. dec.  
 Did not compete in 5th place match, Med. Forf., not a loss

Berge, ranked No. 13 nationally at 149 and the sixth seed, took on Purdue's Parker Filius in his Big Ten tournament debut. Berge notched two first period takedowns to open up an early lead, picked up another two points in the second period and poured it on in the third to roll to a 12-3 major with 1:43 in riding time. Berge took on No. 9 Pat Lugo of Iowa in the quarterfinals. Berge battled the third seed through a scoreless first period and then took a lead with an escape to start the second and Lugo escaped to start the third, tying the match at 1-1 with less than 1:40 to wrestle. The duo wrestled through one sudden victory period and both escaped in the first tiebreaker. With just :33 left in the second sudden victory minute, Berge deftly slid around Lugo for a takedown and posted the thrilling 4-2 (sv2) win, advancing to the semifinals.

Berge faced off against No. 2 Micah Jordan of Ohio State in the semifinals. Jordan opened up a big early lead with three first period takedowns. Berge notched a second period escape but Jordan pulled away in the third to post a 13-4 major decision.

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## 157: #1 Jason Nolf, Sr. (1st seed) – 1st place – NCAA Qualifier

Rd. 1: bye  
 Qtrs: #12 Eric Barone, Illinois – WBF (2:13)  
 Semis: #5 Alex Pantaleo, Michigan – W, 7-1 dec.  
 Finals: #2 Tyler Berger, Nebraska – W, 12-4 maj. dec.

Nolf, ranked No. 1 at 157 and the top seed, had a first round bye. Nolf met No. 12 Eric Barone of Illinois in the quarterfinals and opened up an early lead with three takedowns and then locked up a cradle on the third. Nolf settled in and picked up the fall at the 2:13 mark to move into the semifinals.

The Lion senior took on No. 5 Alex Pantaleo of Michigan in the semifinals. Nolf notched a takedown early in the first period and amassed 1:14 in riding time to lead 2-1 after one. He escaped to start the second stanza and then took Pantaleo down again to up his lead to 5-1. He picked up a stall point and 2:08 in riding time to post a dominating 7-1 decision.

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## 165: #1 Vincenzo Joseph, Jr. (1st seed) – 2nd place – NCAA Qualifier

Rd. 1: bye  
 Qtrs: Joey Gunther, Illinois – W, 21-6 (TF; 5:59)  
 Semis: #7 Logan Massa, Michigan – WBF (6:41)  
 Finals: #2 Alex Marinelli, Iowa – L, 9-3 dec.

Joseph, ranked No. 1 at 165 and the top, had a first round bye. Joseph took on Joey Gunther of Illinois in the quarterfinals and opened up a big lead early with five takedowns in the first period. The Lion junior picked up an escape to start the second and tacked on two more takedowns to lead by ten after two. Joseph added four near fall points and a final takedown to post the dominating 21-6 tech fall at the 5:59 mark, moving in to the semis.

Joseph faced No. 7 Logan Massa of Michigan in the semifinals. Joseph scored quickly, taking Massa down to open up an early 2-1 lead, which he carried to the second period. Massa escaped to tie the match in the second and Joseph escaped to start the third period to take a 3-2 lead. Joseph pressed Massa for the entire third period and turned a shot and scramble into a fall at the 6:41 mark.

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## 174: #1 Mark Hall, Jr. (1st seed) – 1st place – NCAA Qualifier

Rd. 1: bye  
 Qtrs: Drew Hughes, Michigan State – WBF (2:38)  
 Semis: #12 Devin Skatzka, Minnesota – W, 4-2 dec.  
 Finals: #4 Myles Amrine, Michigan – W, 3-2 dec.

Hall, ranked No. 1 at 174 and the top seed, had a first round bye. Hall faced off against Drew Hughes of Michigan State in the quarterfinals and opened up a big early lead with two quick first period takedowns. Hall then locked Hughes up at the shoulders, took him to the mat and quickly pinned him at the 2:38 mark. Hall's dazzling move moved him into the semifinals.

The Lion junior met No. 12 Devin Skatzka of Minnesota in the semifinals. Hall battled Skatzka through a scoreless first period. The Lion junior chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. He pressed the Gopher for the entire period and notched a takedown to lead 3-0 after two. Skatzka chose down to start the third and scrambled to a late reversal to cut the lead to 3-2. Hall escaped to a 4-2 lead and made the score stand.

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## 184: #2 Shakur Rasheed, Sr. (2nd seed) – 2nd place – NCAA Qualifier

Rd. 1: bye  
 Qtrs: #20 Cameron Caffey, Michigan State – WBF (5:17)  
 Semis: #6 Taylor Venz, Nebraska – W, 6-5 dec.  
 Did not compete in finals, Med. Forf., not a loss

Rasheed, ranked No. 2 nationally at 184 and the second seed, had a first round bye. He met No. 20 Cameron Caffey of Michigan State in the quarterfinals and took a big early lead with a takedown and four back points. He dominated the first period on top, keeping Caffey down for the bulk of the period to collect over 2:00 of riding time after one period. Rasheed added a takedown in the second then chose top to start the third and quickly locked up a cradle to pin Caffey at the 5:17 mark. Rasheed's win moved him into the semifinals.

Rasheed took on No. 6 Taylor Venz of Nebraska in the semifinals. Rasheed wasted no time taking Venz down to open up an early lead and then countered a Venz shot to lead 4-1 midway through the first period. Venz escaped to start the second but not before Rasheed owned a 1:15 riding time edge. Rasheed escaped at the start of the third period and led 5-3 with 1:30 in riding time. He gave up a last second takedown but his 1:25 in riding time gave the Lion a 6-5 win.

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## 197: #1 Bo Nickal, Sr. (1st seed) – 1st place – NCAA Qualifier

Rd. 1: bye  
 Qtrs: Brad Wilton, Michigan State – W, 19-4 (TF; 5:34)  
 Semis: #13 Eric Schultz, Nebraska – W, 10-2 maj. dec.  
 Finals: #2 Kollin Moore, Ohio State – W, 10-3 dec.

Nickal, ranked No. 1 at 197 and the top seed, drew a first round bye. He took on Michigan State's Brad Wilton in the quarterfinals and blew the match open early. Nickal notched two takedowns, picking up four near fall on the second. After a reset out of bounds, the Lion spent the rest of the period working on top and had nearly 3:00 of riding time and a seven-point lead after one period. Nickal picked up two more takedowns and two back points in the second and then finished bout early in the third with two more takedowns. Nickal posted the 19-4 tech fall at the 5:34 mark and moved into the semifinals.

The Lion senior met No. 13 Eric Schultz of Nebraska in the semifinals. Nickal took Schultz down at the 1:00 mark of the first period and added a second late to lead 4-1 after one. Schultz chose down to start the second period and escaped but Nickal added another takedown to lead 6-2 after two periods. Nickal added an escape, a takedown and 2:48 in riding time to post a 10-2 major decision.

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## 285: #3 Anthony Cassar, Sr. (2nd seed) – 1st place – NCAA Qualifier

Rd. 1: Jacob Aven, Purdue – W, 12-4 maj. dec.  
 Qtrs: #13 David Jensen, Nebraska – W, 8-4 dec.  
 Semis: #14 Conan Jennings, Northwestern – W, 10-2 maj. dec.  
 Finals: #1 Gable Steveson, Minnesota – W, 4-3 dec.

Cassar, ranked No. 3 at 285 and the second seed, met Purdue's Jacob Aven in the opening round of his first Big Ten tournament. He picked up three first period takedowns, one in the second and then a final one in the third period. The Lion added 2:25 in riding time and posted the 12-4 major. He took on No. 13 David Jensen of Nebraska in the quarterfinals and opened up an early lead with a first period takedown. He picked up an escape and a takedown in the second and then added a final takedown and 3:48 in riding time to roll to an 8-4 win. The victory moved Cassar through to the semifinals.

Cassar met No. 14 Conan Jennings of Northwestern in the last of Penn State's eight semifinal bouts. After a scoreless minute, Cassar took a lead with a takedown and then added a second one late in the period to lead 4-1 after one. The Lion added a takedown and a stall point and led 7-1 after two periods. He added a reversal in the third period and rode Jennings out to roll to a 10-1 major decision with 2:05 in riding time.

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## #1 PENN STATE AT THE 2019 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

Thur.-Sat., March 21-23, 2019 -- PPG Paints Arena -- Pittsburgh, Pa.

### FINAL TEAM STANDINGS:

- 1: Penn State – 137.5
  - 2: Ohio State – 96.5
  - 3: Oklahoma State – 84.0
  - 4: Iowa – 76.0
  - 5: Michigan – 62.5
  - 6: Missouri – 62.0
  - 7: Cornell – 59.5
  - 8: Minnesota – 53.5
  - 9: Rutgers – 51.5
  - 10: Nebraska -- 51.0
- Attendance: 109,405 (total)

The Penn State Nittany Lions, under the guidance of head coach Cael Sanderson, entered the final session of the 2019 NCAA Championships having already clinched their eighth team title in the last nine years. Sanderson's squad left the National Finals and PPG Paints Arena with three individual National Champions. Penn State won the 2019 crown by over 40 points.

Penn State had five NCAA finalists for the fourth straight year and won three titles, beginning at 285 with senior Anthony Cassar (Rocky Hill, N.J.) winning his first. Jason Nolf (Yatesboro, Pa.) and Bo Nickal (Allen, Texas) each won their third straight crowns. The Nittany Lions won the team race with 137.5 points, finishing over 40.0 points ahead of second place Ohio State, which had 96.5. Oklahoma State finished third with 84.0. Penn State was the only team to score over 100.0 points.

Cassar, the No. 2 seed at 285, met No. 1 Derek White of Oklahoma State in the first of Penn State's five national title bouts. The duo battled evenly for the first minute, neutral in the center circle. A stalemate was called at the 1:30 mark with each man battling for control on the NCAA logo and the bout moved below the 1:00 mark of the opening period without a score. Cassar made the first two offensive pushes of the period but White was able to defend each move and the bout moved to the second tied 0-0. White chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. The duo battled evenly for the next minute with neither man able to break through on offense. Cassar kept close tabs on White and with just 0:10 on the clock, took a single leg that ended in a takedown and four near fall points as the period ended. Leading 6-1, Cassar chose down to start the final period and escaped to a 7-1 lead. He then moved in on a fast low single and took White down once more to open up a 9-1 lead. The Lion then built his riding time up over 1:00 and finished the bout on top to roll to the 10-1 major decision. Cassar ends his fantastic season with a 30-1 record with five falls, two techs and 15 majors. The Lion senior won both the Big Ten Championship and the NCAA Championship in his first trips to the tournaments.

Nolf, the No. 1 seed at 157, took on No. 2 Tyler Berger of Nebraska in his fourth straight NCAA finals match-up. Nolf wasted no time setting up his offense, working the center circle until he turned a low single into a takedown and a 2-0 lead at 2:15. Nolf cut Berger loose and went back to work on his feet. The Lion senior continued to shoot and connected on a high single that he used to take Berger down and to his back for two near fall points. After cutting Berger loose one more time, Nolf notched a third takedown and led 8-2 at the :40 mark. Nolf finished on top and led 8-2 with 1:16 in riding time after one. Nolf chose down to start the second period. Berger was able to control the Lion for the first minute and more. Nolf escaped to a 9-2 lead with 0:30 on the clock and then countered a late Berger shot to end the period. Trailing 9-2, Berger chose down to start the third period and Nolf went to work on top, controlling the action to build his riding time back up over 1:00. The Nittany Lion finished the period on top, rolling up a 1:46 riding time edge, and posted the 10-2 major decision to win his third straight NCAA championship. He became Penn State's third three-time NCAA Champion as well. Nolf ends his season with a 31-0 record with 15 falls, five techs and six majors. He ends his Lion career with a 117-3 record, including 60 pins.

Junior Vincenzo Joseph (Pittsburgh, Pa.), the No. 2 seed at 165, met No. 8 Mekhi Lewis of Virginia Tech in his third straight NCAA title bout. The duo battled evenly for a minute with Lewis taking a first shot and Joseph deftly stepping back from the effort to keep the bout scoreless. The Lion fought off a second Lewis shot as the clock moved below 1:00. The bout moved to the second period in a scoreless tie. Joseph chose down to start the second period and Lewis moved to lock up a cradle off the whistle. Joseph fought off the move and worked his way to an escape but the Nittany Lion junior trailed 4-1. Joseph tried to finish off a high single as the period ended but Lewis was able to kill the clock and Joseph trailed by three after two. Lewis escape to start the third period and took a 5-1 lead. Joseph pressed on offense and Lewis was able to back away from each of his shots.

The Nittany Lion sophomore continued to shoot and Lewis countered a final effort for another takedown, handing Joseph a tough 7-1 loss. Joseph lost at the NCAA tournament for the first time after winning the NCAA title in both 2017 and 2018. He ends his season with a 27-2 record with 14 pins, two techs and four majors.

Junior Mark Hall (Apple Valley, Minn.), the No. 1 seed at 174, took on No. 3 Zahid Valencia of Arizona State in his third straight NCAA title bout. The duo battled evenly for the opening minute with each wrestler low singles but connecting on none. Valencia tried to work in on a single leg that Hall was able to counter, forcing a scramble that ended with the Lion turning in to a takedown and a 2-1 lead at the 1:45 mark. Hall carried that lead late into the period and then fought off one final Valencia shot to lead 2-1 after one. Hall chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. Valencia connected on a low single, forcing a scramble on the edge of the mat that Hall was able to fight off for a bit before the Sun Devil got the takedown to tie the match at 3-3 with :43 on the clock. Penn State challenged the call but it stood and action continued. The Lion was unable to escape and the match moved to the third period tied 3-3. Valencia chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 4-3 lead. Hall pressed the action, forcing Valencia into a stall with :25 on the clock. The Lion was unable to break through the Sun Devil's defense late and dropped a hard-fought 4-3 decision. Hall, suffering his first loss of the year, ends his season with a 30-1 overall record, with six pins, three techs and five majors.

Nickal, the No. 1 seed at 197, met No. 2 Kollin Moore of Ohio State in the evening's final title bout and the fourth straight NCAA finals match of Nickal. The duo battled evenly for over a minute and the score held at 0-0. Moore took a slight shot at the 1:45 mark but Nickal controlled his shoulders and forced a stalemate at the midway point of the opening period. Nickal took control of Moore's shoulders with :55 on the clock, looking to move behind the Buckeye for a takedown but Moore was able to slide out of trouble. Nickal persisted and notched a slick takedown on the edge of the mat with just seconds left to lead 2-0 after one period. The Lion was unable to break through Moore's defense as the second period moved on and Nickal led 2-1 after two. Nickal chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. Moore took a quick shot at the :50 mark but Nickal quickly stepped away from it and maintained his 3-1 lead as the clock hit :30. Nickal then locked up a cradle and got the takedown for the bout's final points. Nickal posted the 5-1 victory to win his third straight NCAA title, becoming Penn State's fourth three-time NCAA Champion. Nickal closes out his season with a 30-0 record with 18 pins, three techs and six majors. Nickal ends his Penn State career with a 120-3 record with 59 falls. Nickal was honored as the 2019 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler.

The Nittany Lions finished the tournament with a 35-11 overall during the tournament, tallying 28.0 bonus points off seven majors, two techs and nine pins. Penn State has now had 26 individuals win a total of 46 national championships, including 23 under Sanderson. Nolf and Nickal leave Penn State as four-time All-Americans, four-time NCAA finalists and three-time NCAA Champions. Nolf ends his Lion career 16th on the all-time wins list with 117 while Nickal leaves with 120 wins, good enough for 13th all-time. Nolf leaves as Penn State's all-time leader in falls with 60 while Nickal leaves in second with 59. The duo each posted identical 19-1 career records in the NCAA tournament. They take with them 237 combined wins, 119 combined pins, 38 combined NCAA tournament victories, eight combined All-America honors, eight combined trips to the NCAA finals and a combined six NCAA individual titles.

True freshman Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) became yet another Lion All-American with an eighth place finish at 133. Bravo-Young went 4-3 at his first NCAA tournament and ended a superb first season as a Nittany Lion with a 25-7 record. Sophomore Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) is now a two-time All-American after his fifth place finish at 141. Lee went 4-2 at nationals with three pins and ends his sophomore campaign with a 31-4 overall record. Redshirt freshman Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) went 2-2 at 149 and bowed out of the tournament on Friday. He ends his first year as an NCAA qualifier with a 20-5 record. Senior Shakur Rasheed (Coram, N.Y.) bowed out of the tournament with a 2-2 mark at 184. Rasheed, a 2018 All-American, went 20-2 in his first season at 184 this year.

Penn State's seven All-Americans tops the field this year as well. The Lions have had five or more All-Americans in all but Sanderson's first season as head coach. Penn State now has 221 All-Americans, including 35 under Sanderson. Penn State has clinched its eighth NCAA title in the last nine years and its fourth straight, which is Penn State's second four-year title streak within this, Sanderson's 10th year as Penn State's mentor. Penn State has now won nine NCAA titles, also owning a crown from 1953, which is third most in NCAA history.

The Nittany Lions concluded the 2019 dual season with a 14-0 record and won a share of the Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) title with a 9-0 conference mark. Penn State has now won 59 straight dual meets dating back to the end of the 2014-15 season. The Nittany Lions won the 2019 Big Ten Championship on March 9-10 in Minneapolis, crowning four champions to run away from the rest of the field, winning by 30.0 points.

### Penn State's individual bout-by-bout agate: All rankings listed are official tournament seed

- 133: #10 Roman Bravo-Young, Fr. – All-American**  
 Rd. 1: #23 Mario Guillen, Ohio – W, 8-2 dec.  
 Rd. 2: #7 Austin DeSanto, Iowa – L, 2-7 dec.  
 Cn. 2: #9 Charles Tucker, Cornell – W, 6-3 dec.  
 Cn. 3: #15 Ben Thornton, Purdue – W, 3-1 dec.  
 Rd. 12: #4 Micky Phillippi, Pitt – W, 4-3 dec.  
 Cn. Q: #8 John Erneste, Missouri – L, 0-10 maj. dec.  
 7th Place: #6 Ethan Lizak, Minnesota – L, 5-8 dec.

Bravo-Young took on No. 23 Mario Guillen in Penn State's first match of the tournament and Bravo-Young's first-ever NCAA tournament bout. Bravo-Young fought off an early Guillen shot and spent the rest of the first period in neutral to go to the second stanza tied 0-0. The Lion freshman chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Guillen then took the Lion down, Bravo-Young escaped and the match was tied 2-2 at the 1:20 mark. Bravo-Young took a 4-2 lead with a takedown at the 0:46 mark and finished on top to carry that lead into the third period. Guillen chose neutral to start the third period and Bravo-Young was able to withstand a solid Guillen effort as the clock moved below 0:30. The Lion then iced the bout with a takedown and two near fall points to post the 8-2 win.

Bravo-Young took on No. 7 Austin DeSanto of Iowa in the second round. DeSanto was able to get an early takedown and led 2-1 after a quick Bravo-Young escape. The duo then battled in the center of the mat for the next minute with neither wrestler able to score. Bravo-Young nearly scored as the first period ended but clock hit zeroes and he trailed by one after one. Bravo-Young chose down to start the second period and worked his way to an escape and a 2-2 tie with 1:11 on the clock. His escape was the only scoring of the second period. DeSanto chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-2 lead. Bravo-Young nearly scored at the 1:12 mark but after a long review, no takedown was given and action resumed neutral with the Hawkeye leading by one. Bravo-Young forced a scramble late in the match but DeSanto countered it with seconds left and finished off a 7-2 win with a takedown and near fall points.

The true freshman met No. 9 Charles Tucker of Cornell in his first consolation bout. Bravo-Young stepped back from a solid Tucker single leg at the 1:30 mark in the bout's first flurry. The duo battled evenly in neutral for the rest of a scoreless first period. Bravo-Young chose down to start the second period and was called for potentially dangerous in the bottom position. He then escaped to a 1-1 tie with 1:25 on the clock. The Lion continued to work on offense and notched the bout's first takedown with :05 left in the period to lead 3-1 after two periods. Tucker chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-2 score. Bravo-Young connected on another takedown to open up a 5-2 lead with 1:20 left and then controlled the action from the top position until he had over 1:00 in riding time. The Lion posted the 6-3 win to continue on in consolation action. Bravo-Young battled No. 15 Ben Thornton of Purdue in his next consolation bout. Bravo-Young set a fast pace to begin the match but the veteran Boilermaker was able to keep the young Lion at arm's length for the first minute-plus. But Bravo-Young's offense paid off as the Lion turned a high single leg into a takedown and a 2-0 lead just under the 1:00 mark. Bravo-Young finished the period on top and led 2-0 with 0:54 in riding time. Thornton chose down to start the second period and Bravo-Young controlled him long enough to build up a 1:09 time edge before he escaped. Bravo-Young controlled the pace for the rest of the period and led 2-1 with 1:09 in time after two. Bravo-Young chose down to start the third period and steadily worked his way to an escape and a 3-1 lead. The Lion freshman withstood a late Thornton flurry, holding off the Boilermaker's last second shot to grab the 3-1 victory.

Bravo-Young took on No. 4 Micky Phillippi of Pitt in the round of 12 needing one more win to become an All-American as a true freshman. The duo battled through a scoreless opening minute in the center circle. Bravo-Young connected on a single leg at the 1:00 mark but Phillippi was able to slide out of bounds and keep the bout scoreless. The first period ended in a 0-0 tie. Phillippi chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. The Lion freshman continued to work the middle of the mat and his offense paid off. The Lion freshman gained control of the Panther's ankle and he took Phillippi down for a takedown and a 2-1 lead at the :54 mark. Phillippi quickly escaped to a 2-2 tie. Bravo-Young added a second takedown with :08 on the clock but Phillippi was able to escape to cut the Lion lead to 4-3 after two periods. Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the third period and battled through the first minute in the center circle. The Lion fought off a late Phillippi shot and killed the clock late to post the 4-3 win and become a true freshman All-American. The victory clinched All-America stats and set up a consolation quarterfinal bout against No. 8 John Erneste of Missouri. Erneste took an early lead with takedown and rode Bravo-Young out in the first to lead 2-0 after one. The Tiger chose down to start the second and quickly escaped, then turned in and notched a takedown to lead 5-0 after two periods. Erneste added two more takedowns and a riding time point to post the 10-0 win.

Bravo-Young took on No. 6 Ethan Lizak of Minnesota for seventh place. Bravo-Young scored early, taking Lizak down with fast low

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double to lead 2-1 at the 0:30 mark. Lizak countered a Bravo-Young shot and worked his way into control and a takedown to lead 3-2 at the 2:03 mark. The Nittany Lion freshman worked his way to his feet but could not break free of Lizak's ride. Lizak managed to turn the Lion for four back points but Bravo-Young rolled through and notched a reversal to trail 7-4 after one period. Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the second period. Bravo-Young forced a scramble that nearly led to a takedown at the 1:00 mark, but Lizak forced a stalemate. Leading 7-4, Lizak chose top to start the third period. Lizak finally got called for a first stall at the 1:21 mark but Bravo-Young was still down 7-4 and the Gopher had over 1:30 in riding time. Lizak gave up a point on another stall but finished the match in control, handing Bravo-Young an 8-5 defeat.

### 141: #3 Nick Lee, So. -- 2X All-American

Rd. 1: #30 Nate Limmex, Purdue – WBF (3:38)  
Rd. 2: #19 Sa'Derian Perry, Old Dominion – WBF (3:42)  
Qtrs: #22 Max Murin, Iowa – W, 4-1 dec.  
Semis: #2 Joey McKenna, Ohio State – L, 3-4 dec.  
Con S: #9 Dom Demas, Oklahoma – L, 9-13 dec.  
5th Place: #7 Mitch McKee, Minnesota – WBF (3:22)

Lee met No. 30 Nate Limmex of Purdue in his first bout. Lee notched his first takedown seconds into the bout and took an early 2-1 lead. He added one more takedown to lead 4-1 with 1:34 in riding time after one period. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly reversed Limmex to take a 6-2 lead. He then worked the Boiler-maker over to his back and planted his shoulders for the pin at the 3:38 mark.

Lee met No. 19 Sa'Derian Perry of Old Dominion in the second round. The Lion sophomore worked his way into an early takedown to open up a 2-1 lead. He added a quick second takedown and led 4-1 after the opening period. The Nittany Lion ended the bout quickly in the second period, taking Perry to the mat and to his back for nearfall points before finishing off the match by pinning the ODU grappler at the 3:42 mark.

The sophomore met No. 22 Max Murin of Iowa in the first of Penn State's six quarterfinal match-ups. Lee nearly took a lead one minute in on a solid single leg but action moved out of bounds and action continued tied 0-0. The Lion sophomore fought off a solid Murin shot as the clock moved down below the 0:30 mark to keep things scoreless after the opening period. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. The sophomore continued to press the action, forcing Murin towards the outside circle as the second period hit the 1:00 mark. With Lee leading 1-0, Murin chose down to start the third period and worked his way to an escape and a 1-1 tie at the 1:20 mark. Lee's continuous offense paid off as he connected on a low single, pulled Murin's other foot in, and took a 3-1 lead with a takedown at the 0:50 mark. Lee then continued to ride Murin and built up over 1:00 in riding time. Lee finished the bout on top and posted the 4-1 victory with 1:19 in riding time. This makes the Nittany Lion sophomore a two-time All-American.

Lee took on No. 2 Joey McKenna of Ohio State in the first of Penn State's six semifinal bouts. The duo, who split bouts this year, battled evenly through the opening minute-plus. Lee fought off a solid McKenna single leg at the 0:50 mark, forcing a stalemate to keep the bout scoreless. Lee was called for a first stall at the 0:20 mark and the bout moved into the second period scoreless. Lee chose down to start the second period and McKenna controlled the action for the first 0:45. Lee worked his way to his feet and escaped to a 1-0 lead at the 0:55 mark. With Lee leading by one, McKenna chose down to start the third period. Lee controlled the Buckeye long enough to kill the time edge before McKenna escaped to a 1-1 tie. McKenna then rolled around Lee in a scramble for a takedown and took a 3-1 lead with 1:20 on the clock. Lee escaped to 3-2 deficit at the :55 mark. The Lion sophomore pressured the Buckeye into two stalls, getting the second with 0:05 on the clock to tie the score at 3-3. But McKenna had a 1:29 riding time edge that allowed him to snare a 4-3 win. The loss sends Lee into the consolation semifinals tomorrow morning, still alive for third place.

Lee met No. 9 Dom Demas of Oklahoma in the consolation semifinals. Lee and Demas battled evenly for the opening minute before Demas worked his way through for a takedown and an early 2-0 lead. Lee quickly escaped to a 2-1 score at the 1:30 mark. The Lion sophomore upped his tempo and nearly connected on a high double but Demas was able to back out of bounds and hold on to his one point lead. Demas countered a slight Lee shot after that and took a 4-2 lead with :30 on the clock. Lee was unable to break through Demas' defense as the period ended and trailed 4-2 after one. Lee chose down to start the second and quickly escaped to a 4-3 score. Demas added a third takedown then locked his hands. Lee escaped and trailed 6-5 at the 1:26 mark. Demas added another takedown before the period ended and led 8-5 after two periods. Demas chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 9-5 lead. Lee picked up a takedown and quickly cut Demas loose to trail 10-7 at the 1:15 mark. He notched another takedown to cut his lead to 11-9. The Lion scrambled for tying takedown but Demas countered the last second effort for a score of his own and the Sooner posted the 13-9 win. Lee met No. 7 Mitch McKee of Minnesota in the fifth place bout. Lee opened up the scoring by lifting McKee off the mat for a quick two,

then added a second takedown seconds later to lead 4-1 at the 1:30 mark and carried that lead with 1:49 in time into the second period. The Lion chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. He then worked his way into control of McKee's shoulders and ended the bout early, turning him to his back to get the pin at the 3:22 mark. Lee leaves Pittsburgh as a two-time All-American with his second straight 5th-place finish at 141. He went 4-2 with three pins during the tournament.

### 149: #12 Brady Berge, Fr. -- DNP

Rd. 1: #21 Khristian Olivas, Fresno State – W, 6-3 dec.  
Rd. 2: #5 Matt Kolodzik, Princeton – L, 5-8 dec.  
Cn. 2: #27 Tejon Anthony, George Mason – W, 6-2 dec.  
Cn. 3: #20 Thomas Thorn, Minnesota – L, 2-4 (sv) dec.

Berge battled No. 21 Khristian Olivas of Fresno State in his first-ever NCAA Championship match-up. Berge took an early 2-0 lead with a swift takedown at the 1:35 mark. He cut Olivas loose and then quickly took the Bulldog down again to lead 4-1 with 0:55 on the clock. Olivas managed an escape and Berge led 4-2 with 1:11 riding time after one. The Lion freshman chose down to start the second and quickly escaped to a 5-2 lead. The score held for the second stanza. Olivas, trailing 5-2, chose down to start the third period but Berge controlled him from the top position, working his riding time edge up near 2:00 before the Bulldog escaped to a 5-3 score. Berge controlled the action from neutral for the third period and, with 1:47 in riding time, posted the strong 6-3 win.

Berge met No. 5 Matt Kolodzik of Princeton in the second round. Kolodzik drew first blood with a quick takedown to open up an early 2-1 lead after Berge escaped right away. The duo battled evenly for the rest of the period and the Lion freshman trailed by one after the opening stanza. Kolodzik chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. The Princeton senior added a second takedown midway through the period to open up a 5-1 lead and moved his riding time over 1:00. Berge would escape and cut into Kolodzik's lead as the period moved on. Trailing 7-4, Berge forced Kolodzik into a stall to cut the lead to 7-5 but the Tiger was able to wind out the clock and, with a riding time point, down Berge 8-5.

The redshirt freshman took on No. 27 Tejon Anthony of George Mason in his first consolation bout. The duo traded early shots with neither wrestler breaking through to score. Berge worked in on a high single with 1:15 on the clock and then finished off the takedown to lead 2-0 at the :50 mark. He rode Anthony out and led 2-0 with nearly 1:00 in riding time after one period. The Lion freshman escaped to start the second period to open up a 3-0 lead. Neither wrestler threatened for the rest of the second period and Berge carried that lead into the third stanza. Anthony chose down to start the third period and Berge maintained control long enough to build his riding time up over 1:00 before the Mason wrestler escaped to a 3-1 score. Berge slid around Anthony for a clinching takedown at the :25 mark and went on to post the strong 6-2 win with 1:33 in riding time. Berge then met No. 20 Thomas Thorn of Minnesota in his next consolation bout. Berge scored quickly, taking Thorn down for a 2-1 lead in the opening minute. The duo battled evenly for the remainder of the period and Berge led by one after one. Thorn chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-2 tie. Berge fought off a solid low single from the Gopher, forcing a stalemate at the 1:11 mark to keep the bout tied 2-2. Berge chose neutral to start the third period. The Lion fought off another Thorn shot, forcing a stalemate at the :41 mark with the match still tied. The match moved into sudden victory tied 2-2. Thorn worked his way in on a quick single leg and finished off the move to post the 4-2 (sv) win over Berge. The loss ended Berge's tournament. The Lion redshirt freshman went 2-2 at his first NCAA tournament and ended his campaign with a 2-0 record.

### 157: #1 Jason Nolf, Sr. -- 4X All-American

Rd. 1: #33 Ben Anderson, Duke – WBF (0:47)  
Rd. 2: #16 John Van Brill, Rutgers – W, 19-4 (TF; 6:47)  
Qtrs: #9 Christian Pagdilao, Arizona State – W, 23-6 (TF; 7:00)  
Semis: #5 Hayden Hilday, North Carolina State – W, 3-2 dec.  
Finals: #2 Tyler Berger, Nebraska – W, 10-2 maj. dec.

Nolf met No. 33 Ben Anderson of Duke in the first round. The Lion senior wasted no time, taking Anderson down quickly for an early 2-0 lead. He adjusted his position, locked up a cradle, and began his final NCAA tournament with a fast fall, getting the pin at the 0:43 mark.

Nolf took on No. 16 John Van Brill of Rutgers in the second round. Nolf quickly took Van Brill down to open up a quick 2-1 lead, then added a second takedown to lead 4-2 midway through the opening stanza. The Lion tacked on more points, including near fall points, to lead 8-2 after the opening period. Nolf chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 9-2 lead. He tacked on another takedown, then another, and nearly pinned Van Brill at the end of the period. He picked up four near fall points and led 17-3 after two. Van Brill chose down to start the third period and Nolf went to work on top. He built up over 3:00 in riding time before cutting Van Brill loose to a 17-4 lead. He finished off the bout with a final takedown to post the 19-4 technical fall at the 6:47 mark.

The Lion senior faced off against No. 9 Christian Pagdilao of Arizona State in the quarterfinals. Nolf fought off an early Pagdilao shot to

force a stalemate mark and then moved in on offense, connecting on a low ankle pick for a takedown and a 2-0 lead at the 1:50 mark. He then cut the Sun Devil loose, added a second takedown and repeated the effort for a third takedown and a 6-3 score with 1:06 on the clock. The Lion senior added one more first period takedown and led 8-3 with over 1:00 in time after the opening period. Nolf chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 9-3 lead. After picking up a point on a dangerous hold call, Nolf countered a Pagdilao shot and turned the Devil for back points to lead 14-3 after two periods. Pagdilao chose down to start the third and Nolf cut him loose only to quickly take him down to lead 16-5. The Lion ended the match in style, picking up a quick takedown, then adding a final one and turning Pagdilao for two near fall points as the bout ended. Nolf posted the 23-6 technical fall at the 7:00 and became Penn State's 11th four-time All-American.

Nolf took on No. 5 Hayden Hilday of North Carolina State in the semifinals at 157. The bout was a rematch of last year's NCAA title bout, won by Nolf. Nolf wasted no time forcing a scramble, connecting on a single leg. But Hilday fought the move off and a stalemate was called at the 2:05 mark. The Lion senior continued to work on offense but Hilday's defense was strong enough to keep Nolf from scoring early. Hilday connected on a single leg and took Nolf down as the period ended to open up a 2-0 lead as the clock hit 0:00. The call was reversed on review and the bout moved to the second tied 0-0. Nolf chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. He then immediately took Hilday down and cut him loose to lead 3-1 at the 1:35 mark. Trailing 3-1, Hilday chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 3-2 Nolf lead. The Nittany Lion senior controlled the action in neutral as the clock moved below the 0:30 mark. Hilday then gained control of Nolf's left ankle and tried to steal the match with a late takedown, but Nolf was able to fight off the move and the clock ran out.

For finals recap, see story above.

### 165: #2 Vincenzo Joseph, Jr. -- 3X All-American

Rd. 1: #31 Evan Delong, Clarion – WBF (2:57)  
Rd. 2: #18 Connor Flynn, Missouri – W, 8-4 dec.  
Qtrs: #7 Isaiah White, Nebraska – W, 3-1 (sv)  
Semis: #3 Josh Shields, Arizona State – W, 3-2 dec.  
Finals: #8 Mekhi Lewis, Virginia Tech – L, 1-7 dec.

Joseph took on No. 31 Evan Delong of Clarion. Wrestling in his hometown, the Pittsburgh native took a quick 2-0 lead with a fast takedown in the center circle. He then worked Delong over to his back for four near fall points and led 6-0 midway through the period. The Lion junior continued to control Delong and locked up a tilt as the clock wound down. Joseph finished off the move, getting the fall at the 2:57 mark.

Joseph took on No. 18 Connor Flynn of Missouri in the second round. Joseph scrambled his way for a near takedown a minute into the bout but Flynn was able to work his way out of bounds and the match continued scoreless through the second minute of the opening period. The Lion junior took a 2-0 lead with a strong shot at the :40 mark and then finished the period on top to lead by two after the opening period. Joseph chose down to start the second period and worked his way to an escape and a 3-0 lead. He continued to pressure Flynn, forcing the Tiger grappler back out of bounds. Joseph finally got the stall call on Flynn and then took him down as the period ended to lead 5-0 after two. Flynn escaped to start the third period. Joseph notched another takedown after cutting him loose to lead 7-1. With time running out, Joseph pressed for a final takedown for bonus points but slipped through the move and Flynn got a late counter takedown. Joseph, with a riding time point, rolled to the 8-4 win.

The junior battled No. 7 Isaiah White of Nebraska in the quarterfinals. The duo battled through a scoreless opening minute with neither man able to find an opening on offense. The remainder of the first period stayed neutral in the center of the mat until Joseph moved in on a high single with 0:30 on the clock. White was able to defend the effort and the match moved to the second period tied 0-0. White chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. The rest of the period took place in neutral as well and Joseph trailed 1-0 after two. The Lion junior chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 1-1 tie. Joseph forced White to back away for the entire third period and the bout moved into sudden victory. No stall was called. The Nittany Lion junior took care of business quickly in sudden victory. Joseph moved in on a single leg, adjusted after White defending the shot and muscled the Husker to the mat for the takedown with 0:26 left to post the 3-1 (sv) win. Joseph became Penn State's 29th three-time All-American.

Joseph faced No. 3 Josh Shields of Ohio State in his semifinal match-up. Joseph shot quickly, gaining control of Shields' leg and pulling him down to the mat for a takedown and a 2-0 lead at the 2:35 mark. The Lion maintained control for :23 before Shields escaped to a 2-1 Joseph lead. Joseph controlled the Sun Devil's shoulders and kept the bout moving in neutral as the clock moved below 1:00. Leading 2-1, Joseph chose down to start the second period. The Lion junior worked his way to an escape at the 0:30 mark and led 3-1. The Lion made that lead hold for the remainder of the second period. Trailing 3-1, Shields chose down to start the third period. Joseph maintained

control for :20 before the Sun Devil escaped to a 3-2 Joseph lead. Joseph continued to control Shields' upper body, keeping him from mounting any real offense as the clock moved below the 1:00 mark. The duo battled evenly for the last minute and Joseph was able to walk away with the 3-2 victory.

For finals recap, see story above.

### 174: #1 Mark Hall, Jr. – 3X All-American

Rd. 1: #33 Devin Kane, North Carolina – W, 10-2 maj. dec.  
Rd. 2: #16 Brandon Womack, Cornell – W, 8-3 dec.  
Qtrs: #8 Taylor Lujan, Northern Iowa – W, 5-3 dec.  
Semis: #4 Myles Amine, Michigan – W, 2-1 (tb) dec.  
Finals: #3 Zahid Valencia, Arizona State – L, 3-4 dec.

Hall faced off against No. 33 Devin Kane of North Carolina in the first round. Hall quickly took Kane down for an early 2-0 lead. He spent the rest of the first period in control and led 2-0 with 2:21 in riding time after the opening period. The Lion junior chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. He notched another takedown and led 5-0 midway through the period. Hall finished the second period on top and led 5-0 with a clinched riding time point (3:34) after two. Kane chose neutral to start the third period and Hall quickly rolled him to the mat for a takedown and a 7-1 lead. He added another takedown to up his lead to 9-2. The Lion added on a riding time point with a 4:28 edge and rolled to the 10-2 major decision.

Hall faced off against No. 16 Brandon Womack of Cornell in the second round. The Lion junior set the tempo for the first period but was unable to break through Womack's defense until late in the opening period. Hall led 2-0 with a late takedown after the opening three minutes. Hall upped his lead to 3-0 with an escape to start the second period and then added a takedown to lead 5-0 midway through the stanza. The Lion carried the big lead into the third period and finished off the match with a takedown and riding time to roll to an 8-3 win.

The junior took on No. 8 Taylor Lujan of Northern Iowa in the quarterfinals. Hall took Lujan down quickly, turning a fast single into a 2-0 lead less than a minute into the bout. Hall controlled the action from the top position, building up over 1:00 in riding time while trying to turn Lujan for back points. Lujan was able to stay flat and Hall cut him loose to a 2-1 score at the 1:00 mark. Trailing by one, Lujan chose down to start the second stanza and Hall maintained control until he had 1:41 in riding time before cutting him loose to a 2-2 tie. Lujan got in on a single leg that Hall was able to defend and the match moved to the third period tied 2-2 but Hall had 1:41 in riding time. Hall chose down to start the third period and steadily worked his way into control of Lujan for a reversal and a 4-2 lead. The Lion junior maintained control until just seconds remained and, with over 2:00 in riding time, rolled to the 5-3 win. Hall's victory made him Penn State's 30th three-time All-American.

Hall took on No. 4 Myles Amine of Michigan in the semifinals. The duo battled in the center circle for the first minute with neither wrestler creating a scoring opportunity. Amine took a shot with a high single but Hall deftly defended it and forced a stalemate with 1:25 left in the first period. Hall forced a scramble as the first period wound down but Amine was able to work out of bounds and send the bout the second tied 0-0. Amine chose down to start the second period and Hall went to work on top. The Lion junior controlled the Wolverine for 0:37 before Amine escaped to a 1-0 lead. Trailing 1-0, Hall chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 1-1 tie. Amine forced a scramble that nearly ended in a Hall takedown but a stalemate with 0:18 left sent the bout into sudden victory. The sudden victory period was scoreless and action moved into a tie breaker. Hall chose down to start the tiebreaker and quickly escaped to a 2-1 lead. Amine had choice in the next 0:30 session and Hall went to work on top. The Lion junior controlled the Wolverine for the full 0:30 and posted the thrilling 2-1 (tb) win.

For finals recap, see story above.

### 184: #2 Shakur Rasheed, Sr. – DNP -- (2018 All-American at 197)

Rd. 1: #31 Kevin Parker, Princeton – W, 11-2 maj. dec.  
Rd. 2: #15 Chip Ness, North Carolina – L, 5-8 dec.  
Cn. 2: #17 Andrew McNally, Kent State – W, 9-1 maj. dec.  
Cn. 3: #26 Dakota Geer, Oklahoma State – L, 2-4 dec.

Rasheed battled No. 31 Kevin Parker of Princeton in the first round. Rasheed wasted no time taking Parker down, using a low single to open up an early 2-0 lead. Rasheed built up over 1:00 in time before turning Parker for two back points. Parker countered with a quick reversal that Rasheed reversed himself and the Lion led 6-2 after a wild scramble. Rasheed carried that lead into the second period and chose down to start it. He quickly reversed Parker to up his lead to 8-2 with over 4:00 in riding time. The Lion controlled the action on top for the remainder of the period. Parker, down 8-2, chose top to start the third period but Rasheed notched his fourth reversal of the match to open up a 10-2 lead. Another Rasheed rideout gave the Lion a dominating 11-2 major decision with a whopping 6:00 in riding time.

Rasheed took on No. 15 Chip Ness of North Carolina in the second round. Rasheed opened up an early lead with a first period takedown. Ness was able to escape to cut the lead to 2-1 after the opening period. Ness chose down to start the second stanza and Rasheed was able to control the action for over 0:30 before Ness escaped to a 2-2 tie. The Lion senior continued to press the action, however, and finished off the period with a takedown and rideout to lead 4-2 with over 1:00 in riding time after 5:00 of wrestling. Rasheed chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-2 lead. Continuing to be aggressive, Rasheed forced a scramble that Ness was able to counter as the clock moved below the 0:30 mark. With Rasheed on offense, Ness was able to work his way into control of the scramble and managed to pick up four near fall points as Rasheed tried to get control of Ness' ankles. The late scrambling move, good for six points, put Ness up 8-5 in a flash and the score held, handing Rasheed his first loss of the season, 8-5.

The senior met No. 17 Andrew McNally of Kent State in his first consolation bout. Rasheed fought off an early McNally shot and worked his way around for a counter takedown and a 2-0 lead at the 2:30 mark. The Lion then controlled McNally for the next minute plus, working his way to lock up a cradle. Rasheed worked McNally over for four back points and led 6-0 with over 2:00 in riding time after one period. The Lion senior chose neutral to start the second period and the full two minutes were contested in neutral. With Rasheed up 6-0, McNally chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 6-1 score. Looking for bonus points late, Rasheed notched one final takedown with just 0:01 on the clock. His gaudy 4:11 of riding time gave him what he needed for the 9-1 major decision. Rasheed took on No. 26 Dakota Geer of Oklahoma State in his next consolation match-up. The duo opened up the bout trading early shots with neither wrestler gaining an advantage. Geer forced a scramble that ended in a stalemate with :20 on the clock and the bout moved to the second period tied 0-0. Geer chose down to start the second period and worked his way to an escape and a 1-0 lead. The Cowboy connected on a low single that forced a scramble in the middle of the mat. Rasheed countered the move and nearly scored himself, but a stalemate was called with 0:16 on the clock. Trailing 1-0, Rasheed chose down to start the third period. The Lion senior worked his way to a reversal and a 2-1 lead at the 1:40 mark. Geer worked his way to an escape with 1:05 left and the match was tied 2-2. Rasheed fought off a Geer shot, forcing a scramble that led to Geer getting two near fall points as the bout ended. The Penn State corner called for a review but the points were confirmed and Rasheed dropped the hard-fought 4-2 decision. Rasheed closed out his tournament with a 2-2 mark, including two majors. He finished the season with a 20-2 record.

### 197: #1 Bo Nickal, Sr. – 4X All-American

Rd. 1: #32 Ethan Laird, Rider – WBF (2:34)  
Rd. 2: #16 Josh Hokit, Fresno State – WBF (2:27)  
Qtrs: #8 Nathan Traxler, Stanford – W, 14-4 maj. dec.  
Semis: #4 Patrick Brucki, Penn – WBF (4:41)  
Finals: #2 Kolin Moore, Ohio State – W, 5-1 dec.

Nickal met No. 32 Ethan Laird of Rider in his first round match-up. Nickal controlled the action from the start. The Lion notched two quick takedowns, turning Laird for four back points after the second takedown to lead 8-1 midway through the opening stanza. The Lion senior then readjusted his position, locked up a cradle and got the fall at the 2:34 mark, ending the match in the first period.

Nickal battled No. 16 Josh Hokit of Fresno State in the second round. Nickal wasted no time in rolling out to a big lead. He took Hokit down right out of the gates to lead 2-1. He then took Hokit down again and nearly pinned the Bulldog early but settled for four back points. Leading 8-2 after cutting Hokit loose, Nickal quickly took the Fresno State grappler down and finished off the match with yet another fast fall, this one at the 2:27 mark.

The Lion senior met No. 8 Nathan Traxler of Stanford in his quarterfinal bout. Nickal took Traxler down quickly and cut him loose right away. The Lion then notched a second takedown and turned the Cardinal for two back points to lead 6-2 with 1:00 on the clock. The Lion senior battled Traxler evenly the rest of the period and led 6-2 with 0:35 in riding time after one. Nickal chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 7-2 lead. Nickal worked a low shot into another takedown and led 9-2 with 1:10 in riding time after two periods. Traxler chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 9-3 score. Nickal continued to move in on offense and added another takedown on the edge of the mat to open up an 11-3 lead. Nickal cut Traxler loose one more time and, with riding time clinched, tacked on one final takedown to roll to the 14-4 major decision. Nickal's win made him Penn State's 12th four-time All-American.

Nickal battled No. 4 Patrick Brucki of Princeton in the semifinals. Nickal moved in on Brucki quickly, tying up action in the center circle. The Lion senior used a quick shot to notch the bout's first takedown at the 2:35 mark and led 2-0 early. He then went to work on top, building up over 1:00 in riding time while looking for a chance to turn the Tiger to his back. Brucki kept Nickal from turning him once on the edge of the mat before Nickal cut him loose to a 2-1 score off a reset. He quickly took the Tiger down again and, after a ride out, led 4-1 after the opening period with 2:04 in riding time. Brucki chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 4-2 score. Nickal then moved in to

end things quickly. The took Brucki to the mat and then locked up a cradle. The Lion senior adjusted his hold, worked for about 0:30 and then got the fall at the 4:41 mark.

For finals recap, see story above.

### 285: #2 Anthony Cassar, Sr. – All-American

Rd. 1: #31 Antonio Pelusi, Franklin & Marshall – WBF (4:20)  
Rd. 2: #15 Tate Omdorff, Utah Valley – W, 10-2 maj. dec.  
Qtrs: #7 Trent Hillger, Wisconsin – W, 4-0 dec.  
Semis: #3 Gable Steveson, Minnesota – W, 4-3 dec.  
Finals: #1 Derek White, Oklahoma State – W, 10-1 maj. dec.

Cassar met No. 31 Antonio Pelusi of Franklin & Marshall in his first-ever NCAA Championship tournament bout. Cassar battled Pelusi evenly for over a minute, taking a couple of shots that the Diplomat was able to step back from. The Lion senior could not break through Pelusi's defense until the final seconds. After forcing Pelusi into a first stall warning, Cassar roared through a high shot at the Diplomat's waist and notched the takedown with just 0:01 on the clock. Leading 2-0, Cassar chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. The Lion then notched his second takedown to lead 5-0 midway through the second period. Cassar then muscled Pelusi's shoulders over, turning the Diplomat to his back to get the fall at the 4:20 mark.

Cassar met No. 15 Tate Omdorff of Utah Valley in the second round. The Lion battled Omdorff evenly for the bulk of the first period and took a 2-0 lead into the second period with a late takedown. Omdorff chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-1 score. But Cassar continued to showcase his offense, tossing Omdorff to the mat for a hard takedown to lead 4-1 at the 1:10 mark. Cassar finished on top to lead 4-1 with nearly 2:00 in riding time after two periods. He chose down to start the third and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. He then took Omdorff down once more, upping his lead to 7-1 at the :50 mark. Looking for bonus points, Cassar cut Omdorff loose late and then finished off the bout with a takedown with just 0:04 left. With 2:13 in riding time, Cassar posted the 10-2 major decision.

The senior faced off against No. 7 Trent Hillger of Wisconsin in Penn State's final quarterfinal match-up. The duo battled evenly for the first half of the opening stanza, with neither man finding an offensive opening. The Nitany Lion senior was patient, however, and with under 0:30 on the clock, Cassar blew through a strong double to take Hillger down to lead 2-0 after the opening period. Cassar chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. He continued to set the offensive tempo, forcing Hillger into defense while trying to connect on a number of shots. Hillger was able to defend his way through the second period and Cassar led 3-0 after two. Hillger chose down to start the third period and Cassar controlled the Badger well into the stanza. As the clock moved below 1:00 and Cassar's riding time moved over 1:00, the Lion continued to dominate action from the top. Cassar ended the match in control and, with 2:02 in riding time, rolled to the 4-0 victory. The win made the Nitany Lion senior an All-American for the first time.

Cassar met No. 3 Gable Steveson of Minnesota in Penn State's final semifinal bout. The meeting was a rematch of the Big Ten title bout two weekends ago. Steveson set a fast pace to start and forced Cassar into a stall warning just 0:18 in to the bout. The Lion reset himself and fought off an early low single to keep the bout scoreless at the 1:55 mark. The Lion senior moved to escape from another Steveson shot and got called for stalling while trying to not get taken down, giving the Gopher a 1-0 lead at the 0:55 mark. Leading 1-0 after one, Steveson chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 2-0 lead. The duo battled through a scoreless two minutes and Cassar trailed 2-0 after two. Cassar chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 2-1 score. The Lion then moved in for a shot, tripping the Gopher to the mat for the bout's first takedown and a 3-2 lead with 1:33 on the clock. Cassar controlled the action from the top position long enough to work his riding time up over 1:00 before Steveson escaped to a 3-3 tie. Minnesota challenged the time of the escape. The call was changed a bit, giving Steveson an escape at a bit of a different time but Cassar still had 1:01 in riding time with under 0:30 to wrestle. Cassar maintained control of the pace and time ran out, giving Cassar the thrilling 4-3 victory thanks to 1:01 in riding time.

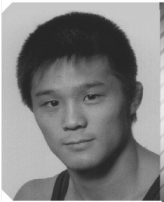
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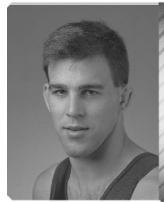
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# PENN STATE'S BIG TEN CHAMPIONS

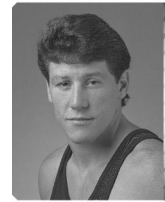
**26 NITTANY LIONS HAVE CLAIMED 47 INDIVIDUAL BIG TEN TITLES!**



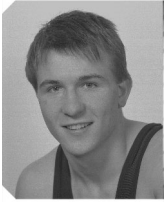
**SANSHIRO  
ABE**  
126 pounds  
1993, 1994, 1996



**DAVE  
HART**  
167 pounds  
1993



**TROY  
SUNDERLAND**  
150 pounds  
1993



**CARY  
KOLAT**  
134 pounds  
1994



**KERRY  
McCOY**  
285 pounds  
1994, 1995, 1997



**JOHN  
HUGHES**  
142 pounds  
1995



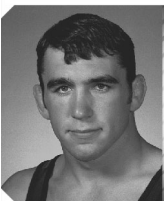
**RUSS  
HUGHES**  
150 pounds  
1996



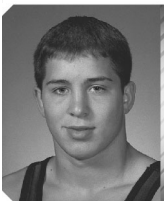
**JOHN  
LANGE**  
158 pounds  
1998




**JEREMY  
HUNTER**  
125 pounds  
1999




**GLENN  
PRITZLAFF**  
174 pounds  
1999




**SCOTT  
MOORE**  
141 pounds  
2003



**ERIC  
BRADLEY**  
184 pounds  
2004, 2005




**PHIL  
DAVIS**  
197 pounds  
2006, 2008



**CYLER  
SANDERSON**  
157 pounds  
2010




**ANDREW  
LONG**  
133 pounds  
2011



**FRANK  
MOLINARO**  
149 pounds  
2011, 2012



**ED  
RUTH**  
174/184 pounds  
2011, 2012, 2013, 2014




**DAVID  
TAYLOR**  
157/165 pounds  
2011, 2012, 2013, 2014

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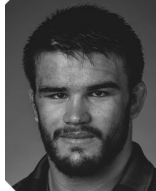
# PENN STATE IN THE BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS




**QUENTIN WRIGHT**  
184/197 pounds  
2011, 2013




**MATT BROWN**  
174 pounds  
2013



**MORGAN McINTOSH**  
197 pounds  
2015, 2016



**ZAIN RETHERFORD**  
149 pounds  
2016, 2017, 2018




**BO NICKAL**  
174/184/197 pounds  
2016, 2018, 2019



**JASON NOLF**  
157 pounds  
2017, 2019



**MARK HALL**  
174 pounds  
2018, 2019



**ANTHONY CASSAR**  
285 pounds  
2019

## BIG TEN CHAMPIONS

Total Champions: 47 (26 individuals)

### Four-Time Champions:

- Ed Ruth (2011, 12, 13, 14)
- David Taylor (2011, 12, 13, 14)

### Three-Time Champions:

- Sanshiro Abe (1993, 94, 96)
- Kerry McCoy (1994, 95, 97)
- Zain Retherford (2016, 17, 18)
- Bo Nickal (2016, 18, 19)

### Champions:

- Sanshiro Abe (1993, 94, 96)
- Eric Bradley (2004, 05)
- Matt Brown (2013)
- Anthony Cassar (2019)
- Phil Davis (2006, 08)
- Mark Hall (2018, 19)
- Dave Hart (1993)
- John Hughes (1995)
- Russ Hughes (1996)
- Jeremy Hunter (1999)
- Cary Kolat (1994)
- John Lange (1998)
- Andrew Long (2011)
- Kerry McCoy (1994, 95, 97)
- Morgan McIntosh (2015)
- Frank Molinaro (2011, 12)

- Scott Moore (2003)
- Jason Nolf (2017, 19)
- Glenn Pritzlaff (1999)
- Zain Retherford (2016, 2017, 18)
- Ed Ruth (2011, 12, 13, 14)
- Cyler Sanderson (2010)
- Troy Sunderland (1993)
- David Taylor (2011, 12, 13, 14)
- Quentin Wright (2011, 13)

- 2012:** 1st
- 2013:** 1st
- 2014:** 1st
- 2015: 5th
- 2016:** 1st
- 2017: 2nd
- 2018: 2nd
- 2019:** 1st

## BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

- 1993: 2nd
- 1994: 3rd
- 1995: 6th
- 1996: 2nd
- 1997: 4th
- 1998: 2nd
- 1999: 3rd
- 2000: 8th
- 2001: 10th
- 2002: 6th
- 2003: 3rd
- 2004: 5th
- 2005: 7th
- 2006: 4th
- 2007: 4th
- 2008: 7th
- 2009: 7th
- 2010: 5th
- 2011:** 1st

## TOP FINISHES

- 1993: Shawn Nelson (3rd, 118), Cary Kolat (2nd, 134), Josh Robbins (2nd, 158)
- 1994: John Hughes (3rd, 150)
- 1995: Sanshiro Abe (2nd, 126)
- 1996: Biff Walizer (3rd, 134), Rob Neidlinger (3rd, 190)
- 1997: Jeremy Hunter (3rd, 118), Biff Walizer (3rd, 134), Clint Musser (3rd, 142), Rob Neidlinger (4th, 190)
- 1998: Jeremy Hunter (2nd, 118), Biff Walizer (2nd, 134), Jamarr Billman (3rd, 142), Clint Musser (2nd, 150), Glenn Pritzlaff (3rd, 167), Rob Neidlinger (3rd, 177)
- 1999: Clint Musser (2nd, 150), Ross Thatcher (2nd, 184), Mark Janus (3rd, Hwt.)
- 2000: Jeremy Hunter (2nd, 125)
- 2001: Doc Vecchio (3rd, 165)

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# PENN STATE IN THE BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS/BIG TEN SEASON

2003: Mark Becks (2nd, 184)  
Josh Moore (3rd, 133)  
Pat Cummins (3rd, Hwt.)

2004: Matt Storniolo (2nd, 149)  
Pat Cummins (2nd, Hwt.)

2006: Jake Strayer (3rd, 133)

2007: James Yonushonis (2nd, 174)  
Aaron Anspach (2nd, Hwt.)

2008: Dan Vallimont (2nd, 157)

2009: Bubba Jenkins (2nd, 149)  
Quentin Wright (2nd, 174)  
Dan Vallimont (3rd, 165)

2010: Dan Vallimont (3rd, 165)

2011: Andrew Long (1st, 133)  
Frank Molinaro (1st, 149)  
Ed Ruth (1st, 174)  
David Taylor (1st, 157)  
Quentin Wright (1st, 184)

2012: Frank Molinaro (1st, 149)  
David Taylor (1st, 165)  
Ed Ruth (1st, 174)  
Dylan Alton (3rd, 157)  
Quentin Wright (3rd, 184)  
Cameron Wade (3rd, Hwt.)

2013: David Taylor (1st, 165)  
Matt Brown (1st, 174)  
Ed Ruth (1st, 184)  
Quentin Wright (1st, 197)  
Nico Megaludis (3rd, 125)

2014: David Taylor (1st, 165)  
Ed Ruth (1st, 184)  
Nico Megaludis (2nd, 125)  
Zain Retherford (2nd, 141)  
Morgan McIntosh (2nd, 197)  
Matt Brown (3rd, 174)

2015: Morgan McIntosh (1st, 197)  
Matt Brown (2nd, 174)  
Jordan Conaway (3rd, 125)

2016: Morgan McIntosh (1st, 197)  
Bo Nickal (1st, 174)  
Zain Retherford (1st, 149)  
Jimmy Gullibon (2nd, 141)  
Jason Nolf (2nd, 157)

2017: Zain Retherford (1st, 149)  
Jason Nolf (1st, 157)  
Mark Hall (2nd, 174)

2018: Zain Retherford (1st, 149)  
Mark Hall (1st, 174)  
Bo Nickal (1st, 184)  
Vincenzo Joseph (2nd, 165)  
Shakur Rasheed (2nd, 197)  
Nick Lee (3rd, 141)  
Nick Nevills (3rd, 285)

2019: Jason Nolf (1st, 157)  
Mark Hall (1st, 174)  
Bo Nickal (1st, 197)  
Anthony Cassar (1st, 285)  
Vincenzo Joseph (2nd, 165)  
Shakur Rasheed (2nd, 184)

## NCAA QUALIFIERS BY YEAR

1993: 10	1994: 6	1995: 4
1996: 7	1997: 10	1998: 9
1999: 9	2000: 6	2001: 6
2002: 7	2003: 8	2004: 6
2005: 6	2006: 8	2007: 7
2008: 7	2009: 6	2010: 6
2011: 8	2012: 9	2013: 10
2014: 10	2015: 7	2016: 9
2017: 9	2018: 9	2019: 9

## HOST SITE

Bryce Jordan Center: 1998  
Bryce Jordan Center: 2009

## TEAM HIGHS AND LOWS

Highest Finish:  
1st; 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2019

Lowest Finish: 10th; 2001

Top Three Finishes: 14

Highest Point Total: 157.5; 2019

Lowest Point Total: 35; 2001

Most Champions: 5; 2011

Most Wrestlers in Finals: 6; 2019

Fewest Wrestlers in Finals: 0; 2001 & 02

Most Placers: 10; 1993, 97, 2012, 13, 14, 18

Fewest Placers: 4; 1995

Most NCAA Qualifiers:  
10; 1993, 1997, 2013, 2014

Fewest NCAA Qualifiers: 4; 1995

Most Dual Meet Wins: 9; 2016, 17, 18, 19

## BIG TEN DUAL TITLES

2012: 7-1 (co-)  
2014: 7-1 (co-)  
2016: 9-0 (co-)  
2017: 9-0  
2018: 9-0  
2019: 9-0

## INDIVIDUAL HONORS

### Big Ten Tournament Outstanding Wrestler

Troy Sunderland (150)	1993
Cary Kolat (134)	1994
Kerry McCoy (Hwt)	1995
Quentin Wright (184)	2011
Frank Molinaro (149, Co-)	2012
David Taylor (165)	2014
Zain Retherford (149)	2017
Jason Nolf (157, Co-)	2019

### Big Ten Wrestler of the Year

Cary Kolat (134)	1994
Jeremy Hunter (125)	2000
David Taylor (157)	2011
David Taylor (165)	2012
Ed Ruth (184)	2013
David Taylor (165)	2014
Zain Retherford (149)	2016
Jason Nolf (157)	2017
Zain Retherford (149)	2018
Jason Nolf (157, Co-)	2019
Bo Nickal (197, Co-)	2019

### Big Ten Freshman of the Year

Jeremy Hunter (118)	1997
Jamarr Billman (149)	1998
Matt Storniolo (149)	2004
David Taylor (157)	2011
Jason Nolf (157)	2016

### Big Ten Coach of the Year

John Fritz	1998
Troy Sunderland	2003
Cael Sanderson	2011
Cael Sanderson	2012
Cael Sanderson	2013
Cael Sanderson	2014
Cael Sanderson	2016
Cael Sanderson	2019

## BIG TEN DUAL MEET RECORDS

1993: 5-0-1	1994: 5-2	1995: 2-4
1996: 3-4	1997: 5-2	1998: 6-0
1999: 5-3	2000: 3-5	2001: 1-7
2002: 3-5	2003: 3-5	2004: 5-3
2005: 3-5	2006: 5-3	2007: 5-3
2008: 5-3	2009: 1-5-2	2010: 5-3
2011: 6-1-1	2012: 7-1	2013: 7-1
2014: 7-1	2015: 6-3	2016: 9-0
2017: 9-0	2018: 9-0	2019: 9-0



# PENN STATE IN THE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

## NCAA HIGHLIGHTS

### National Champions (44)

1935	Howard Johnston, 165
1952	Joe Lemyre, 167
1953	Hud Samson, 191
1955	Larry Fornicola, 137
1955	Bill Oberly, Hwt.
1957	John Johnston, 130
1971	Andy Matter, 167
1972	Andy Matter, 167
1975	John Fritz, 126
1984	Carl DeStefanis, 118
	Scott Lynch, 134
1988	Jim Martin, 126
1991	Jeff Prescott, 118
1992	Jeff Prescott, 118
1994	Kerry McCoy, Hwt.
1995	John Hughes, 142
1996	Sanshiro Abe, 126
1997	Kerry McCoy, Hwt.
1999	Glenn Pritzlaff, 174
2000	Jeremy Hunter, 125
2008	Phil Davis, 197
2011	Quentin Wright, 184
2012	Frank Molinaro, 149
	David Taylor, 165
	Ed Ruth, 174
2013	Ed Ruth, 184
	Quentin Wright, 197
2014	David Taylor, 165
	Ed Ruth, 184
2015	Matt Brown, 174
2016	Nico Megaludis, 125
	Zain Retherford, 149
2017	Zain Retherford, 149
	Jason Nolf, 157
	Vincenzo Joseph, 165
	Mark Hall, 174
	Bo Nickal, 184
2018	Zain Retherford, 149
	Jason Nolf, 157
	Vincenzo Joseph, 165
	Bo Nickal, 184
2019	Jason Nolf, 157
	Bo Nickal, 197
	Anthony Cassar, 285

### Top NCAA Finishes

118	1st: Carl DeStefanis, 1984
	Jeff Prescott, 1991-92
125	1st: Jeremy Hunter, 2000
	1st: Nico Megaludis, 2016
	2nd: Nico Megaludis, 2012
	2nd: Nico Megaludis, 2013
	3rd: Nico Megaludis, 2014
126	1st: John Fritz, 1975
	Jim Martin, 1988
	Sanshiro Abe, 1996
130	1st: John Johnston, 1957
133	2nd: Josh Moore, 2004
	3rd: Andrew Long, 2011
134	1st: Scott Lynch, 1984
137	1st: Larry Fornicola, 1955
141	4th: Scott Moore, 2003
	5th: Nick Lee, 2018
	5th: Nick Lee, 2019
	5th: Zain Retherford, 2014
142	1st: John Hughes, 1995
149	1st: Frank Molinaro, 2012
	1st: Zain Retherford, 2016

	1st: Zain Retherford, 2017
	1st: Zain Retherford, 2018
	2nd: Frank Molinaro, 2011
	2nd: Bubba Jenkins, 2008
	5th: Frank Molinaro, 2010
150	2nd: Troy Sunderland, 1992 & 93
157	1st: Jason Nolf, 2018
	1st: Jason Nolf, 2017
	2nd: Jason Nolf, 2016
	2nd: David Taylor, 2011
	2nd: Clint Musser, 1999
	3rd: Dylan Alton, 2012
	3rd: Dan Vallimont, 2008
158	2nd: Greg Elinsky, 1985-86
	Josh Robbins, 1993
165	1st: David Taylor, 2012
	1st: David Taylor, 2013
	1st: Vincenzo Joseph, 2017
	1st: Vincenzo Joseph, 2018
	1st: Howard Johnson, 1935
	2nd: David Taylor, 2013
	2nd: Dan Vallimont, 2010
	2nd: Vincenzo Joseph, 2019
167	1st: Joe Lemyre, 1952
	Andy Matter, 1971-72
174	1st: Ed Ruth, 2012
	1st: Matt Brown, 2015
	1st: Mark Hall, 2017
	1st: Glenn Pritzlaff, 1999
	2nd: Mark Hall, 2019
	2nd: Mark Hall, 2018
	2nd: Matt Brown, 2013
	2nd: Bo Nickal, 2016
	3rd: Ed Ruth, 2011
	2nd: Mike Rubino, 1951
	Joe Krufka, 1955
	Dan Mayo, 1988
184	1st: Ed Ruth, 2013
	1st: Ed Ruth, 2014
	1st: Bo Nickal, 2017
	1st: Bo Nickal, 2018
	1st: Quentin Wright, 2011
	2nd: Quentin Wright, 2012
	4th: Andy Voit, 1987
190	1st: Hud Samson, 1953
191	1st: Quentin Wright, 197
197	1st: Phil Davis, 2008
	2nd: Phil Davis, 2006
	2nd: Morgan McIntosh, 2016
	3rd: Morgan McIntosh, 2015
Hwt	1st: Bill Oberly, 1955
	Kerry McCoy, 1994 & 97
	2nd: Aaron Anspach, 2007

### National Runners-Up (40)

1939	Joe Scalzo, 145
1951	Don Frey, 147
	Mike Rubino, 177
	Homer Barr, Hwt.
1953	Dick Lemyre, 130
1955	Joe Krufka, 177
1956	Dave Adams, 147
1957	John Pepe, 137
1961	Ron Pifer, 147
1971	Dave Joyner, Hwt.
1985	Greg Elinsky, 158
1986	Greg Elinsky, 158
1987	Jim Martin, 118
1988	Dan Mayo, 177
1990	Greg Haladay, Hwt.

1992	Troy Sunderland, 150
1993	Cary Kolat, 134
	Troy Sunderland, 150
	Josh Robbins, 158
1995	Sanshiro Abe, 126
1996	John Hughes, 142
1999	Jeremy Hunter, 125
	Clint Musser, 157
2004	Josh Moore, 133
	Pat Cummins, Hwt.
2006	Phil Davis, 197
2007	Aaron Anspach, HWT
2008	Bubba Jenkins, 149
2010	Dan Vallimont, 165
2011	Frank Molinaro, 149
	David Taylor, 157
2012	Nico Megaludis, 125
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	Matt Brown, 174
2016	Jason Nolf, 157
	Bo Nickal, 174
	Morgan McIntosh, 197
2018	Mark Hall, 174
2019	Vincenzo Joseph, 165
	Mark Hall, 174

### NCAA Tournament Wins

1.	Ed Ruth, 2010-14	21-1
2.	<b>Bo Nickal, 2016-19</b>	<b>19-1</b>
	<b>Jason Nolf, 2016-19</b>	<b>19-1</b>
4.	Zain Retherford, 2014-18	19-2
5.	David Taylor, 2011-14	18-2
	Nico Megaludis, 2012-16	18-3
	Quentin Wright, 2009-13	18-4
	Jim Martin, 1986-89	18-4
	Sanshiro Abe, 1993-96	18-4
	Greg Elinsky, 1984-87	18-5
11.	John Fritz, 1972-75	17-3
	Phil Davis, 2005-08	17-5
	Frank Molinaro, 2009-12	17-6
	Ken Chertow, 1985, 1987-89	17-6
15.	Kerry McCoy, 1992-97	16-3
	John Hughes, 1992, 1994-96	16-5
	Morgan McIntosh, 2012-16	16-6
18.	Jeff Prescott, 1990-92	15-2
	Dan Vallimont, 2007-11	15-6
20.	Vincenzo Joseph, 2017-Prsnt	14-1
	Matt Brown, 2012-15	14-3
	Jeremy Hunter, 1998-2000	14-5
	Andy Voit, 1985, 1987-89	14-7
	Tim Wittman, 1988, 1990-92	14-9
25.	Mark Hall, 2017-Prsnt	13-2

### NCAA Tournament Win % (Minimum 10 matches)

1.	Ed Ruth, 2011-14	95.5..... 21-1
2.	<b>Bo Nickal, 2016-19</b>	<b>95.0..... 19-1</b>
	<b>Jason Nolf, 2016-19</b>	<b>95.0..... 19-1</b>
4.	<b>Vincenzo Joseph, 2017-Pres.</b>	<b>93.3..... 14-1</b>
5.	Andy Matter, 1970-72	91.7..... 11-1
6.	Zain Retherford, 2014-18	90.5..... 19-2
7.	David Taylor, 2011-14	90.0..... 18-2
8.	Jeff Prescott, 1990-92	88.2..... 15-2
9.	<b>Mark Hall, 2017-Pres.</b>	<b>86.7..... 13-2</b>
10.	Nico Megaludis	85.7..... 18-3

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# PENN STATE IN THE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

## TEAM RECORDS

### Top Ten Finishes (52)

1st	1953, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019
2nd	1955, 1993
3rd	1942, 1951, 1954, 1984, 1987, 1991, 1992, 1994, 2008
4th	1971 (tie), 1996, 1998, 1999
5th	1935 (tie), 1952, 1956, 1957, 1986, 1988, 1995
6th	1981, 1990, 2003, 2015
7th	1960, 1961, 1974, 1983, 1985
8th	1939, 1964, 1972
9th	1946 (tie), 1950, 2006 (tie), 2010
10th	1973 (tie), 1975, 1976, 1989, 1997

### Highest Point Totals

1.	146.5.....	2017 (1st)
2.	143.0.....	2012 (1st)
3.	141.5.....	2018 (1st)
4.	140.5.....	2014 (1st)
5.	137.5.....	2019 (1st)
6.	123.5.....	2013 (1st)
7.	123.0.....	2016 (1st)
8.	107.5.....	2011 (1st)
9.	97.75.....	1987 (3rd)
10.	89.25.....	1992 (3rd)
11.	87.50.....	1993 (2nd)
12.	78.50.....	1999 (4th)
13.	75.00.....	2008 (3rd)
14.	71.50.....	1988 (5th)
15.	70.50.....	1984 (3rd)
	70.50.....	1998 (4th)
17.	67.50.....	2015 (6th)
	67.50.....	1991 (3rd)
19.	65.00.....	1996 (4th)
20.	62.00.....	2003 (6th)

## ALL-AMERICANS (221)

1935	1	Howard Johnston.....	165	1st
1939	2	Joe Scalzo .....	145	2nd
		Don Bachman.....	165	3rd
1941	1	Frank Gleason.....	136	3rd
1942	3	Charlie Ridenour .....	121	3rd
		Sam Harry.....	128	3rd
		Glen Alexander.....	145	3rd
1946	1	Sam Harry.....	128	3rd
1949	1	Homer Barr .....	Hwt.	4th
1950	2	Jim Maurey .....	145	3rd
		Homer Barr .....	Hwt.	3rd
1951	4	Don Maurey .....	137	3rd
		Don Frey .....	147	2nd
		Mike Rubino.....	177	2nd
		Homer Barr .....	Hwt.	2nd
1952	2	Dick Lemyre .....	130	3rd
		Joe Lemyre .....	167	1st
1953	5	Dick Lemyre .....	130	2nd
		Jerry Maurey .....	137	3rd
		Don Frey .....	147	3rd
		Joe Lemyre .....	167	3rd
		Hud Samson.....	191	1st
1954	3	Jerry Maurey .....	137	3rd
		Joe Krufka .....	177	3rd
		Bill Oberly.....	191	3rd
1955	3	Larry Fornicola .....	137	1st
		Joe Krufka .....	177	2nd
		Bill Oberly.....	Hwt.	1st
1956	3	John Pepe .....	137	3rd
		Dave Adams .....	147	2nd
		Bill Oberly.....	Hwt.	3rd
1957	2	John Johnston .....	130	1st
		John Pepe .....	137	2nd
1958	1	John Johnston .....	123	3rd
1960	2	Ron Pifer .....	157	4th
		Johnston Oberly.....	Hwt.	3rd
1961	2	Ron Pifer.....	147	2nd
		Johnston Oberly.....	Hwt.	4th
1962	1	Ron Pifer.....	157	3rd
1963	1	Tom Balent.....	115	3rd
1964	2	Mark Piven.....	130	3rd
		George Edwards.....	147	5th
1965	2	Jay Windfelder .....	115	5th
		Marty Strayer .....	167	5th
1968	2	Matt Kline.....	160	4th
		Rich Lorenzo.....	191	4th
1969	1	Clyde Frantz.....	145	3rd
1971	3	Don Stone.....	150	3rd
		Andy Matter .....	167	1st
		Dave Joyner .....	Hwt.	2nd
1972	1	Andy Matter .....	167	1st
1973	2	John Fritz .....	126	3rd
		Charlie Getty .....	Hwt.	5th
1974	3	John Fritz .....	126	3rd
		Jerry Villecco.....	158	4th
		Charlie Getty .....	Hwt.	3rd
1975	2	John Fritz .....	126	1st
		Jerry Villecco.....	167	6th
1976	1	Jerry Villecco.....	167	4th
1977	1	Jerry White.....	177	3rd
1978	2	Mike DeAugustino .....	118	6th
		Dave Becker .....	158	5th
1981	3	Bernie Fritz.....	142	6th
		John Hanrahan .....	167	3rd
		Steve Sefter .....	Hwt.	6th
1982	2	Scott Lynch.....	126	6th
		John Hanrahan .....	167	5th
1983	3	Scott Lynch.....	126	4th
		Bill Marino .....	134	7th
		Bob Harr .....	177	6th
1984	7	Carl DeStefanis .....	118	1st
		Scott Lynch.....	134	1st
		Eric Childs.....	142	7th
		Chris Bevilacqua .....	150	8th
		Greg Elinsky .....	158	7th
		Eric Brugel .....	167	8th
		Bob Harr .....	177	5th
1985	3	Chris Bevilacqua .....	150	4th
		Greg Elinsky .....	158	2nd
		Steve Sefter .....	Hwt.	4th
1986	2	Jim Martin .....	118	4th
		Greg Elinsky .....	158	2nd
1987	8	Jim Martin .....	118	2nd
		Ken Chertow.....	126	3rd
		Tim Flynn .....	134	7th
		Joe Hadge .....	142	6th
		Sean Finkbeiner .....	150	6th
		Greg Elinsky .....	167	3rd
		Dan Mayo .....	177	3rd
		Andy Voit.....	190	4th
1988	4	Ken Chertow .....	118	3rd
		Jim Martin .....	126	1st
		Dan Mayo .....	177	2nd
		Andy Voit.....	190	5th
1989	4	Ken Chertow.....	118	6th
		Jim Martin .....	126	3rd
		Andy Voit.....	190	7th
		Greg Haladay .....	Hwt.	7th
1990	4	Jeff Prescott.....	118	5th
		Tim Wittman .....	150	4th
		Jason Suter.....	167	8th
		Greg Haladay .....	Hwt.	2nd
1991	6	Jeff Prescott.....	118	1st
		Bob Truby .....	126	5th
		Troy Sunderland .....	142	4th
		Tim Wittman .....	150	7th
		Jason Suter.....	158	5th
		Matt White .....	177	8th
1992	7	Jeff Prescott.....	118	1st
		Shawn Nelson.....	126	4th
		Bob Truby .....	134	4th
		Troy Sunderland .....	150	2nd
		Tim Wittman .....	158	6th
		Dave Hart .....	167	4th
		Matt White .....	177	8th
1993	5	Sanshiro Abe .....	126	4th
		Cary Kolat .....	134	2nd
		Troy Sunderland .....	150	2nd
		Josh Robbins.....	158	2nd
		Dave Hart.....	167	3rd



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1994	4	Sanshiro Abe	126	3rd
		Cary Kolat	134	3rd
		John Hughes	142	7th
		Kerry McCoy	Hwt.	1st
1995	3	Sanshiro Abe	126	2nd
		John Hughes	142	1st
		Kerry McCoy	Hwt.	3rd
1996	3	Sanshiro Abe	126	1st
		John Hughes	142	2nd
		Russ Hughes	150	3rd
1997	1	Kerry McCoy	Hwt.	1st
1998	5	Jeremy Hunter	118	5th
		Jamarr Billman	142	5th
		Clint Musser	150	5th
		John Lange	158	3rd
		Glenn Pritzlaff	167	7th
1999	4	Jeremy Hunter	125	2nd
		Biff Walizer	149	8th
		Clint Musser	157	2nd
		Glenn Pritzlaff	174	1st
2000	2	Jeremy Hunter	125	1st
		Ross Thatcher	197	6th
2002	1	Doc Vecchio	165	8th
2003	4	Josh Moore	133	3rd
		Scott Moore	141	4th
		Mark Becks	184	7th
		Pat Cummins	Hwt.	4th
2004	2	Josh Moore	133	2nd
		Pat Cummins	Hwt.	2nd
2005	2	Eric Bradley	184	4th
		Phil Davis	197	7th
2006	3	Phil Davis	197	2nd
		James Yonushonis	174	8th
		Eric Bradley	184	8th
2007	3	Aaron Anspach	Hwt.	2nd
		Phil Davis	197	5th
		Jake Strayer	133	7th
2008	4	Phil Davis	197	1st
		Bubba Jenkins	149	2nd
		Dan Vallimont	157	3rd
		Mark McKnight	125	4th
2009	2	Quentin Wright	174	6th
		Frank Molinaro	141	8th

## All-Americans under Sanderson (58)

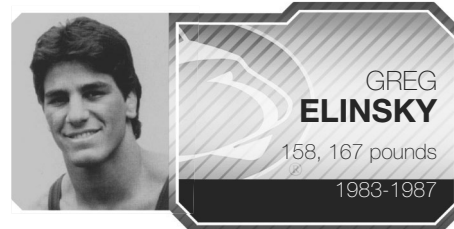
2010	3	Dan Vallimont	165	2nd
		Frank Molinaro	149	5th
		Cyler Sanderson	157	6th
2011	5	Quentin Wright	184	1st
		Frank Molinaro	149	2nd
		David Taylor	157	2nd
		Andrew Long	133	3rd
		Ed Ruth	174	3rd
2012	6	Frank Molinaro	149	1st
		Ed Ruth	174	1st
		David Taylor	165	1st
		Nico Megaludis	125	2nd
		Quentin Wright	184	2nd
		Dylan Alton	157	3rd
2013	5	Ed Ruth	184	1st
		Quentin Wright	197	1st
		Nico Megaludis	125	2nd
		David Taylor	165	2nd
		Matt Brown	174	2nd
2014	7	David Taylor	165	1st
		Ed Ruth	184	1st
		Nico Megaludis	125	3rd
		Zain Retherford	141	5th
		Matt Brown	174	5th
		James English	149	7th
		Morgan McIntosh	197	7th
2015	5	Matt Brown	174	1st
		Morgan McIntosh	197	3rd
		Jimmy Gulibon	133	5th
		Jimmy Lawson	285	6th
		Jordan Conaway	125	8th
2016	6	Nico Megaludis	125	1st
		Zain Retherford	149	1st
		Jason Nolf	157	2nd
		Bo Nickal	174	2nd
		Morgan McIntosh	197	2nd
		Jordan Conaway	133	6th
2017	6	Zain Retherford	149	1st
		Jason Nolf	157	1st
		Vincenzo Josepn	165	1st
		Mark Hall	174	1st
		Bo Nickal	184	1st
		Nick Nevills	285	5th
2018	8	Zain Retherford	149	1st
		Jason Nolf	157	1st
		Vincenzo Josepn	165	1st
		Bo Nickal	184	1st
		Mark Hall	174	2nd
		Nick Lee	141	5th
		Shakur Rasheed	197	7th
		Nick Nevills	285	7th
2019	7	Jason Nolf	157	1st
		Bo Nickal	197	1st
		Anthony Cassar	285	1st
		Vincenzo Joseph	165	2nd
		Mark Hall	174	2nd
		Nick Lee	141	5th
		Roman Bravo-Young	133	8th

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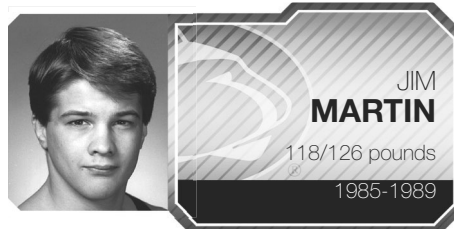
# ALL-AMERICAN HISTORY

## 3X NCAA Champions/4X Finalists (2)

Jason Nolf:  
2nd (157), 2016; 1st (157), 2017;  
1st (157), 2018; 1st (157), 2019.

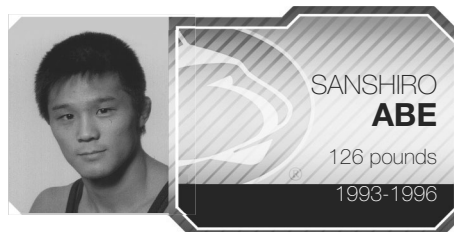
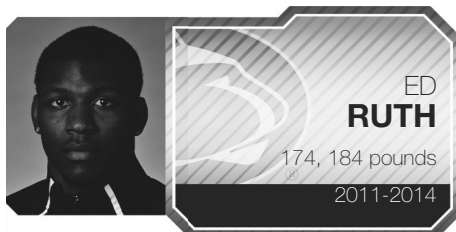


Bo Nickal:  
2nd (174), 2016; 1st (184), 2017;  
1st (184), 2018; 1st (197), 2019.

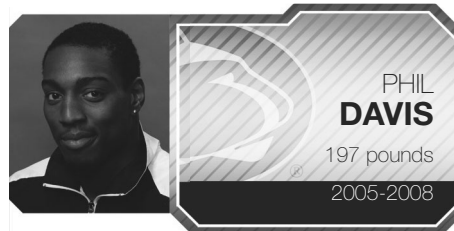


## 3X NCAA Champions (2)

Ed Ruth:  
3rd (174), 2011; 1st (174), 2012;  
1st (184), 2013; 1st (184), 2014.



Zain Retherford:  
5th (141), 2014; 1st (149), 2016;  
1st (149), 2017; 1st (149), 2018.



## 2X NCAA Champions/4X Finalists (1)

David Taylor:  
2nd (157), 2011; 1st (165), 2012;  
2nd (165), 2013; 1st (165), 2014.



## 4-Time All-Americans (12 incl. above)

Greg Elinsky:  
7th (158), 1984; 2nd (158), 1985;  
2nd (158), 1986; 3rd (167), 1987.

Jim Martin:  
4th (118), 1986; 2nd (118), 1987;  
1st (126), 1988; 3rd (126), 1989.

Sanshiro Abe:  
4th (126), 1993; 3rd (126), 1994;  
2nd (126), 1995; 1st (126), 1996.

Phil Davis:  
7th (197), 2005; 2nd (197), 2006;  
5th (197), 2007; 1st (197), 2008.

Frank Molinaro:  
8th (141), 2009; 5th (149), 2010;  
2nd (149), 2011; 1st (149), 2012.

Quentin Wright:  
6th (174), 2009; 1st (184), 2011;  
2nd (184), 2012; 1st (197), 2013.



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## 3-Time All-Americans (30 including the four-timers)

Homer Barr:

4th (Hwt.), 1949; 3rd (Hwt.), 1950;  
2nd (Hwt.), 1951.

Jeremy Hunter:

5th (125), 1998; 2nd (125), 1999;  
1st (125), 2000.

Bill Oberly:

3rd (191), 1954; 1st (Hwt.), 1955;  
3rd (Hwt.), 1956.

Matt Brown

2nd (174), 2013; 5th (174), 2014;  
1st (174), 2015.

Ron Pifer:

4th (157), 1960; 2nd (147), 1961;  
3rd (157), 1962.

Morgan McIntosh

7th (197), 2014; 3rd (197), 2015;  
2nd (197), 2016.

John Fritz:

3rd (126), 1973; 3rd (126), 1974;  
1st (126), 1975.

Vincenzo Joseph

1st (165), 2017; 1st (165), 2018;  
2nd (165), 2019.

Jerry Villecco:

4th (158), 1974; 6th (167), 1975;  
4th (167), 1976.

Mark Hall

1st (174), 2017; 2nd (174), 2018;  
2nd (174), 2019.

Scott Lynch:

6th (126), 1982; 4th (126), 1983;  
1st (134), 1984.

Ken Chertow:

3rd (126), 1987; 3rd (118), 1988;  
6th (118), 1989.

Andy Voit:

4th (190), 1987; 5th (190), 1988;  
7th (190), 1989.

Jeff Prescott:

5th (118), 1990; 1st (118), 1991;  
1st (118), 1992.

Tim Wittman:

4th (150), 1990; 7th (150), 1991;  
6th (158), 1992.

Troy Sunderland:

4th (142), 1991; 2nd (150), 1992;  
2nd (150), 1993.

John Hughes:

7th (142), 1994; 1st (142), 1995;  
2nd (142), 1996.

Kerry McCoy:

1st (Hwt.), 1994; 3rd (Hwt.), 1995;  
1st (Hwt.), 1997.



# TIMELINE - YEARLY SINCE 2009-10 (under Sanderson)

## YEAR-BY-YEAR: 09-10

During his first year as head coach, Cael Sanderson laid a strong foundation for future success in Happy Valley. Sanderson led Penn State back into the Top 10 in both dual meets and the NCAA Championships, coaching a Big Ten Champion, three All-Americans and a national finalist. Penn State's 13-6-1 dual meet record (5-3 in the Big Ten) earned it a No. 10 ranking in the final NWCA Coaches Poll and its 49.0 points in Omaha were good enough for a ninth place finish at nationals.

### Final Results (13-6-1, 5-3 B1G, 5th B1G, 9th NCAA)

Nov. 13	at #17 Lehigh	14-23	L
Nov. 15	BLOOMSBURG	23-15	W
Nov. 22	vs. Rutgers	18-17	W
	vs. Harvard	36-6	W
	vs. #15 Edinboro	22-9	W
Dec. 11	at West Virginia	33-12	W
Dec. 12	at #24 Pittsburgh	19-19	T
Jan. 3	at Lock Haven	32-6	W
Jan. 8	vs. Virginia Tech	26-9	W
Jan. 8	vs. #13 Kent State	22-13	W
Jan. 9	vs. #4 Oklahoma State	13-24	L
Jan. 9	vs. #10 Oklahoma	15-22	L
Jan. 22	#19 ILLINOIS*	24-11	W
Jan. 24	at #3 Ohio State*	14-21	L
Jan. 29	at #1 Iowa*	6-29	L
Jan. 31	at #12 Wisconsin*	22-15	W
Feb. 5	NORTHWESTERN*	37-10	W
Feb. 7	MICHIGAN*	29-10	W
Feb. 12	MICHIGAN STATE*	26-12	W
Feb. 19	at #5 Minnesota*	16-26	L
March 6-7	Big Ten Championships		5th
March 18-20	NCAA Championships		9th
	\$ Sprawl and Brawl Duals, Binghamton, N.Y.;		
	! Virginia Duals, Hampton, Va. -- * Big Ten Dual		

### Signature Wins

-- Sanderson's first win as Penn State head coach came in the Nittany Lions' home opener with a 23-15 win over Bloomsburg on Nov. 15, 2009.  
-- Early signs that Penn State was back came with a 22-9 win over then No. 15 Edinboro during a 3-0 run at the Sprawl and Brawl Duals on Nov. 22.  
-- Sanderson made a fine Big Ten debut with a 24-11 win over No. 19 Illinois on Jan. 22, 2010.  
-- His first Big Ten road win came at No. 12 Wisconsin as Penn State earned a 22-15 win in Madison on Jan. 31.

### Highlights

-- Penn State went 13-6-1 in dual meets, much improved from the prior year's 8-12-2, and a strong finish to return to the Top 10 (No. 10) in the final NWCA Coaches Poll.  
-- Sanderson led Penn State to a fifth place finish at the 2010 Big Ten Championships, including his first Big Ten individual champion as younger brother Cyler claimed the 157 pound title.  
-- Penn State tallied 49.0 points at the 2010 NCAA Championships in Omaha, Neb., the 17th-most in school history and good enough for ninth place in the final team standings. Dan Vallimont was the top finisher among Penn State's three All-Americans, advancing to the national finals at 165. Frank Molinaro finished fifth at 149 and Cyler Sanderson took sixth at 157.

## YEAR-BY-YEAR: 10-11

Fulfilling the promise of a bright young coaching career in just his fifth season as a collegiate head coach (and only his second at Penn State), Sanderson led the Nittany Lion wrestling team to the 2011 NCAA National Championship in March at Philadelphia's Wells Fargo Center. Just two weeks after guiding Penn State to its first ever Big Ten title, Sanderson and his staff helped five Penn Staters earn All-America honors (all in the top three) and crowned one NCAA champion. The magical March run was built on the foundation of a superb regular season, including a co-championship at the Southern Scuffle, the Virginia Duals championship and tying a school record for Big Ten dual meet wins with a 6-1-1 conference mark. Penn State's run to the NCAA title in 2011 was the school's first since 1953. 2011 marked the year that the Nittany Lions were the first East Coast team to win the NCAA crown since 1973. Sanderson was named the 2011 Big Ten Coach of the Year and in just five short years as a collegiate head coach, he became the only coach in NCAA history to be named both Big Ten and Big 12 Coach of the Year.

### Final Results (17-1-1, 6-1-1 B1G, 1st B1G, 1st NCAA)

Nov. 12	at Bloomsburg	41-3	W
Nov. 14	#15 LEHIGH	27-17	W
Nov. 21	vs. Harvard	45-0	W
	vs. West Virginia	40-3	W
	vs. #24 Rutgers	22-10	W
Dec. 12	LOCK HAVEN	48-0	W
Dec. 19	#22 OHIO STATE*	42-3	W
Dec. 29-30	Southern Scuffle at UNC-Greensboro		1st
Jan. 7	vs. VMI!	42-3	W
	vs. Edinboro!	37-12	W
	vs. #23 Kent State!	27-15	W
	vs. #15 Michigan!	24-12	W
Jan. 21	#22 PITTSBURGH	30-7	W
Jan. 23	at Indiana*	36-8	W
Jan. 30	#8 IOWA*	13-22	L
Feb. 4	at Michigan State*	30-9	W
Feb. 6	at #13 Michigan*	28-13	W
Feb. 11	#20 ILLINOIS*	23-13	W
Feb. 13	at #5 Minnesota*	18-18	T
Feb. 18	#16 WISCONSIN*	30-12	W
March 5-6	Big Ten Championships		1st
March 17-19	NCAA Championships		1st
	\$ Sprawl and Brawl Duals, Binghamton, N.Y.;		
	! Virginia Duals, Hampton, Va. -- * Big Ten Dual		

### Signature Wins

-- The Nittany Lions opened up Big Ten dual meet action with a resounding 42-3 win over Ohio State on Dec. 19.  
-- Sanderson led Penn State to four straight wins at the Virginia Duals on Jan. 7-8 for the school's first Virginia Duals title since 1991.  
-- Penn State's 30-12 Senior Day win over Wisconsin in front of a sold out Rec Hall crowd helped the Lions finish with a 6-1-1 Big Ten dual meet record, tying the school record for conference dual wins in a season.

### Highlights

-- The Nittany Lions sold out two duals in Rec Hall and averaged nearly 5,500 fans per home event.  
-- Penn State tied Cornell for the Southern Scuffle title in the school's first ever appearance at the event in Greensboro, N.C.  
-- Sanderson led Penn State to its most dual meet wins (17) since the team went 18-3 in 1998.  
-- Penn State's 6-1-1 Big Ten dual meet record tied a school record for conference wins in a season.  
-- The Nittany Lions claimed the school's first-ever Big Ten Championship with a stunning final session run at Northwestern in March. Penn State crowned five Big Ten Champions, going 5-0 in the finals, and picked up key consolation wins from a number of wrestlers to out-distance Iowa by a single point.  
-- Sanderson led Penn State to the 2011 NCAA Championship in front of a home-state crowd in Philadelphia's Wells Fargo Center on March 17-19. The Nittany Lions stormed the competition, clinching the title early on the third day of the event, before the national finals even began.  
-- Penn State had five All-Americans, all finishing in the top three, none of whom were seniors at the time.  
-- Sophomore Quentin Wright became Sanderson's first Penn State National Champion, claiming the 184-pound title.  
-- Penn State's team title was the school's first NCAA crown since 1953, only the second in school history.  
-- The win by Penn State marked the first time since 1973 that a school east of the Mississippi River won the NCAA wrestling title (Michigan State).  
-- Sanderson was named 2011 Big Ten Coach of the Year and became the first person ever to win both Big Ten and Big 12 Coach of the Year honors.

## YEAR-BY-YEAR: 11-12

Sanderson led Penn State to a second straight NCAA title in 2011-12, making Penn State only the fourth team in NCAA history to ever win back-to-back crowns. The Nittany Lions' run through the NCAA field in St. Louis was a dominant showcase, highlighted by three NCAA champions, five NCAA finalists and six All-Americans, all of whom placed in the top three of their respective weights. Just two weeks after guiding Penn State to its second straight Big Ten title at Purdue, Sanderson watched his squad run away with another NCAA crown, this time by over 20.0 points. The year was stellar from start to finish as the Nittany Lions went 13-1 in duals, including a school record 7-1 mark in Big Ten duals (Penn State earned Big Ten Regular Season Co-Champion laurels). The Lions also won their second straight Southern Scuffle crown, this time outright. Sanderson earned his second straight Big Ten Coach of the Year award and was also named the InterMat National Coach of the Year. The Nittany Lions averaged 6,481 fans per dual meet, selling out all but two of their seven home events and drawing over 6,000 for every event.

### Final Results (13-1, 7-1 B1G, 1st B1G, 1st NCAA)

Nov. 13	BLOOMSBURG	39-3	W
Nov. 20	#4 MINNESOTA*	14-23	L
Dec. 9	at #10 Lehigh	24-12	W
Dec. 11	WEST VIRGINIA	34-6	W
Dec. 18	at Lock Haven	50-0	W
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffle at UT-Chattanooga		1st
Jan. 8	at Michigan State*	36-6	W
Jan. 13	at #17 Northwestern*	38-3	W
Jan. 15	at Wisconsin*	43-0	W
Jan. 22	#2 IOWA*	22-12	W
Jan. 29	#5 OHIO STATE*	34-9	W
Feb. 3	at #7 Nebraska*	31-6	W
Feb. 5	#12 MICHIGAN*	34-7	W
Feb. 11	at Utah Valley	39-3	W
Feb. 19	#9 PITTSBURGH*	33-6	W
March 3-4	2012 Big Ten Championships at Purdue		1st
March 15-17	2012 NCAA Championships at St. Louis		1st
	* Big Ten Dual		

### Signature Wins

-- Penn State shut out Big Ten foe Wisconsin 43-0 in Madison on Jan. 15, 2012, marking the first time in over 50 years that the Badgers had suffered a shut-out and also marked Penn State's first shut-out in a Big Ten dual.  
-- The Nittany Lions downed #2 Iowa 22-12 in a packed Rec Hall on Jan. 22, 2012, as nearly 6,800 standing room only fans filled Rec Hall.  
-- Penn State clinched a share of the 2012 Big Ten Regular Season Championship with a 34-7 home dual win over Michigan on Feb. 5, 2012. The win was Penn State's seventh Big Ten dual win of the year, setting a school record for conference wins in a season.

### Highlights

-- Penn State averaged 6,481 fans per dual meet, selling out all but two of its seven home dates with every single event having over 6,000 fans fill Rec Hall.  
-- The Nittany Lions ran away with the 2012 Southern Scuffle title, outdistancing Minnesota by 14 points to win its second straight Scuffle crown.  
-- Penn State's 7-1 Big Ten dual meet mark set a school record for conference wins in a season and gave the Lions a share of the 2012 Big Ten Regular Season title.  
-- The Nittany Lions rolled to a second straight Big Ten Championship, running away with the conference crown at Purdue. The Lions had three champions and notched 149.0 points to second place Minnesota's 134.0.  
-- PSU won the 2012 NCAA Championship in St. Louis' Scottrade Center on March 15-17. The title was Penn State's second straight, making the Lions only the fourth team in NCAA history to win back-to-back titles.  
-- Penn State had six All-Americans, all of whom finished in the top three and five of whom return.  
-- Senior Frank Molinaro, sophomore David Taylor and sophomore Ed Ruth each capped off stunning undefeated seasons by winning NCAA titles at their respective weights. Molinaro (149), Taylor (165) and Ruth (174) gave Penn State a 3-2 mark in the national finals with true freshman Nico Megaludis (125) and junior Quentin Wright (184) finishing as National Runners-Up.

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- Penn State's team title was the school's third overall.
- Sanderson was named 2012 Big Ten Coach and InterMat's 2012 National Coach of the Year.
- David Taylor was named the 2012 Hodge Trophy winner as the National Wrestler of the Year.

## YEAR-BY-YEAR: 12-13

In 2012-13, Penn State went 13-1 overall in dual meets and won its third straight Southern Scuffle title in early January. The Nittany Lions followed that up with a third straight Big Ten Championship on March 9-10 at Illinois and a third straight NCAA Championship in Des Moines on March 21-23. He was named Big Ten Coach of the Year for the third straight season (sharing this year's honor as a co-winner) and 2013 National Coach of the Year (the second time he has earned that honor).

### Final Results (13-1, 7-1 B1G, 1st B1G, 1st NCAA)

Nov. 16	#24 LEHIGH	29-6	W
Nov. 18	at West Virginia	44-3	W
Dec. 9	INDIANA*	52-0	W
Dec. 15	LOCK HAVEN	42-3	W
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffle at UT-Chattanooga		1st
Jan. 13	MICHIGAN STATE*	41-0	W
Jan. 18	#24 WISCONSIN*	36-6	W
Jan. 20	at Purdue*	35-3	W
Jan.. 27	#12 NEBRASKA*	33-9	W
Feb. 1	at #3 Iowa*	16-22	L
Feb. 3	at #8 Illinois*	37-0	W
Feb. 8	at #15 Pittsburgh	31-7	W
Feb. 10	at #6 Ohio State*	29-18	W
Feb. 17	RIDER	48-0	W
Feb. 24	at Rutgers	34-0	W
March 9-10	Big Ten Championships at Illinois		1st
March 21-23	NCAA Championships at Des Moines		1st
	* Big Ten Dual		

### Signature Wins

- Penn State opens up season with 29-6 win over #24 Lehigh in sold out Rec Hall.
- Lions shut-out Big Ten foe Indiana 52-0, one of five dual shut-outs on the year (and three within the Big Ten including Michigan State and #8 Illinois).
- Team comes from behind for thrilling 29-18 road dual victory at #6 Ohio State on Feb. 10.

### Highlights

- Penn State averaged 6,411 fans per dual meet selling out every single dual BEFORE the start of the season.
- Penn State claimed a third straight Southern Scuffle title as 2013 dawned, beating second place Oklahoma State by over 20 points (178.5 to 158.0).
- Penn State's 7-1 Big Ten dual meet tied a school record for conference wins in a season.
- The Lions stormed their way to a third straight Big Ten Championship, once again outdistancing the field by double-digits. Penn State won the title with 151.0 points.
- Sanderson led Penn State to its third straight NCAA crown as 10 Nittany Lions scored points at the 2013 NCAA Championships in Des Moines on March 21-23. Penn State became only the third school to ever win three or more titles in a row (joining Oklahoma State and Iowa). Penn State won by four points (123.5 to 119.5) over Oklahoma State.
- Penn State had five All-Americans, each and every one of which wrestled in the National Finals.
- Ed Ruth (184) and Quentin Wright (197) won individual NCAA crowns. Ruth's was his second straight while Wright's, his second overall, clinched the team title.
- Nico Megaludis (125), David Taylor (165) and Matt Brown (174) each ended the year as National Runner-Up.
- Sanderson was named Big Ten Coach of the Year (co) for the third straight season and earned his second National Coach of the Year nod from the NWCA.
- Matt Brown was named Elite 89 Award Winner as wrestling's top student-athlete; David Taylor won the 2013 NCAA Championships Gorriaran Award and Ed Ruth was named 2013 Big Ten Wrestler of the Year and was Hodge Trophy runner-up for the second straight season.

## YEAR-BY-YEAR: 13-14

In 2013-14, Sanderson led Penn State to a 15-1 overall record, yet another share of the Big Ten dual meet title with a 7-1 mark, a fourth straight Southern Scuffle title, a fourth straight Big Ten title and a fourth straight NCAA Championship. He was once again named Big Ten Coach of the Year, the fourth time he has been honored.

### Final Results (15-1, 7-1 B1G/1st, 1st B1G, 1st NCAA)

Nov. 16	at Rider	W, 34-8
Nov. 17	at #25 Lehigh	W, 22-12
Nov. 24	LOCK HAVEN	W, 34-6
Dec. 6	at Boston	W, 34-6
Dec. 8	#23 PITTSBURGH (BJC)	W, 28-9
Dec. 15	#6 OHIO STATE*	W, 31-6
Dec. 21	at #3 Iowa	W, 24-12
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffle at UT-Chattanooga	1st
Jan. 12	PURDUE*	W, 34-3
Jan. 17	at #19 Indiana*	W, 36-6
Jan. 19	#14 NORTHWESTERN*	W, 39-8
Jan. 24	#11 ILLINOIS*	W, 31-3
Jan. 31	at Michigan State*	W, 42-3
Feb. 2	at #11 Michigan*	W, 32-9
Feb. 9	at #3 Minnesota*	L, 17-18
Feb. 16	#5 OKLAHOMA STATE	W, 23-12
Feb. 23	CLARION	W, 43-3
March 8-9	2014 Big Ten Championships at Wisconsin	1st
March 20-22	2014 NCAA Championships at Oklahoma City	1st
	* Big Ten Dual	

### Signature Wins

- The Nittany Lions travelled to Boston University on Dec. 6, 2013, and downed the Terriers in front of a sold out, partisan, BU crowd. The crowd was the largest ever to see a wrestling event at Boston

and the school's first-ever sell-out.

- Penn State hosted Pittsburgh in the Bryce Jordan Center on Dec. 8 and downed the Panthers 28-9 in front of an NCAA-record crowd of 15,966.
- The Nittany Lions ventured to Iowa City on Dec. 21, 2013, for a non-conference dual against the Iowa Hawkeyes in Carver-Hawkeye Arena. Penn State came away with a 24-12 win.
- Penn State hosted Oklahoma State on Feb. 16 in sold out Rec Hall and posted a hard-fought 23-12 win in front of over 6,500 fans.

### Highlights

- Penn State averaged 7,646 fans per dual meet, selling out all eight home duals, including one in the 16K seat Bryce Jordan Center. Penn State ended the year with a 19-match home sell-out streak.
- The Nittany Lions ran away with the 2014 Southern Scuffle title, outdistancing Oklahoma State by 24.5 points to win their fourth straight Scuffle crown.
- Penn State's 7-1 Big Ten dual meet mark tied a school record for conference wins in a season and gave the Lions a share of the 2014 Big Ten Regular Season title.
- The Nittany Lions claimed their fourth straight Big Ten title in Madison, Wis., on March 8-9, 2014. The Nittany Lions won with 140.5 points, clipping second place Iowa, who had 135.0.
- David Taylor and Ed Ruth became Penn State's first ever four-time Big Ten Champions and Taylor was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Year. Sanderson earned his fourth straight Big Ten Coach of the Year award.
- Sanderson led Penn State to the 2014 NCAA Championship in Oklahoma City on March 20-22, 2014. The title was Penn State's fourth straight, making the Lions only the third team in NCAA history to win four straight titles.
- Penn State had seven All-Americans, the most since 1992.
- Ed Ruth became Penn State's first ever three-time NCAA Champion by winning the 184 pound title (he was also a four-time All-American).
- David Taylor became a two-time NCAA Champion, winning the crown at 165 (he was also a four-time All-American).
- David Taylor was named the 2014 Hodge Trophy winner as the National Wrestler of the Year, his second. He was also named Penn State's Male Athlete of the Year and the Big Ten Male Athlete of the Year and was one of five nominees for the 2014 ESPY for Best Male Collegiate Athlete.

## YEAR-BY-YEAR: 14-15

In 2014-15, Sanderson led Penn State through a transitional year, red-shirting the nation's top recruiting class and key All-Americans while still guiding the squad to yet another NCAA Top 10 finish. In the end, the Nittany Lions won a fifth straight Southern Scuffle title, crowned their newest Big Ten Champion (Morgan McIntosh at 197) and saw Matt Brown cap off a stellar career with the NCAA title at 174 pounds. Penn State left St. Louis with a sixth place finish and five All-Americans. In addition to Brown, McIntosh took third at 197 and three Penn Staters became first time All-Americans (Jordan Conaway at 125, Jimmy Gulibon at 133 and Jimmy Lawson at 285). Brown went on to earn Penn State Male Athlete of the Year honors, an NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship and became only the second overall Penn State athlete to be named CoSIDA National Academic All-America of the Year for all sports (joining fellow Lion wrestler Jim Martin on the short list).

### Final Results (11-4, 6-3 B1G, 5th B1G, 6th NCAA)

Nov. 9	#17 LEHIGH	W, 24-10
Nov. 21	at #16 Pittsburgh	W, 24-12
Nov. 22	at Clarion	W, 44-0
Dec. 11	at Maryland*	W, 38-3
Dec. 19	#9 VIRGINIA TECH	W, 20-15
Jan. 1-2	2015 Southern Scuffle	1st
Jan. 9	#23 INDIANA*	W, 42-3
Jan. 11	at #3 Ohio State*	L, 15-22
Jan. 16	at #25 Rutgers*	W, 28-6
Jan. 18	PURDUE*	W, 26-9
Jan. 25	#2 MINNESOTA*	L, 16-17
Jan. 30	at #15 Michigan*	W, 19-15
Feb. 1	at Michigan State*	W, 35-0
Feb. 8	#1 IOWA (BJC)*	L, 12-18
Feb. 15	at #8 Oklahoma State	L, 18-21
Feb. 22	RIDER	W, 30-3
March 7-8	2015 Big Ten Championships at Ohio State	5th
March 19-21	2015 NCAA Championships at St. Louis	6th
	* Big Ten Dual	

### Signature Wins

- Penn State opened the season with another win over Lehigh, this one a 24-10 victory in sold out Rec Hall.
- Jimmy Lawson's 5-3 (sv) win over fifth-ranked Ty Walz highlighted a thrilling 20-15 win over #9 Virginia Tech in Rec Hall.
- Penn State rolled to its fifth straight Southern Scuffle crown with 165.0 points.
- The Nittany Lions downed Rider 30-3 on Senior Day on Feb. 22, wrestling in front of the 26th-straight home sell-out.

### Highlights

- Penn State averaged 7,747 fans per dual meet, a school record and second nationally.
- Penn State won its fifth straight Southern Scuffle title on Jan. 1-2 in Chattanooga, Tenn.
- The Nittany Lions sold out the Bryce Jordan Center for the second straight year, hosting Iowa on Feb. 8 in a nationally-televised slugfest that went down to the final bout before Iowa won. The dual was wrestled in front of 15,967 fans, the second-highest crowd ever in NCAA history (second only to the BJC Dual from the year before, a win over Pitt during the 13-14 season).
- Matt Brown became the 23rd Penn Stater to win an NCAA title, claiming the school's 30th overall title, by winning the 174 crown with a 5-4 victory over Pittsburgh's Tyler Wiips.
- Penn State had five All-Americans in St. Louis, including Brown, Morgan McIntosh (3rd at 197) and first time All-Americans Jordan Conaway (125), Jimmy Gulibon (133) and Jimmy Lawson (285).
- Seven Penn Staters earned Academic All-Big Ten laurels.
- Matt Brown was awarded both Big Ten and NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarships.
- Four Nittany Lions were honored with first team national NWCA All-Academic laurels.
- Matt Brown was a first team CoSIDA Academic All-American and the Division I Spring Sports/At-Large Academic All-American of the Year.
- Matt Brown became only the second overall Penn State athlete to be named National Academic All-America of the Year for all sports (joining fellow Lion wrestler Jim Martin on the short list).

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# TIMELINE

## YEAR-BY-YEAR: 15-16

In 2015-16, Sanderson added a sixth straight Southern Scuffle championships, a third Big Ten dual meet title (co-) and the 2016 NWCA National Dual Series championship. He led Penn State to its fifth Big Ten Championship in the last six years on March 5-6 in Iowa City and followed that up with his fifth NCAA National Championship in the last six years in New York City's Madison Square Garden on March 17-19.

### Final Results (16-0, 9-0 B1G/1st, 1st B1G, 1st NCAA)

Nov. 13	LOCK HAVEN	W, 50-0
Nov. 15	at #7 Virginia Tech	W, 21-15
Nov. 20	at CSU Bakersfield	W, 39-3
Nov. 22	at #18 Stanford	W, 31-12
Dec. 13	#15 WISCONSIN* (BJC)	W, 36-7
Dec. 19	at Rider	W, 38-4
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffle at UT-Chattanooga	1st
Jan. 8	at Purdue*	W, 42-3
Jan. 10	at Indiana*	W, 34-8
Jan. 15	#11 NEBRASKA*	W, 24-10
Jan. 17	at #25 Northwestern*	W, 46-4
Jan. 23	at #8 Illinois*	W, 30-15
Jan. 31	#10 MICHIGAN*	W, 35-7
Feb. 5	#3 OHIO STATE* (BJC)	W, 24-14
Feb. 12	at #14 Lehigh	W, 28-9
Feb. 13	MICHIGAN STATE*	W, 41-3
Feb. 21	#2 OKLAHOMA STATE \$	W, 29-18
March 5-6	2016 Big Ten Championships at Wisconsin	1st
March 17-19	2016 NCAA Championships at Oklahoma City	1st
	* Big Ten Dual - \$ NWCA Dual Championship	

### Signature Wins

- Nittany Lions posted exciting 21-15 win at #7 Virginia Tech on 11/15.
- Lions down #15 Wisconsin 36-7 in the BJC on 12/13.
- Penn State wins at #8 Illinois 30-15, including Jason Nolf pinning then-undefeated Isaiah Martinez in marquee bout at 157.
- Lions dominate #3 Ohio State 24-14 in front of nearly 16,000 in second BJC Dual of the year on 2/5.
- Nittany Lions win NWCA Dual Meet Championship Series title with rousing 29-18 win over #2 Oklahoma State in Rec Hall on 2/21.

### Highlights

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its fifth NCAA Championship in the last six years at Madison Square Garden in New York City.
- Penn State has six All-Americans, including five NCAA finalists.
- The Nittany Lions claim two National Champions as Nico Megaludis (125) and Zain Retherford (149) claim Penn State's 31st and 32nd individual titles.
- Megaludis became Penn State's ninth four-time All-American by winning the NCAA title at 125. Megaludis also became a three-time finalist.
- Retherford was named the 2014 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler.
- Retherford won his first NCAA title at 149 and was named the 2016 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler for his season-long efforts.
- Retherford was named Penn State's Male Athlete of the Year and is a finalist for the Big Ten's Jesse Owens Award as the conference's Male Athlete of the Year. Retherford became the fifth straight wrestler to win the Penn State Male Athlete of the Year award.
- Morgan McIntosh became Penn State's 25th three-time All-American as the 197-pound national runner-up.
- Red-shirt freshmen Bo Nickal (174) and Jason Nolf (157) became freshmen All-Americans and NCAA national runners-up with 4-1 runs to the finals in Madison Square Garden.
- Senior Jordan Conway became a two-time All-American with a sixth place finish at 133 while qualifiers Geno Morelli (165) and Jimmy Gulibon (141) each went 2-2.
- Penn State won its fifth Big Ten title in six years, running away from the field in Iowa City. The Lions' 150.5 points were over 20 more than second place Iowa's 127.0.
- Sanderson was named Big Ten Coach of the Year for the 5th straight time.
- Retherford was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Year.
- Nickal won the Big Ten title at 174.
- McIntosh became Penn State's ninth two-time Big Ten Champion, winning another crown at 197.
- Nolf was named Big Ten Freshman of the Year.
- Penn State won a share of its third Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) title with a school record 9-0 record.
- The Nittany Lions posted a perfect 16-0 dual meet mark.
- Penn State won the 2016 NWCA National Dual Meet title with a rousing 29-17 win over Oklahoma State in Rec Hall.
- Penn State claimed its sixth-straight Southern Scuffle title.
- Penn State averaged a school-record 8,756 fans per dual meet and has wrestled in front of sell-out crowds in 32 of its last 33 home events, including 29 straight in Rec Hall.

## YEAR-BY-YEAR: 16-17

In 2016-17, Sanderson added a fourth Big Ten dual meet title (this one outright) and the 2016 NWCA National Dual Series championship for a second straight year. He led Penn State to its sixth NCAA National Championship in the last seven years in St. Louis' Scottrade Center on March 16-18.

### Final Results (14-0, 9-0 B1G/1st reg. season, 1st NCAA)

Nov. 11	at Army	W, 45-0
Nov. 13	#12 STANFORD	W, 36-6
Nov. 20	Keystone Classic at Penn	1st -- 245-0
Dec. 4	#9 LEHIGH (BJC / BTN)	W, 30-10
Dec. 11	BINGHAMTON	W, 46-0
Jan. 6	at #9 Minnesota*	W, 33-6
Jan. 8	at #6 Nebraska*	W, 27-14
Jan. 13	#21 RUTGERS* (BTN)	W, 37-6
Jan. 20	at #3 Iowa* (BTN)	W, 26-11
Jan. 27	at #13 Wisconsin*	W, 33-11
Jan. 29	NORTHWESTERN*	W, 45-3
Feb. 3	at #3 Ohio State* (BTN)	W, 32-12
Feb. 10	#11 ILLINOIS*	W, 34-7

Feb. 12	MARYLAND*	W, 45-6
Feb. 19	at #2 Oklahoma State\$	W, 27-13
March 4-5	2017 Big Ten Championships at Indiana	2nd
March 16-18	2017 NCAA Championships at St. Louis	1st
	* Big Ten Dual - \$ NWCA Dual Championship	

### Signature Wins

- Penn State opened up its home slate with a 36-6 win over #12 Stanford in Rec Hall, its second win of the young season and the 100th win for head coach Cael Sanderson as the Nittany Lions' head coach.
- The Nittany Lions throttle #9 Lehigh 30-10 in front of nearly 16,000 fans in the annual BJC Dual on 12/4.
- Lions open up Big Ten schedule with a 33-6 win at #9 Minnesota on 1/6.
- Nittany Lions visit #3 Iowa and claim 26-11 win in Carver Hawkeye Arena.
- Penn State hammers #3 Ohio State 32-12 in Columbus.
- Sanderson's squad closes out a perfect dual meet season with a 27-13 win at #2 Oklahoma State in Stillwater on 3/19, winning its second straight NWCA Dual Championship Series title.

### Highlights

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its sixth NCAA Championship in the last seven years at the Scottrade Center in St. Louis.
- Penn State has six All-Americans, including a perfect 5-0 performance in the finals with a school record five NCAA Champions.
- The Nittany Lions perfect five NCAA Champions include: Zain Retherford (149), Jason Nolf (157), Vincenzo Joseph (165), Mark Hall (174) and Bo Nickal (184).
- Joseph and Hall became Penn State's first ever freshmen National Champions.
- Retherford became Penn State's seventh two-time National Champion.
- Retherford hauled in a stunning list of post-season honors: Hodge Trophy Winner as the nation's top collegiate wrestler; 2017 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler, 2017 NCAA Championships Outstanding Wrestler; 2017 Big Ten Championship Outstanding Wrestler, 2017 InterMat Wrestler of the Year.
- Retherford and Jason Nolf won Big Ten Championships at 149 and 157.
- Nolf was named the Big Ten's 2017 Wrestler of the Year.
- Retherford and Nolf both earned CoSIDA Academic All-Region honors.
- Retherford was a first team CoSIDA Academic All-American and Nolf was a second teamer.
- Cael Sanderson was named the 2017 InterMat Coach of the Year.
- Mark Hall was named 2017 NCAA Freshman of the Year.
- While Penn State did not compete at the Southern Scuffle as a team, Hall travelled down and won the 174 pound title and was named Scuffle Outstanding Wrestler.
- Bo Nickal won the 2017 Amateur Wrestling News Hammer Award.
- Nickal won the 2017 NCAA Championship Gorriaran Award.
- Penn State won the 2017 Big Ten Regular Season Championship with a perfect 9-0 record.
- The Nittany Lions posted a perfect 14-0 dual meet mark.
- Penn State won the 2017 NWCA National Dual Meet title, it's second straight, by dominating Oklahoma State in Stillwater 27-13.
- The Nittany Lions collected a whopping 15 Academic All-Big Ten selections, nearly half the roster.
- The Nittany Lions had five NWCA First Team National All-Academic team members: (Retherford, Nolf, Matt McCutcheon).
- Geno Morelli won the Big Ten Duke Postgraduate Award and a Big Ten Post-Graduate Scholarship.

## YEAR-BY-YEAR: 17-18

In 2017-18, Sanderson picked up a fifth dual meet title with yet another unbeaten season and a seventh Southern Scuffle title. Sanderson led Penn State to the 2018 NCAA Wrestling Championship in Cleveland, winning the seventh national championship in the last eight years (and the seventh in his nine years at PSU) on March 15-17.

### Final Results (14-0, 9-0 B1G/1st reg. season, 1st NCAA)

Nov. 9	ARMY WEST POINT	W, 45-3
Nov. 12	BUCKNELL	W, 36-6
Nov. 17	at Binghamton (ESPN3)	W, 40-2
Nov. 19	Keystone Classic at Penn	1st -- 190.5
Dec. 3	at #7 Lehigh (SE2)	W, 23-19
Dec. 17	INDIANA* (BTN)	W, 44-3
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffle, Chattanooga	1st -- 197.0
Jan. 12	at #4 Michigan* (BTN)	W, 25-12
Jan. 14	at Michigan State*	W, 48-3
Jan. 19	PURDUJE*	W, 43-6
Jan. 21	at Maryland*	W, 47-3
Jan. 26	#16 MINNESOTA* (BTN)	W, 35-8
Jan. 28	at #13 Rutgers (BTN)	W, 25-15
Feb. 3	#2 OHIO STATE* (BTN)	W, 19-18
Feb. 10	#7 IOWA* (BTN / BJC)	W, 28-13
Feb. 18	BUFFALO	W, 55-0
March 3-4	2018 Big Ten Championships at Michigan State	2nd
March 15-17	2018 NCAA Championships at Cleveland	1st

### Signature Wins

- Penn State notched a hard-earned 23-19 win at #7 Lehigh in a dual meet wrestled in Allentown's PPL Center in front of nearly 10,000 fans.
- Penn State rolled over #4 Michigan 25-12 in Ann Arbor on Jan. 12 in a BTN national telecast.
- The Nittany Lions took care of #16 Minnesota 35-8 on Jan. 26 in Rec Hall.
- Penn State rode a key win from Anthony Cassar at 197 to a 19-18 win over #2 Ohio State in sold out Rec Hall on Feb. 3 in a BTN national telecast.
- The Nittany Lions downed #7 Iowa in the annual BJC Dual, posting a 28-13 victory over the Hawkeyes in front of an NCAA indoor dual record crowd of 15,998. The win clinched the Big Ten dual meet crown.
- Penn State closed out the 2017-18 season with a 55-0 shutout win over Buffalo in the season finale, ending the year riding a 45-dual win streak dating back to Feb. 15, 2015.

### Highlights

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its seventh NCAA Championship in the last eight seasons at Cleveland's Quicken Loans Arena.
- Penn State has eight All-Americans, including a 4-1 performance in the finals.

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- The Nittany Lions five NCAA Finalists, with four champs, include: Zain Retherford (149), Jason Nolf (157), Vincenzo Joseph (165), Mark Hall (174, 2nd) and Bo Nickal (184).
- Retherford became Penn State's second three-time National Champion.
- Retherford hauled in a stunning list of post-season honors: Hodge Trophy Winner as the nation's top collegiate wrestler for the second straight year, 2018 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler once again, Big Ten Wrestler of the Year and Penn State's McCoy Award winner.
- Retherford and Jason Nolf won Big Ten Championships at 149 and 157, Joseph made it two-for-two at 165 and Nickal clinched the NCAA team title with his second NCAA title at 184.
- Nickal was named NCAA Championship Outstanding Wrestler and earned the Schalles Award as the NCAA's top pinner.
- Cael Sanderson was named the 2018 InterMat Coach of the Year.
- Retherford, Hall and Nickal won Big Ten titles.
- Penn State won the 2018 Big Ten Regular Season Championship with a perfect 9-0 record.
- The Nittany Lions posted a perfect 14-0 dual meet mark.
- Penn State won its seventh Southern Scuffle title in Chattanooga.
- The Nittany Lions collected a whopping 16 Academic All-Big Ten selections, nearly half the roster.
- The Nittany Lions had five NWCA First Team National All-Academic team members: (Corey Keener, Nick Lee, Retherford, Nolf, Anthony Cassar).

## YEAR-BY-YEAR: 18-19

In 2018-19, Penn State ran its dual meet win streak to 59 and closed out a fourth straight unbeaten season. The Lions won yet another Southern Scuffle crown, the Big Ten Regular Season title, the Big Ten Championship title and their eighth NCAA Championship in the last nine years. Penn State ran away from the competition in Pittsburgh on March 21-23 with three Nittany Lions winning individual championships.

### Final Results (14-0, 9-0 B1G/1st B1G/1st reg. season, 1st NCAA)

Nov. 11	#24 KENT STATE	W, 52-3
Nov. 18	Keystone Classic at Penn	1st -- 192.0
Nov. 30	at Bucknell	W, 42-3
Dec. 2	#10 LEHIGH	W, 42-0
Dec. 14	#9 ARIZONA STATE	W, 41-3
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffle, Chattanooga	1st -- 216.5
Jan. 11	at #11 Northwestern	W, 33-8
Jan. 13	#19 WISCONSIN	W, 24-13
Jan. 20	#7 NEBRASKA	W, 25-6
Jan. 25	at Purdue	W, 30-10
Jan. 27	at Indiana	W, 35-9
Feb. 1	#5 MICHIGAN (BJC)	W, 25-11
Feb. 8	at #2 Ohio State	W, 28-9
Feb. 15	MICHIGAN STATE	W, 37-10
Feb. 17	at #19 Illinois	W, 39-9
Feb. 24	BUFFALO	W, 47-3
March 9-10	2019 Big Ten Championships at Minnesota	1st -- 157.5
March 21-13	2019 NCAA Championships at Pittsburgh	1st -- 137.5

### Signature Wins

- The Nittany Lions shutout #10 Lehigh 42-0 in Rec Hall on Dec. 2.
- Penn State welcomed #9 Arizona State to Redd Hall and took down the Sun Devils 41-3 on Dec. 14 on ESPN2.
- Penn State handed #7 Nebraska 25-6 in sold out Rec Hall on Jan. 20.
- The Nittany Lions handed #5 Michigan in the sold out Bryce Jordan Center, winning 25-11 on Feb. 1.
- Penn State dominated #2 Ohio State in Columbus on Feb. 8, winning seven of ten bouts in a 28-9 dual meet victory.
- Penn State closed out its fourth straight unbeaten season and ran its win streak to 59 straight with a 47-3 home win over Buffalo on Feb. 24.

### Highlights

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its eight NCAA Championship in the last nine years and its fourth straight.
- Penn state has seven All-Americans, five NCAA finalists and three NCAA Champions.
- Penn State's five finalists were: Jason Nolf (champ at 157), Bo Nickal (champ at 197), Anthony Cassar (champ at 285), Vincenzo Joseph (runner-up at 165), and Mark Hall (runner-up at 174).
- Nick Lee earned his second All-America honor with another fifth place finish at 141.
- Roman Bravo-Young became a true freshman All-American with an eighth place finish at 133.
- Bo Nickal hauled in a long list of personal accolades: 2019 Hodge Trophy Award, Penn State Male Athlete of the Year, 2019 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler, First Team All-Big Ten, Big Ten Champion, NWCA Academic All-American.
- Jason Nolf hauled in a long list of personal accolades: 2019 Hodge Finalist, Penn State McCoy Award Winner, First Team All-Big Ten, Big Ten Champion, NWCA Academic All-American.
- National Champion Anthony Cassar and true freshman All-American Roman Bravo-Young joined Nolf and Nickal as NWCA Academic All-Americans.
- Nolf, Nickal, Cassar and Mark Hall all won Big Ten titles.
- Penn State won the Southern Scuffle title once again.
- The Nittany Lions claimed the 2019 Big Ten Regular Season title
- Penn State won the 2019 Big Ten Championship with a dominant run in Minneapolis.
- Cael Sanderson was named 2019 Big Ten Coach of the Year.
- Casey Cunninghamman was named 2019 USA Wrestling Freestyle Coach of the Year.

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# TIMELINE

## 1909

- Penn State begins intercollegiate wrestling with a loss to Cornell. They post an 0-1 record on the season. It would be one of only 11 losing seasons in the next 92 years of wrestling and the last for 37 seasons.

- William E. Lewis is named Penn State's first head coach. He leads Penn State a total of 10 seasons in three separate stints and posts a 40-7 mark.

## 1910

- Penn State records its first dual meet wrestling win with a 7-0 decision over the University of Pennsylvania.

## 1914

- J.H. Shollenberger takes over as head coach for one season and posts a 5-0 mark.

## 1918

- H.C. Yerger is named Penn State's third head coach and leads the Nittany Lions for two seasons posting a 7-2 mark. His team claims Penn State's first Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Association title in this year.

## 1921

- Penn State is declared the National Dual Team champion after defeating Indiana and Iowa State.

## 1922

- D.D. Detar is named Penn State's fourth head coach and leads the Nittany Lions for three years posting a 14-4-1 record.

## 1925

- Ralph G. Leonard is named Penn State's fifth head coach and leads the Nittany Lions for two years posting a 13-1 record.

## 1927

- Charlie Speidel is named Penn State's sixth head coach and begins the longest coaching tenure in the program's history. He leads the Nittany Lions for 34 seasons over two stints and posts a 191-56-13 record. He goes on to coach until 1964.

## 1930

- Penn State hosts the NCAA Wrestling Championships for the first-time in Rec Hall.

## 1935

- Penn State 165-pounder Howard Johnston wins the Nittany Lions first individual national title.

## 1938

- Penn State hosts the NCAA Wrestling Championships for the second time in Rec Hall.

## 1943

- Paul Campbell is named Penn State's seventh head coach as he takes over for four seasons and posts a 12-9-1 record.

## 1950

- Penn State begins a school record run of 34 consecutive dual meet victories that lasts until 1954.

## 1951

- Homer Barr grabs his third top four finish at the NCAA tournament as the heavyweight becomes Penn State's first three-time All-American.

## 1953

- Penn State claims its first national title in wrestling as the Nittany Lions host the NCAA tournament in Rec Hall for the third time.

## 1965

- Three-time NCAA Champion Bill Koll takes over for the retiring Charlie Speidel as the Nittany Lion's eighth head coach. He would go on to coach 14 seasons and lead Penn State to a 127-22-7 marking one of Penn State's winningest dual meet eras.

## 1968

- Penn State hosts the NCAA Championships for the 4th time in Rec Hall.

## 1969

- Penn State begins a school record 41-match home unbeaten streak that lasts until 1976.

## 1972

- Andy Matter completes a perfect season with a national title at 167 pounds to become Penn State's first two-time national champion.

## 1976

- Penn State joins the Eastern Wrestling League, which it soon dominates.

## 1979

- Former Nittany Lion All-American Rich Lorenzo is named Penn State's ninth head coach. He goes on to lead Penn State for 14 seasons and post a 188-64-9 mark.

## 1981

- Head coach Rich Lorenzo is named the NWCA National Coach-of-the-Year, the first such honor for Penn State.

## 1987

- Greg Elinsky posts his third top three finish at the NCAA tournament, grabbing third at 167 pounds, to become Penn State's first 4X All-American.

- Lions share second National Dual Team Championship as the Nittany Lions post an 18-18 tie with Oklahoma State in the tournament final. They go on to post an 18-1-1 dual record and earn the No. 1 ranking in the final Amateur Wrestling News poll.

## 1988

- Ken Chertow is the first Nittany Lion named to the USA Olympic team.

- Dan Mayo reached the NCAA finals at 177, becoming a 2X All-American.

## 1989

- 1988 NCAA champion Jim Martin (126) ends his career as the all-time leader in victories (155) and dual meet wins (73) and becomes Penn State's second four-time All-American. He later wins his second-consecutive GTE Academic All-American of the Year award and is named to the NCAA Today's Top Six. He is presented the award by President Ronald Reagan.

## 1990

- Penn State hosts the first University Freestyle and Greco-Roman National Championships.

## 1991

- Penn State jumps to No. 1 in the Amateur Wrestling News Rankings after defeating top ranked and defending national champion Oklahoma State, 21-18, to win the National Dual Team Championship.

- Head coach Rich Lorenzo wins his sixth and final EWL Coach of the Year award.

## 1992

- In its last EWL Tournament appearance, Penn State completes a run of 11-straight tournament titles by breaking its own scoring record (165.5) and crowning a record seven individual champions.

- Head Coach Rich Lorenzo wins his second NWCA National Coach of the Year award as Penn State goes 18-4-1 and finishes third at the NCAA Tournament.

- Jeff Prescott becomes the second Nittany Lion to win back-to-back NCAA titles as he claims the crown at 118 pounds.

## 1993

- Three-time Nittany Lion All-American and 1976 NCAA champion John Fritz is named Penn State's 10th head coach. He goes on to coach six seasons and post an 87-33-2 record.

- Fritz makes it back-to-back NWCA Coach of the Year awards for PSU as the Lions post a school record mark of 22-0-1, reach the No. 1 ranking and take second at the NCAA Championships, their highest finish in 39 years.

- Penn State joins the Big Ten, the nation's premier wrestling conference, and posts a second place finish in its first Big Ten Tournament appearance.

- Penn State wins the National Dual Team Championship for the fourth time, moves to No. 1 in the Amateur Wrestling News rankings.

## 1994

- Heavyweight Kerry McCoy posts a Penn State season record 47 wins on his way to the first of his two NCAA titles. Cary Kolat (134) also posts a season record 20 falls.

## 1996

- NCAA champion Sanshiro Abe becomes the third four-time All-American at Penn State and competes in the Olympics as he takes the mat as a member of the Japanese national team.

- Penn State falls to Iowa in the first dual meet held in the Bryce Jordan Center. A record crowd of 11,245 turn out to see the action, the largest ever to witness a dual meet East of the Mississippi River.

## 1997

- Heavyweight Kerry McCoy becomes the third Nittany Lion to claim two national titles and is named W.I.N. Magazine's "Hodge" award winner as the most dominant collegiate wrestler of the year after posting a 41-0 mark.



## 1998

- Penn State hosts the Big Ten Wrestling Championships in the Bryce Jordan Center and posts a second place finish as coach John Fritz receives conference Coach-of-the-Year honors.
- Three-time Nittany Lion All-American Troy Sunderland takes over as Penn State's 11th head coach.

## 1999

- Penn State hosts the NCAA Wrestling Championships for the fifth time, and first in the Bryce Jordan Center. A crowd of 80,654 fans, third all-time, sold-out the arena over six sessions.

## 2000

- Former Penn State heavyweight Kerry McCoy wins the U.S. Olympic trials and U.S. National Freestyle title and represents the U.S. in the Olympics in Sydney, Australia, placing fifth.

## 2001

- Heavyweight Kerry McCoy wins his second U.S. National Freestyle title.

## 2002

- Former walk-on Doc Vecchio becomes Penn State's 143rd All-American.
- Heavyweight Kerry McCoy wins his third U.S. National Freestyle title.

## 2003

- Heavyweight Kerry McCoy wins a fourth U.S. National Freestyle title and wins a silver medal at the World Championships.
- Troy Sunderland is Big Ten Coach of the Year.

## 2004

- Pat Cummins (Hwt.) and Josh Moore (133) reach the NCAA finals.
- Heavyweight Kerry McCoy wins his fifth U.S. National Freestyle title, wins the U.S. Olympic Team Trials and takes 7th at the 2004 Olympic Games in Athens Greece becoming Penn State's first two-time Olympian.

## 2005

- Eric Bradley wins second-straight Big Ten title.
- Phil Davis earns first All-America tag

## 2006

- Phil Davis becomes national finalist, reaching NCAA finals at 197. He also earns his second All-America honor.
- Eric Bradley becomes a two-time All-American with an 8th place finish at 184 & James Yonushonis places 8th at 174 for All-America laurels.
- Penn State earns 41st top ten team finish, scoring 53.5 points for ninth place.

## 2007

- Aaron Anspach earns national runner-up laurels at HWT, becoming an All-American for the first time.
- Phil Davis becomes a three-time All-American with 5th place finish at 197.
- Jake Strayer earns first All-America tag with 7th place finish at 133.
- Penn State's 54.0 team points is 14th highest team total in Nittany Lion history.

## 2008

- Phil Davis becomes Penn State's fourth four-time All-American, 18th individual to win a national title and wins Penn State's 21st national crown with his title at 197.
- Bubba Jenkins becomes an All-American for first time with runner-up finish at 149; Dan Vallimont places third at 157 to earn first All-America honor; Mark McKnight goes from unseeded at 125 to All-American with fourth place finish.
- Nittany Lions claim four All-American and collect 75.00 points, the fifth most in school history, to place third at the NCAA Championships.

## 2009

- Quentin Wright becomes first true freshman All-American for Penn State (taking sixth at 174) since 1998.
- Frank Molinaro becomes second straight Nittany Lion wild card to become an All-American (taking eighth at 141 as an unseeded wild card).
- National wrestling icon Cael Sanderson is named 12th head coach in Penn State history on April 17, 2009, in front of over 500 fans in a rousing open-to-the-public press event and introduction.

## 2010

- Dan Vallimont becomes Penn State's 27th NCAA National Runner-Up by advancing to the national finals at 165. Vallimont became a two-time All-American with the performance.
- Frank Molinaro became a two-time All-American with a fifth place finish at 149 after taking eighth at 141 the year before.
- Cael Sanderson becomes Penn State's 166th All-American with a sixth place showing at 157.
- Cael Sanderson, in his first year as Penn State's head coach, led Penn State to a top-ten final dual meet ranking and a top ten finish at the NCAA Championships as the Lions took ninth with 49.0 points (among the top 20 point totals all-time in PSU history).

## 2011

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its first NCAA Championship since 1953 in just his second year as head coach, scoring a team record 107.5 points to run away with the crown.
- Penn State has five All-Americans, all in the top 3.
- Quentin Wright becomes Penn State's 19th NCAA Champion by winning the 184 pound title as the No. 9 seed.
- Frank Molinaro becomes Penn State's 19th three-time All-American by advancing to the national title bout at 149.
- David Taylor becomes a freshman national finalist and All-American by advancing to the finals at 157.
- Ed Ruth and Andrew Long finish third at 133 and 174 respectively, the duo wrapped up Penn State's team title during the morning session on March 19, 2011.
- Penn State wins its first ever Big Ten title at Northwestern on March 6 and Sanderson was named Big Ten Coach of the Year (becoming the first person ever to be named both Big Ten and Big 12 Coach of the Year).
- Penn State has a school record five Big Ten Champions: Andrew Long at 133, Frank Molinaro at 149, David Taylor at 157, Ed Ruth at 174 and Quentin Wright at 184.

- Taylor is named both Big Ten Wrestler of the Year and Big Ten Freshman of the Year.
- Wright is named 2011 Big Ten Championship Outstanding Wrestler.
- Penn State posts a 17-1-1 dual meet record, including a 6-1-1 mark in Big Ten duals, tying the school record for conference dual wins in a season.
- Penn State wins both the Southern Scuffle (co-champions) and Virginia Duals.
- The Nittany Lions set numerous Rec Hall attendance marks (since reconfiguration in 1990s), sold out two duals and averaged 5,455 fans per event.
- The Penn State wrestlers are named the 2011 Big Ten Team of the Year by the Big Ten Network and Sanderson is named Big Ten Men's Coach of the Year.

## 2012

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its second straight NCAA Championship, scoring a school-record 143.0 points to run away with the crown in St. Louis' Scottrade Center.
- Penn State has six All-Americans, all in the top 3.
- The Nittany Lions have a school record three national champions (and five finalists) as Frank Molinaro (149), David Taylor (165) and Ed Ruth (174) become Penn State's 20th, 21st and 22nd NCAA Champions.
- Quentin Wright became Penn State's 20th three-time All-American by advancing to the national title bout at 184.
- Nico Megaludis becomes a true freshman National Runner-Up at 125, advancing to the finals before dropping a close 4-1 decision in the title bout.
- Dylan Alton took third at 157 with a very strong 6-1 showing in his first NCAA Championship.
- Taylor is named the 2012 NCAA Championship Most Outstanding Wrestler, the 2012 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler and wins the 2012 NCAA Gorrarian Award.
- Taylor wins the Hodge Trophy as the nation's top wrestler.
- InterMat names Ed Ruth as its National Wrestler of the Year and Sanderson its National Coach of the Year.
- Penn State claimed its second straight Big Ten Championship, running away from the field for the title at Purdue University.
- Penn State crowned three repeat Big Ten Champions as Frank Molinaro (149), David Taylor (165) and Ed Ruth (174) all repeated as conference kings.
- Taylor earns his second straight Big Ten Wrestler of the Year Award.
- Molinaro shares the 2012 Big Ten Championship Outstanding Wrestler Award.
- Cael Sanderson earns his second straight Big Ten Coach of the Year honor.
- Penn State posts a 13-1 dual meet record.
- The Nittany Lions go 7-1 in Big Ten duals, setting a school record for dual wins in a season and earning a share of the Big Ten Regular Season Championship.
- Penn State wins its second straight Southern Scuffle Championship.
- Wrestling duals at Penn State become the hardest tickets to come by as the Lions average a whopping 6,481 fans per dual, including five

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sellouts in seven duals and more than 6,000 for each and every event.

- The Penn State wrestlers are named the 2012 Big Ten Team of the Year by the Big Ten Network and Sanderson is named Big Ten Men's Coach of the Year, the second straight year for both honors.

## 2013

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its third straight NCAA Championship at the Wells Fargo Center in Des Moines Iowa.

- Penn State has five All-Americans, all in the top two as national finalists.

- The Nittany Lions garner two National Champions as Ed Ruth (184) and Quentin Wright (197) garner the school's 26th and 27th individual crowns.

- Quentin Wright became Penn State's 6th four-time All-American by winning the NCAA title at 197, clinching Penn State's team crown.

- Ed Ruth became Penn State's 21st three-time All-American by winning his second straight NCAA crown, this one at 184.

- David Taylor became Penn State's 22nd three-time All-American by advancing to the national finals at 165.

- Taylor won both the NCAA Technical Falls Award and the 2013 NCAA Championship Gorriaran Award.

- Cael Sanderson is named NWCA National Coach of the Year after guiding Penn State to its third straight crown.

- Matt Brown advances to NCAA finals at 174 in his first trip to NCAAs

- Brown is named the NCAA Championship's Most Outstanding Student by winning the prestigious Elite 89 Award.

- Nico Megaludis advances to his second straight NCAA Championship bout at 125, becoming a two-time All-American as a true-sophomore.

- Matt Brown is named a first team Capital One Academic All-American, Penn State's first since 1999.

- Brown, Megaludis, Taylor and Wright are first team NWCA Academic All-Americans.

- 15 Nittany Lion (nearly half the entire roster) earn Academic All-Big Ten laurels.

- Quentin Wright wins a prestigious NCAA Post-Graduate Award.

- Ed Ruth is named Penn State's Male Athlete of the Year and is a finalist for the Big Ten's Jesse Owens Award as the conference's Male Athlete of the Year.

- Penn State claimed its third straight Big Ten Championship, running away from the field for the title at the University of Illinois.

- Penn State crowned four Big Ten Champions as Taylor (165), Brown (174), Ruth (184) and Wright (197) all win titles.

- Ed Ruth is named Big Ten Wrestler of the Year.

- Cael Sanderson earns his third straight Big Ten Coach of the Year honor.

- Penn State posts a 13-1 dual meet record.

- The Nittany Lions go 7-1 in Big Ten duals, tying a school record for conference dual wins in a season.

- Penn State wins its third straight Southern Scuffle Championship.

- Penn State sells out its entire season of home duals before the season even starts. The Nittany Lions average 6,411 fans per dual over seven sold

out events, including three that reached SRO limits as well.

## 2014

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its fourth straight NCAA Championship at Chesapeake Energy Arena in Oklahoma City.

- Penn State has seven All-Americans, the most since 1992.

- The Nittany Lions claim two National Champions as Ed Ruth (184) and David Taylor (165) record the school's 28th and 29th individual titles.

- Ed Ruth became Penn State's seventh four-time All-American and first-ever three-time NCAA Champion by winning his third straight crown (and second straight at 184).

- David Taylor became Penn State's eighth four-time All-American and first ever four-time NCAA Finalist by winning the 165 pound crown.

- Taylor was named the 2014 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler.

- Taylor was named the 2014 Most Outstanding Wrestler at the 2014 NCAA Championships.

- David Taylor won his second Hodge Trophy Award, given yearly to the top collegiate wrestler in the nation.

- Taylor was named Penn State's Male Athlete of the year and is a finalist for the Big Ten's Jesse Owens Award as the conference's Male Athlete of the Year.

- Nico Megaludis became Penn State's 23rd three-time All-American with a third place finish at 125.

- Matt Brown became a two-time All-American with a fifth-place showing at 174.

- True freshman Zain Retherford (141), senior James English (149) and sophomore Morgan McIntosh (197) each brought home their first All-American laurels.

- Cael Sanderson led Penn State to its fourth-straight Big Ten title.

- Sanderson was named Big Ten Coach of the Year for the 4th straight time.

- Taylor was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Year for the third time.

- Taylor won the 2014 Big Ten Championship Outstanding Wrestler honor.

- Ruth and Taylor became Penn State's first-ever four-time Big Ten Champions with titles at 184 and 165.

- All 10 Nittany Lions qualified for NCAAs.

- Penn State posted a 15-1 dual meet record.

- The Nittany Lions won a share of the Big Ten Dual Meet title with a 7-1 conference mark.

- Penn State claimed its fourth-straight Southern Scuffle title.

- On Dec. 8, 2013, Penn State hosted Pittsburgh in the Bryce Jordan Center and set an all-time NCAA single dual attendance record with 15,996 fans in the sold out venue. It was also the highest attendance figure ever in the building and is the top crowd to ever witness a home Penn State athletic event outside Beaver Stadium.

## 2015

- Junior Morgan McIntosh becomes a Big Ten Champion at 197 for the first time.

- Senior Matt Brown capped off a stellar career by claiming the 2015 NCAA title at 174 pounds and became a three-time All-American in the process.

- Penn State had five All-Americans at the 2015

NCAA Championships in St. Louis, including three first-timers: Matt Brown was the champion at 174-pounds, Morgan McIntosh placed third at 197 to become a two-time All-American, Jimmy Gulibon placed fifth at 133 to become a first-time All-American, senior Jimmy Lawson placed sixth at 285 to leave Penn State as an All-American and junior Jordan Conaway took eighth at 125 to earn his first All-America honor.

- Matt Brown ruled the nation's post-season awards period. Brown claimed a long list of the nations' top academic awards: Brown was the 2015 Capital One Academic All-American of the Year for all sports, Division 1; Brown was the Spring/At-Large Academic All-American of the Year; Brown was Penn State's Male Athlete of the Year; Brown was a first team NWCA Academic All-American; Brown was Penn State's Medal of Honor recipient; Brown was awarded both the Big Ten and NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarships; and Brown was a candidate for the prestigious NCAA Top Ten Award.

## 2016

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its fifth NCAA Championship in the last six years at Madison Square Garden in New York City.

- Penn State has six All-Americans, including five NCAA finalists.

- The Nittany Lions claim two National Champions as Nico Megaludis (125) and Zain Retherford (149) claim Penn State's 31st and 32nd individual titles.

- Megaludis became Penn State's ninth four-time All-American by winning the NCAA title at 125. Megaludis also became a three-time finalist.

- Retherford was named the 2014 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler.

- Retherford won his first NCAA title at 149 and was named the 2016 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler for his season-long efforts.

- Retherford was named Penn State's Male Athlete of the Year and is a finalist for the Big Ten's Jesse Owens Award as the conference's Male Athlete of the Year. Retherford became the fifth straight wrestler to win the Penn State Male Athlete of the Year award.

- Morgan McIntosh became Penn State's 25th three-time All-American as the 197-pound national runner-up.

- Red-shirt freshmen Bo Nickal (174) and Jason Nolf (157) became freshmen All-Americans and NCAA national runners-up with 4-1 runs to the finals in Madison Square Garden.

- Senior Jordan Conaway became a two-time All-American with a sixth place finish at 133 while qualifiers Geno Morelli (165) and Jimmy Gulibon (141) each went 2-2.

- Penn State won its fifth Big Ten title in six years, running away from the field in Iowa City. The Lions' 150.5 points were over 20 more than second place Iowa's 127.0.

- Sanderson was named Big Ten Coach of the Year for the 5th straight time.

- Retherford was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Year.

- Nickal won the Big Ten title at 174.

- McIntosh became Penn State's ninth two-time Big Ten Champion, winning another crown at 197.

- Nolf was named Big Ten Freshman of the Year.



- Penn State won a share of its third Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) title with a school record 9-0 record.
- The Nittany Lions posted a perfect 16-0 dual meet mark.
- Penn State won the 2016 NWCA National Dual Meet title with a rousing 29-17 win over Oklahoma State in Rec Hall.
- Penn State claimed its sixth-straight Southern Scuffle title.
- Penn State averaged a school-record 8,756 fans per dual meet and has wrestled in front of sell-out crowds in 32 of its last 33 home events, including 29 straight in Rec Hall.

## 2017

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its sixth NCAA Championship in a seven-year span at the Scottrade Center in St. Louis.
- Penn State has six All-Americans, including a perfect 5-0 performance in the finals with a school record five NCAA Champions.
- The Nittany Lions perfect five NCAA Champions include: Zain Retherford (149), Jason Nolf (157), Vincenzo Joseph (165), Mark Hall (174) and Bo Nickal (184).
- Joseph and Hall became Penn State's first ever freshmen National Champions.
- Retherford became Penn State's seventh two-time National Champion.
- Retherford hauled in a stunning list of post-season honors: Hodge Trophy Winner as the nation's top collegiate wrestler; 2017 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler, 2017 NCAA Championships Outstanding Wrestlers; 2017 Big Ten Championship Outstanding Wrestler, 2017 InterMat Wrestler of the Year.
- Retherford and Jason Nolf won Big Ten Championships at 149 and 157.
- Nolf was named the Big Ten's 2017 Wrestler of the Year.
- Retherford and Nolf both earned CoSIDA Academic All-Region honors.
- Retherford was a first team CoSIDA Academic All-American and Nolf was a second teamer.
- Cael Sanderson was named the 2017 InterMat Coach of the Year.
- Mark Hall was named 2017 NCAA Freshman of the Year.
- While Penn State did not compete at the Southern Scuffle as a team, Hall travelled down and won the 174 pound title and was named Scuffle Outstanding Wrestler.
- Bo Nickal won the 2017 Amateur Wrestling News Hammer Award.
- Nickal won the 2017 NCAA Championship Gorriaran Award.
- Penn State won the 2017 Big Ten Regular Season Championship with a perfect 9-0 record.
- The Nittany Lions posted a perfect 14-0 dual meet mark.
- Penn State won the 2017 NWCA National Dual Meet title, it's second straight, by dominating Oklahoma State in Stillwater 27-13.
- The Nittany Lions collected a whopping 15 Academic All-Big Ten selections, nearly half the roster.
- The Nittany Lions had five NWCA First Team National All-Academic team members: (Retherford, Nolf, Matt McCutcheon).

- Geno Morelli won the Big Ten Duke Postgraduate Award and a Big Ten Post-Graduate Scholarship.

## 2018

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its seventh NCAA Championship in the last eight seasons at Cleveland's Quicken Loans Arena.
- Penn State has eight All-Americans, including a 4-1 performance in the finals.
- The Nittany Lions five NCAA Finalists, with four champs, include: Zain Retherford (149), Jason Nolf (157), Vincenzo Joseph (165), Mark Hall (174, 2nd) and Bo Nickal (184).
- Retherford became Penn State's second three-time National Champion.
- Retherford hauled in a stunning list of post-season honors: Hodge Trophy Winner as the nation's top collegiate wrestler for the second straight year, 2018 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler once again, Big Ten Wrestler of the Year and Penn State's McCoy Award winner.
- Retherford and Jason Nolf won Big Ten Championships at 149 and 157, Joseph made it two-for-two at 165 and Nickal clinched the NCAA team title with his second NCAA title at 184.
- Nickal was named NCAA Championship Outstanding Wrestler and earned the Schalles Award as the NCAA's top pinner.
- Sanderson was named the 2018 InterMat Coach of the Year.
- Retherford, Hall and Nickal won Big Ten titles.
- Penn State won the 2018 Big Ten Regular Season Championship with a perfect 9-0 record.
- The Nittany Lions posted a perfect 14-0 dual meet mark.
- Penn State won its seventh Southern Scuffle title in Chattanooga.
- The Nittany Lions collected a whopping 16 Academic All-Big Ten selections, nearly half the roster.
- The Nittany Lions had five NWCA First Team National All-Academic team members: (Corey Keener, Nick Lee, Retherford, Nolf, Anthony Cassar).

## 2019

- Cael Sanderson leads Penn State to its eighth NCAA Championship in the last nine seasons at Pittsburgh's PPG Paints Arena.
- Penn State won its fourth straight national crown for the second time under Sanderson.
- Penn state has seven All-Americans, five NCAA finalists and three NCAA Champions.
- Penn State's five finalists were: Jason Nolf (champ at 157), Bo Nickal (champ at 197), Anthony Cassar (champ at 285), Vincenzo Joseph (runner-up at 165), and Mark Hall (runner-up at 174).
- Nick Lee earned his second All-America honor with another fifth place finish at 141.
- Roman Bravo-Young became a true freshman All-American with an eighth place finish at 133.
- Bo Nickal hauled in a long list of personal accolades: 2019 Hodge Trophy Award, Penn State Male Athlete of the Year, 2019 NCAA Most Dominant Wrestler, First Team All-Big Ten, Big Ten Champion, NWCA Academic All-American.
- Jason Nolf hauled in a long list of personal accolades: 2019 Hodge Finalist, Penn State McCoy Award Winner, First Team All-Big Ten, Big Ten Champion, NWCA Academic All-American.

- National Champion Anthony Cassar and true freshman All-American Roman Bravo-Young joined Nolf and Nickal as NWCA Academic All-Americans.
- Nolf, Nickal, Cassar and Mark Hall all won Big Ten titles.
- Penn State won the Southern Scuffle title once again.
- The Nittany Lions claimed the 2019 Big Ten Regular Season title
- Penn State won the 2019 Big Ten Championship with a dominant run in Minneapolis.
- Cael Sanderson was named 2019 Big Ten Coach of the Year.
- Casey Cunninghamman was named 2019 USA Wrestling Freestyle Coach of the Year.



# EIWA AND EWL CHAMPIONS and HISTORY

## EIWA CHAMPIONS

1974	126	Fritz, John	145	Black, Bill
	158	Villecco, Jerry	158	Pathemore, John
	Hwt.	Getty, Charles	1924	115 Cary, Leonard
1973	126	Fritz, John	135	Naito, Katsutoshi
	142	Snyder, Barry	145	Black, Bill
	167	Villecco, Jerry	1923	145 Evans, Bayard
	177	Brenneman, Dan	1922	115 Watson, Frank
1972	167	Matter, Andy	145	Parks, Harold
	Hwt.	Joyner, Dave	1921	115 Watson, Frank
1971	150	Stone, Don	125	Garber, Jacob
	158	Frantz, Clyde	175	Spangler, Clyde
	167	Matter, Andy	1920	115 Shirk, Arnim
	Hwt.	Joyner, Dave	135	Detar, David
1970	150	Frantz, Clyde	145	Mills, Ralph
	167	Matter, Andy	1919	145 Mowrer, Clifton
	190	High, John	158	Brown, Ivan
	Hwt.	Joyner, Dave	1918	115 Horst, Paul
1969	145	Frantz, Clyde	135	Long, Morris
1968	130	Clark, Wally	145	Schultz, Roscoe
	137	Spinda, Dave	158	Brown, Ivan
	160	Kline, Matt	175	Nelan, Tom
	191	Lorenzo, Rich	Hwt.	Czarnecke, Stan
1967	167	Seaman, Jerry		
	Hwt.	Reid, Mike	<b>EWL CHAMPIONS</b>	
1966	152	DeWalt, Dick	1976	118 Wayne Packer
1965	167	Strayer, Marty		(EWL's 1st Champ)
1964	123	Windfelder, Jay	150	Bill Vollrath
	167	Strayer, Marty	158	Dave Becker
1961	137	Johnston, Dan	167	Jerry Villecco
	147	Pifer, Ron	177	Jerry White
	Hwt.	Oberly, John	1977	134 Jim Earl
	Hwt.	Oberly, John	158	Dave Becker
1960	130	Johnston, John	190	Bill Bertrand
1958	130	Johnston, John	177	Jerry White
1957	130	Johnston, John	1978	118 Mike DeAugustino
	137	Pepe, John	150	Bill Vollrath
	147	Adams, Dave	158	Dave Becker
1956	123	Nodland, Sid	1981	142 Bernie Fritz
	130	Johnston, John	167	John Hanrahan
	Hwt.	Oberly, Bill	Hwt.	Steve Seftor
1955	137	Fornicola, Larry	1982	118 Carl DeStefanis
1954	130	Lemyre, Dick	126	Scott Lynch
	137	Maurey, Gerry	167	John Hanrahan
1953	130	Lemyre, Dick	Hwt.	Steve Seftor
	137	Maurey, Gerry	1983	118 Carl DeStefanis
1952	123	Homan, Bob	134	Bill Marino
	130	Lemyre, Dick	142	Bob Bury
	167	Lemyre, Joe	177	Bob Harr
1951	137	Maurey, Don	1984	118 Carl DeStefanis
	177	Rubino, Mike	134	Scott Lynch
1950	145	Maurey, Jim	150	Chris Bevilacqua
	Hwt.	Barr, Homer	134	John Manotti
1949	128	Mohney, Jim	150	Chris Bevilacqua
1947	128	Harry, Sam	158	Greg Elinsky
1946	155	Dixon, Grant	126	Tim Flynn
	155	Smith, Glenn	150	Chris Bevilacqua
1943	128	Ridenour, Charley	167	Eric Brugel
1942	121	Ridenour, Charley	177	Dan Mayo
	128	Harry, Sam	158	Greg Elinsky
	145	Alexander, Glenn	167	Eric Brugel
1941	121	Ridenour, Charley	177	Dan Mayo
1940	175	Bortz, Ernie	150	Sean Finkbeiner
1939	136	Gleason, Frank	167	Greg Elinsky
1937	135	Zazzi, Aldo	177	Dan Mayo
	145	Light, Jack	190	Andy Voit
	165	Krupa, Joe	1988	118 Ken Chertow
	175	Shaffer, Ross	126	Jim Martin
	Hwt.	O'Dowd, Joe	177	Dan Mayo
1936	118	Wolfson, Sam	1989	118 Ken Chertow
	135	Light, Jack	126	Jim Martin
	145	Waite, Richard	190	Andy Voit
1935	135	Light, Jack	Hwt.	Greg Haladay
	165	Johnston, Howard	1990	118 Jeff Prescott
1934	118	Ellstrom, Robert	142	Mike Bevilacqua
	165	Johnston, Howard	158	John Yankanich
1933	118	Ellstrom, Robert	1991	118 Jeff Prescott
	Hwt.	Cole, Clyde	126	Bob Truby
1930	135	Hubler, Harold	150	Tim Wittman
	155	Campbell, Paul	118	Jeff Prescott
1929	125	Wilson, Ed	126	Shawn Nelson
1928	125	Wilson, Ed	134	Bob Truby
1925	115	Cary, Leonard	150	Troy Sunderland
	135	Liggett, Walter	158	Tim Wittman
			167	Dave Hart
			190	Adam Mariano

## EIWA HISTORY

The Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Association was founded in 1904 between students from Princeton, Penn, Yale and Columbia for the purpose of fostering the sport of wrestling. It held the first of its annual tournaments in 1905. The oldest intercollegiate wrestling organization, Penn State joined the "The Easterns" in 1918, after applying for membership for eight years. The Nittany Lions quickly proved their value as they became the jewel of the association, which included Cornell, Lehigh, Syracuse, Harvard, Navy, Virginia, and Pittsburgh among others. Penn State won the first four championships it was part of and went on to claim 16 EIWA titles and finish in the top three of the league tournament 40 times in its 56 year affiliation. The Nittany Lions also garnered the league's only NCAA title in 1953 and produced more E.I.W.A. champions (105) than any other school before leaving the league in 1974.

## EIWA TEAM TITLES

1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1924, 1925, 1936, 1937, 1942, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1957, 1960 (tied with Pittsburgh), 1971, 1973.

## THREE-TIME CHAMPIONS

Jack Light, '35, 36, 37  
Charles Ridenour, '41, 42, 43  
Dick Lemyre, '52, 53, 54  
John Johnston, '56, 57, 58  
Clyde Frantz, '69, 70, 71  
Dave Joyner, '70, 71, 72  
Andy Matter, '70, 71, 72

## TWO-TIME CHAMPIONS

Ivan Brown, '18, 19; rank Watson, '21, 22  
Len Cary, '24, 25; Bill Black, '24, 25  
Ted Wilson, '28, 29; Bob Ellstrom, '33, 34  
Sam Harry, '42, 46; Howard Johnston, '34, 35  
Homer Barr, '49, 50; Gerry Maurey, '53, 54  
Marty Strayer, '64, 65; Johnston Oberly, '60, 61  
John Fritz, '73, 74; Jerry Villecco, '73, 74

## OUTSTANDING WRESTLERS

Charles Ridenour, '42; Sam Harry, '46  
Rich Lorenzo, '68; Clyde Frantz, '69 & 70  
John Fritz, '74

## FLETCHER TROPHY

(most tournament points scored in career)  
John Johnston, '58; Johnston Oberly, '61  
Clyde Frantz, '71

## SHERIDAN TROPHY

(most falls in shortest time)  
Rich Lorenzo, '68

## RECENT HALL OF FAME

Dave Joyner (inducted in 2004)  
John Fritz (2002)  
Rich Lemyre (2002)  
Charles Ridenour (2002)  
Clyde Frantz (2001)  
Andy Matter (1999)  
John Johnston (1996)  
Charles Speidel (1995)

## EWL HISTORY

In 17 years (1976-82) of competition in the Eastern Wrestling League, Penn State was, by far, the most dominant member school, winning 14 tournament titles, including 11 consecutive from 1982 to 1992. Nittany Lions won 59 individual championships and 140 placed. In its final league tournament appearance, in March of 1992, Penn State, under the direction of Rich Lorenzo, romped to the EWL title, breaking its own scoring record and crowning a record seven individual champions.

The seven-for-seven performance in the finals broke, by two, the EWL record for most individual champions from one team. Five Nittany Lions had won titles in 1976, 1986 and 1987. All 10 Penn State wrestlers advanced to the semi-finals. The Lions' team total of 165.50 points eclipsed the tournament scoring record of 148.25, set by Penn State in 1987. Overall, Penn State wrestlers won 29 of 34 bouts and a record 10 by fall.

Jeff Prescott won his third consecutive league title at 118 pounds and became only the sixth Nittany Lion to secure three EWL championships. Tim Wittman, who defeated top seed Scott Hovan in overtime for his second league title and first at 158 pounds, was voted Outstanding Wrestler. Penn State posted a 89-12-2 (87.4) league dual record including a 56-bout unbeaten streak. The Nittany Lions went undefeated (7-0) in their final season in the EWL.

## THREE-TIME CHAMPIONS

Dave Becker, '76-78; Greg Elinsky, '85-87  
Chris Bevilacqua, '84-86; Dan Mayo, '86-88  
Carl DeStefanis, '82-84; Jeff Prescott, '90-92

## EWL TOURNAMENT

### OUTSTANDING WRESTLER

Jeff Prescott, '91; John Yankanich, '92  
Steve Seftor, '81; John Yankanich, '90

## COACH-OF-THE-YEAR

Rich Lorenzo, 1981-84, 87, 91

## WRESTLER-OF-THE-YEAR

Carl DeStefanis, '84; Jim Martin, '88  
Scott Lynch, '83-84; Jeff Prescott, '91-92

## FRESHMAN-OF-THE-YEAR

Steve Seftor, '81; Ken Chertow, '85  
Greg Elinsky, '84; Jim Martin, '86

## EWL HALL-OF-FAME

Coach	Contributor
Bill Koll	Ed Czekaj
	Rich Lucas
Rich Lorenzo	Doug McDonald

Wrestlers  
Dave Becker, Chris Bevilacqua,  
Carl DeStefanis, Greg Elinsky, John Hanrahan,  
Scott Lynch, Jim Martin, Steve Seftor, Jerry  
White, Tim Wittman, Dan Mayo.





## SINGLE SEASON

### VICTORIES

1.	54	Scott Moore, 2003
2.	47	Kerry McCoy, 1994
3.	44	Josh Moore, 2004
4.	43	Mark Becks, 2003
		Jim Martin, 1989
7.	41	Kerry McCoy, 1995
		Jim Martin, 1988
		Kerry McCoy, 1997
9.	40	Josh Moore, 2003
10.	39	Carl DeStefanis, 1984
		Bob Truby, 1991
12.	38	Ed Ruth, 2011
		David Taylor, 2011
		Pat Cummins, 2004
		Pat Cummins, 2003
		Greg Elinsky, 1987
		Cary Kolat, 1994
16.	37	Phil Davis, 2005
		Jim Martin, 1986
		Greg Elinsky, 1986
19.	36	John Hughes, 1994
20.	35	Sanshiro Abe, 1994
		Bill Marino, 1983
		Greg Elinsky, 1984
		Ken Chertow, 1987, 88
		Jamarr Billman, 1998

### FALLS

1.	24	Josh Moore, '03-04
2.	22	Scott Moore, '02-03
3.	20	Cary Kolat, '93-94
4.	18	Bo Nickal, '18-19
	18	Andrew Alton, '10-11
6.	17	Zain Retherford, '17-18
	17	Bo Nickal, '16-17
	17	Zain Retherford, '16-17
9.	16	Bo Nickal, '17-18
	16	Jason Nolf, '17-18
	16	David Taylor, '13-14
	16	Josh Moore, '02-03
13.	15	Jason Nolf, '18-19
	15	Jason Nolf, '15-16
	15	Zain Retherford, '15-16
	15	David Taylor, '11-12
	15	Bill Marino, '82-83

### SHUTOUS (26)

(Since 1981-82)

45-0	vs. Cornell, 12/3/81, Rec Hall
54-0	vs. Millersville, 1/25/83, Rec Hall
39-0	vs. Virginia, 12/1/87, Rec Hall
45-0	vs. Maryland, 1/18/92, Rec Hall
38-0	vs. Minnesota, 2/8/92, Ann Arbor
39-0	vs. Bloomsburg, 2/10/93, Rec Hall
39-0	vs. Lehigh, 2/13/93, Rec Hall
40-(-1)	vs. Wartburg, 1/22/00, BJC
38-0	vs. Appalachian State, 1/11/02, Hampton, Va.
47-0	vs. Clarion, 11/19/06, Lock Haven, Pa.
41-0	vs. Rider, 1/13/07, Hampton, Va.
33-0	vs. Lehigh, 12/7/07, Easton, Pa.
45-0	vs. Harvard, 11/21/10, Binghamton
48-0	vs. Lock Haven, 12/12/10, Rec Hall
50-0	vs. Lock Haven, 12/18/11, Lock Haven,
43-0	vs. Wisconsin, 1/15/12, Madison
52-0	vs. Indiana, 12/9/12, Rec Hall
41-0	vs. Michigan State, 1/13/13, Rec Hall
37-0	vs. Illinois, 2/3/13, Champaign, Ill.
48-0	vs. Rider, 2/17/13, Rec Hall
34-0	vs. Rutgers, 2/24/13, New Brunswick
44-0	vs. Clarion, 11/22/14, Clarion, Pa.
35-0	vs. Michigan State, 2/1/15, East Lansing
50-0	vs. Lock Haven, 11/13/15, Rec Hall
45-0	vs. Army, 11/11/16, West Point, N.Y.
46-0	vs. Binghamton, 12/11/16, Rec Hall
55-0	vs. Buffalo, 2/18/18, Rec Hall
42-0	vs. Lehigh, 12/2/18, Rec Hall

## CAREER

### MATCHES WRESTLED

1.	184	Josh Moore, '01-04
		Jim Martin, '86-89
2.	168	Kerry McCoy, '92-97
	168	Greg Elinsky, '83-87
4.	162	Doc Vecchio, '00-03
5.	158	Clint Musser, '94, 96-99
		Ken Chertow, '85, 87-89
7.	154	Jason Suter, '88-91
		Adam Smith, '02-05
9.	151	Scott Moore, '00, '02-03
	151	Frank Molinaro, '09-12
11.	150	Mark Becks, '00-03
12.	149	Eric Brugel, '82-84, 86
		John Hughes, '92, 94-96
15.	144	Andy Voit, '85, 87-89
16.	143	Dan Vallimont, '07-10
17.	142	John Hanrahan, '79-82
19.	140	Jeremy Hunter, '96-00
		Sanshiro Abe, '93-96
20.	139	Tim Flynn, '83, 85-87
	139	Quentin Wright, '09, 11-13
	139	Ed Ruth, '11-13

### VICTORIES

1.	155	Jim Martin, '86-89
2.	150	Kerry McCoy, '92-97
3.	146	Josh Moore, '01-04
4.	138	Greg Elinsky, '83-87
5.	136	Ed Ruth, 2011-14
6.	134	David Taylor, 2011-14
7.	126	Zain Retherford, '14-18
8.	125	Sanshiro Abe, '93-96
9.	123	Jeremy Hunter, '96-00
	123	Clint Musser, '94, 96-99
11.	121	Frank Molinaro, '09-12
	121	John Hughes, '92, 94-96
13.	119	Nico Megaludis, '12-16
14.	118	Matt Brown, '12-15
15.	116	Quentin Wright, '09-13
	116	Phil Davis, '05-08
17.	115	Ken Chertow, '85, 87-89
18.	114	Morgan McIntosh, '12-16
	114	Carl DeStefanis, '81-84
20.	112	Scott Moore, '00, '02-03

### DUAL MEET WINNING %

(MINIMUM 20 MATCHES)

1.	100.0	David Taylor (63-0), 2011-14
		Zain Retherford (59-0), 2014-18
		Ed Ruth (55-0), 2011-14
		Andy Matter (33-0), 1970-72
5.	98.3	Bo Nickal (57-1), 2016-19
6.	98.2	Jason Nolf (54-1), 2016-19
7.	97.4	Jim Martin (73-1-2), 1986-89
8.	97.1	<b>Mark Hall (34-1), 2017-Prsnt.</b>

## FALLS

1.	60	Jason Nolf, '16-19
2.	59	Bo Nickal, '16-19
3.	53	Zain Retherford, '14-18
	53	David Taylor, '11-14
	53	Josh Moore, '01-04
6.	46	Ed Ruth, '11-14
7.	38	Quentin Wright, '09-13
8.	34	Scott Moore, '00, '02-03
	34	Kerry McCoy, '92-97
10.	32	Cameron Wade, 2009-12
	32	Josh Walker, '02-05
12.	31	<b>Mark Hall, '17-Prsnt.</b>
	31	Andrew Alton, '11-15
	31	Biff Walizer, '95-99
15.	30	Matt Brown, '12-15
	30	Phil Davis, '05-08
	30	Pat Cummins, '01-04
18.	29	Jeremy Hunter, '96-00
19.	28	<b>Shakur Rasheed, '16-Prsnt.</b>
	28	Cary Kolat, '93-94

### DUAL MEET VICTORIES

1.	73	Jim Martin, '86-89
2.	71	Kerry McCoy, '92-97
3.	63	David Taylor, '11-14
4.	62	Jeremy Hunter, '96-00
5.	59	Zain Retherford, '14-18
6.	58	Phil Davis, '05-08
7.	57	Bo Nickal, 2016-19
	57	Sanshiro Abe, '93-96
	57	Dan Vallimont, '07-10
	57	Ed Ruth, '11-14
10.	55	Frank Molinaro, '09-12
	55	Greg Elinsky, '83-87
	55	Jason Nolf, 2016-19
13.	54	Glenn Pritzlaff, '94, 96-99
	54	Morgan McIntosh, '12-16
15.	53	Clint Musser, '94, 96-99
	53	Nico Megaludis, '12-16
17.	52	Troy Sunderland, '89, 91-93
	52	Jeff Prescott, '89-92
	51	Dave Hart, '89, 91-93
20.	50	

### OVERALL WINNING %

(MINIMUM 30 MATCHES)

1.	97.84	Ed Ruth (136-3), 2011-14
2.	97.81	David Taylor (134-3), 2011-14
3.	97.67	Zain Retherford (126-3), 2014-18
4.	97.56	<b>Bo Nickal (120-3), 2016-19</b>
5.	96.72	Andy Matter (59-2), 1970-72
6.	97.50	<b>Jason Nolf (117-3), 2016-19</b>
7.	94.89	<b>Mark Hall (93-5), 2017-Prsnt.</b>
8.	93.4	Jim Martin (155-9-4), 1986-89
9.	92.9	Dick Lemyre (39-3), 1952-54
10.	91.4	Sam Harry (32-3), 1942-43

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# RECORD BOOK (since 1980)

## TOP 10 SEASON WINNING % (20 MATCH MINIMUM)

1.	1.000 (47-0)	Kerry McCoy, '93-94
	1.000 (41-0)	Kerry McCoy, '96-97
	1.000 (34-0)	David Taylor, '13-14
	1.000 (34-0)	Zain Retherford, '15-16
	1.000 (33-0)	Ed Ruth, '12-13
	1.000 (33-0)	Frank Molinaro, '11-12
	1.000 (32-0)	Quentin Wright, '12-13
	1.000 (32-0)	David Taylor, '11-12
	1.000 (31-0)	Jason Nolf, '18-19
	1.000 (31-0)	Zain Retherford, '17-18
	1.000 (31-0)	Bo Nickal, '17-18
	1.000 (31-0)	Ed Ruth, '11-12
	1.000 (30-0)	Bo Nickal, '18-19
	1.000 (29-0)	Sanshiro Abe, '95-96
	1.000 (28-0)	Zain Retherford, '16-17
	1.000 (27-0)	Jason Nolf, '16-17
	1.000 (21-0)	Jamar Billman, '98-99

## TOP 10 SEASON DUAL MEET WINNING %

1.	1.000 (21-0)	Kerry McCoy, '93-94
	1.000 (20-0)	Kerry McCoy, '96-97
	1.000 (19-0)	Ed Ruth, '10-11
	1.000 (19-0)	David Taylor, '10-11
	1.000 (18-0)	Jim Martin, '86-87
	1.000 (17-0)	Bubba Jenkins, '08-09
	1.000 (17-0)	Kerry McCoy, '94-95
	1.000 (17-0)	Jeremy Hunter, '99-00
	1.000 (17-0)	Jeremy Hunter, '98-99
	1.000 (16-0)	Morgan McIntosh, '15-16
	1.000 (16-0)	Jason Nolf, '15-16
	1.000 (16-0)	Zain Retherford, '15-16
	1.000 (16-0)	Zain Retherford, '13-14
	1.000 (16-0)	David Taylor, '13-14
	1.000 (16-0)	Cary Kolat, '93-94
	1.000 (16-0)	Jim Martin, '85-86
	1.000 (16-0)	Clint Musser, '98-99
	1.000 (15-0)	Morgan McIntosh, '13-14
	1.000 (15-0)	Frank Molinaro, '10-11
	1.000 (14-0)	Anthony Cassar, '18-19
	1.000 (14-0)	Mark Hall, '18-19
	1.000 (14-0)	Bo Nickal, '18-19
	1.000 (14-0)	Jason Nolf, '18-19
	1.000 (14-0)	Mark Hall, '17-18
	1.000 (14-0)	Bo Nickal, '17-18
	1.000 (14-0)	Zain Retherford, '17-18
	1.000 (14-0)	Bo Nickal, '16-17
	1.000 (14-0)	Jason Nolf, '16-17
	1.000 (14-0)	Zain Retherford, '16-17
	1.000 (14-0)	Ed Ruth, '12-13
	1.000 (14-0)	David Taylor, '12-13
	1.000 (14-0)	Quentin Wright, '12-13
	1.000 (14-0)	Frank Molinaro, '11-12
	1.000 (14-0)	David Taylor, '11-12
	1.000 (14-0)	Dan Mayo, '86-87

## TOP 20 SEASON DUAL VICTORIES

1.	22-1 (.957)	Dave Hart, '91-92
	22-1 (.957)	Jeff Prescott, '91-92
3.	21-0 (1.000)	Kerry McCoy, '93-94
4.	20-0 (1.000)	Kerry McCoy, '96-97
	20-0-2(.909)	Jim Martin, '88-89
6.	19-0 (1.000)	Ed Ruth, '10-11
	19-0 (1.000)	David Taylor, '10-11
8.	19-1 (.950)	Sanshiro Abe, '93-94
	19-1 (.950)	Jim Martin, '87-88
10.	19-2 (.905)	Bob Truby, '90-91
	19-2 (.905)	Jamar Billman, '97-98
12.	18-0 (1.000)	Jim Martin, '86-87
	18-1 (.947)	James Yonushonis, '06-07
	18-1 (.947)	Clint Musser, '97-98
	18-1-1 (.900)	Dan Mayo, '87-88
	18-4 (.818)	Brad Pataky, '08-09
17.	17-0 (1.000)	Bubba Jenkins, '08-09
	17-0 (1.000)	Kerry McCoy, '94-95
	17-0 (1.000)	Jeremy Hunter, '99-00
	17-0 (1.000)	Jeremy Hunter, '98-99

## TOP 10 WINS BY A SENIOR

1.	44-8	Josh Moore, '03-04
2.	43-1-2	Jim Martin, '88-89
	43-6	Mark Becks, '02-03
4.	41-0	Kerry McCoy, '96-97
5.	39-1-1	Carl Destefanis, '83-84
6.	38-3-1	Greg Elinsky, '86-87
	38-5	Pat Cummins, '03-04
8.	34-0	David Taylor, '13-14
	34-1	Ed Ruth, '13-14
	34-2-1	Dan Mayo, '87-88
	34-5	Clint Musser, '98-99

## TOP 10 WINS BY A JUNIOR

1.	54-9	Scott Moore, '02-03
2.	43-1	Kerry McCoy, '94-95
3.	41-1-1	Jim Martin, '87-88
4.	40-9	Josh Moore, '02-03
5.	39-8	Bob Truby, '90-91
6.	38-9	Pat Cummins, '02-03
7.	37-2-2	Greg Elinsky, '85-86
8.	35-7-1	Ken Chertow, '87-88
9.	34-14	Doc Vecchio, '01-02
10.	33-0	Ed Ruth, '12-13
	33-1	Jeremy Hunter, '98-99
	33-1	Dan Mayo, '86-87
	33-3	Dave Hart, '91-92
	33-3	John Hughes, '94-95
	33-4	Scott Lynch, '82-83
	33-5	Clint Musser, '97-98
	33-6	Matt Brown, '13-14
	33-6	John Hanrahan, '80-81
	33-9	Tim Flynn, '85-86

## TOP 10 WINS BY A SOPHOMORE

1.	47-0	Kerry McCoy, '93-94
2.	38-1	Cary Kolat, '93-94
3.	36-5	Eric Bradley, '03-04
	36-9	John Hughes, '93-94
5.	35-3	Sanshiro Abe, '93-94
6.	35-7-2	Ken Chertow, '86-87
7.	34-0	Zain Retherford, '15-16
	34-3	Jim Martin, '86-87
	34-6	Glenn Pritzlaff, '96-97
10.	33-5-1	Troy Sunderland, '90-91
	33-7	Frank Molinaro, '09-10

## TOP 10 WINS BY A FRESHMAN

1.	38-1	David Taylor, '10-11
	38-2	Ed Ruth, '10-11
3.	37-4	Jim Martin, '85-86
	37-10	Phil Davis, '05-06
5.	35-6	Jamar Billman, '97-98
	35-6-1	Greg Elinsky, '83-84
7.	33-2	Bo Nickal, '15-16
	33-2	Jason Nolf, '15-16
	33-3	Zain Retherford, '13-14
	33-13	Quentin Wright, '08-09
9.	32-7	Nick Lee, '17-18
	32-15	Biff Walizer, '95-96



# COACHING HISTORY



**CHARLIE SPEIDEL**  
1927-42, 1947-64

## CHARLIE SPEIDEL

Charlie Speidel guided Penn State to 14 Top 10 NCAA finishes, including the 1953 NCAA title, and posted seven straight top five finishes from 1951 to 195 at the NCAA Championships. The longest tenured coach in PSU history, he coached for 34 seasons guiding six national champions, 15 NCAA finalists, 41 All-Americans and Penn State's first national champion in Howard Johnston (1935). He also won eight IJWA conference titles.



**BILL KOLL**  
1965-78

## BILL KOLL

In 14 seasons, Bill Koll led the Nittany Lions to six Top 10 NCAA finishes and posted a best ever PSU winning percentage of 85.2. He coached three individual national champions and 20 All-Americans and helped Penn State climb as high as fourth in the 1971 NCAA Championships. Koll led the Lions to five unbeaten seasons on the dual meet mat (1967, 70, 71, 72 & 74) and a record 41-match home unbeaten streak from 1969-76.



**RICH LORENZO**  
1979-92

## RICH LORENZO

In 14 seasons, Rich Lorenzo posted 11 Top 10 NCAA finishes and guided five individual national champions. Under Lorenzo, the Nittany Lions placed in the top three on four occasions at the NAAs while picking up 53 All-American honors, five individual national champions and 11 NCAA finalists. He guided Penn State to 11-straight EWL conference titles from 1982-92, two national dual team championships (1987 & 1991), was named EWL Coach of the Year six times and coached 44 conference champions. Lorenzo was named NWCA Coach of the Year in 1981 and 1992.



**John FRITZ**  
1993-98

## JOHN FRITZ

In six seasons, John Fritz posted five top five NCAA finishes including a second in 1993, Penn State's highest finish in 39 years. He guided four national champions, nine NCAA finalists, 21 All-Americans and 12 Big Ten champions. Fritz was named the 1993 NWCA National Coach of the Year, after leading Penn State to a school record 22-0-1 dual meet record, a No. 1 national ranking, and a national dual team title. He also earned 1998 Big Ten Coach of the Year honors.



**Troy SUNDERLAND**  
1999-2009

## TROY SUNDERLAND

Over the course of 11 seasons, Troy Sunderland guided Penn State to one top three NCAA finish, another top five finish and a total of four top 10 finishes. He coached three NCAA individual champions, ten finalists, 25 All-Americans and seven conference champions. He was named the 2003 Big Ten Coach of the Year and the 1999 Amateur Wrestling News Rookie Coach of the Year.



**Cael SANDERSON**  
2010-Present

## CAEL SANDERSON

Cael Sanderson began his first season as Penn State's head coach in 2009-10 and has re-written the Penn State record books. Last year (2018-19), he added a sixth Big Ten tournament title, a sixth Big Ten dual meet title and led Penn State to its eighth NCAA National Championship in the last nine years in Pittsburgh.

In ten years as Penn State's coach, Sanderson led the Nittany Lions to eight Southern Scuffle titles, six B1G dual meet titles, six Big Ten Championships, eight of the last nine NCAA Championships, collected 58 All-Americans, 23 National Champions including an NCAA record-tying five in 2017, four Gorriaran winners, four NCAA Tournament Outstanding Wrestlers, one CoSIDA Academic All-American of the Year, one NCAA Elite 89 winner, one NCAA Top 10 Award winner and five Hodge Trophy Winners. Sanderson, who has coached 73 total All-Americans and 25 total National Champions (including his three years at Iowa State), grabbed his 100th win as Penn State's head coach in its 36-6 victory over Stanford in Rec Hall on 11/13/16.

## COACHING HONORS

### NWCA NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR

Rich Lorenzo, 1992  
John Fritz, 1993  
Cael Sanderson, 2013

### EWL COACH OF THE YEAR

Rich Lorenzo, 1981-84, 87, 91

### BIG TEN COACH OF THE YEAR

John Fritz, 1998  
Troy Sunderland, 2003  
Cael Sanderson, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2019

### AWN "ROOKIE" COACH OF THE YEAR

Troy Sunderland, 1999

### BIG TEN MEN'S SPORT COACH OF THE YEAR

Cael Sanderson, 2011, 2012

### INTERMAT NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR

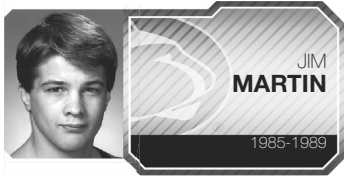
Cael Sanderson, 2012, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

## ALL-TIME HEAD COACHING RECORDS

Coach	Seasons	W	L	T	Pct.
William E. Lewis (1909-13, 15-17, 20-21)	10	40	7	0	.851
J.H. Shollenberger (1914)	1	5	0	0	1.000
H.C. Yerger (1918-19)	2	6	2	0	.750
D.D. Detar (1922-24)	3	14	4	1	.778
Ralph G. Leonard (1925-26)	2	13	1	0	.929
Charlie Speidel (1927-42, 47-64)	34	191	56	13	.773
Paul Campbell (1943-46)	4	12	9	1	.571
Bill Koll (1965-78)	14	128	21	7	.853
Rich Lorenzo (1979-92)	14	188	64	9	.737
John Fritz (1993-98)	6	87	33	2	.717
Troy Sunderland (1999-2009)	11	115	90	2	.560
Cael Sanderson (2010-Pres.)	10	140	14	2	.904

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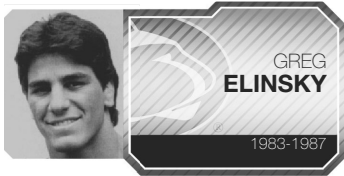
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1989	43	1	3	1st	3rd
1988	41	1	1	1st	1st
1987	34	3	0	2nd	2nd
1986	37	4	0	2nd	4th
Totals	155	9	4		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
1997	41	0	0	1st	1st
1995	43	1	0	1st	3rd
1994	47	0	0	1st	1st
1993	19	17	0	6th	DNP
Totals	150	18	0		



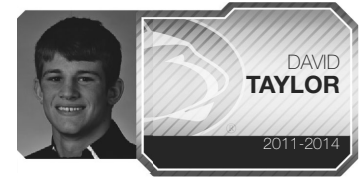
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2003	40	9	0	3rd	3rd
2002	32	4	0	DNC	DNC
2001	30	17	0	7th	DNP
Totals	146	38	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
1987	38	3	1	1st	3rd
1986	37	2	2	1st	2nd
1985	28	5	0	1st	2nd
1984	35	6	1	2st	7th
Totals	138	16	4		



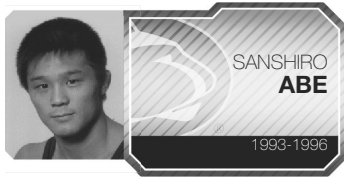
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2014	34	1	0	1st	1st
2013	33	0	0	1st	1st
2012	31	0	0	1st	1st
2011	38	2	0	1st	3rd
Totals	136	3	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
2014	34	0	0	1st	1st
2013	30	2	0	1st	2nd
2012	32	0	0	1st	1st
2011	38	1	0	1st	2nd
Totals	134	3	0		



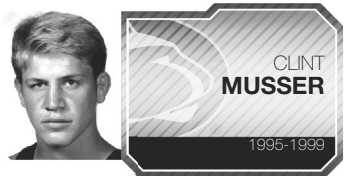
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2018	31	0	0	1st	1st
2017	28	0	0	1st	1st
2016	34	0	0	1st	1st
2014	33	3	0	2nd	5th
Totals	126	3	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
1996	29	0	0	1st	1st
1995	32	4	0	2nd	2nd
1994	35	3	0	1st	3rd
1993	29	8	0	1st	4th
Totals	125	15	0		



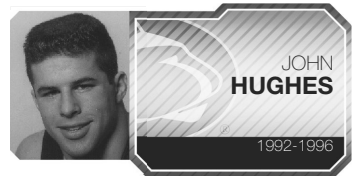
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2000	33	1	0	2nd	1st
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1998	28	6	0	2nd	5th
1997	29	9	0	3rd	DNP
Totals	123	17	0		



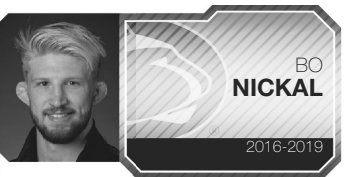
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1999	34	5	0	2nd	2nd
1998	33	5	0	2nd	5th
1997	28	13	0	3rd	DNP
1995	28	13	0	DNP	DNP
Totals	123	36	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
2012	33	0	0	1st	1st
2011	32	3	0	1st	2nd
2010	33	7	0	4th	5th
2009	23	19	0	8th	8th
Totals	121	29	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
1996	31	5	0	5th	2nd
1995	33	3	0	1st	1st
1994	36	9	0	3rd	7th
1992	21	9	2	3rd	DNP
Totals	121	26	2		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
2019	30	0	0	1st	1st
2018	31	0	0	1st	1st
2017	26	1	0	3rd	1st
2016	33	2	0	1st	2nd
Totals	120	3	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
2016	32	3	0	2nd	1st
2014	31	4	0	2nd	3rd
2013	28	4	0	3rd	2nd
2012	28	8	0	5th	2nd
Totals	119	19	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
2015	29	3	0	2nd	1st
2014	33	6	0	3rd	5th
2013	29	5	0	1st	2nd
2012	27	2	0	--	--
Totals	118	16	0		

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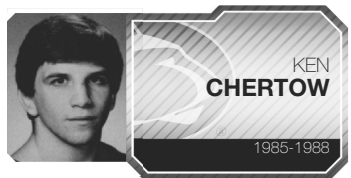
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2018	26	1	0	6th	1st
2017	27	0	0	1st	1st
2016	33	2	0	2nd	2nd
Totals	117	3	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
2013	32	0	0	1st	1st
2012	30	4	0	3rd	2nd
2011	21	6	0	1st	1st
2009	33	13	0	2nd	6th
Totals	116	23	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
2008	26	1	0	1st	1st
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2006	25	4	0	1st	2nd
2005	37	10	0	4th	7th
Totals	116	20	0		



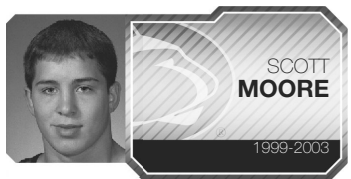
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1988	35	7	1	1st	3rd
1987	35	7	2	2nd	3rd
1985	26	14	0	3rd	DNP
Totals	115	36	3		



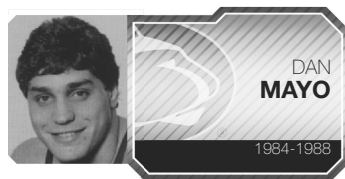
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2016	32	1	0	1st	2nd
2015	32	3	0	1st	3rd
2014	32	5	0	2nd	7th
2012	18	10	0	5th	DNP
Totals	114	19			



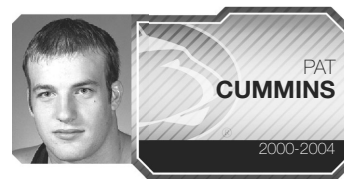
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1984	39	1	1	1st	1st
1983	30	2	0	1st	DNP
1982	30	7	0	1st	DNP
1981	15	6	0	DNP	DNP
Totals	114	16	1		



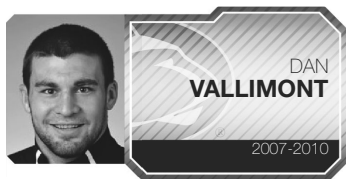
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2000	28	6	0	7th	DNP
Totals	112	29	0		



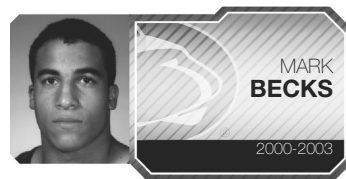
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1987	33	1	0	1st	3rd
1986	26	5	1	1st	DNP
1984	17	6	1	DNP	DNP
Totals	110	14	3		



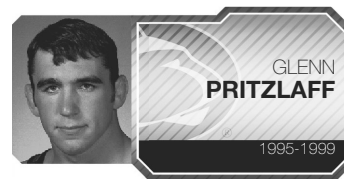
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2004	38	5	0	2nd	2nd
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2001	19	11	0	DNP	DNP
Totals	108	37	0		



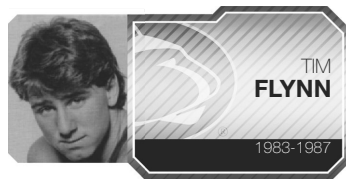
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2007	22	12	0	4th	DNP
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2009	24	12	0	3rd	DNP
2010	30	8	0	3rd	2nd
Totals	108	35	0		



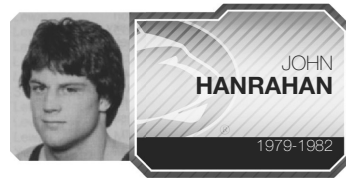
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2002	21	7	0	6th	DNP
2001	22	15	0	6th	DNP
2000	21	14	0	DNP	DNP
Totals	107	42	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
1999	27	3	0	1st	1st
1998	18	8	0	3rd	7th
1997	34	6	0	6th	DNP
1995	27	12	0	6th	DNP
Totals	106	29	0		



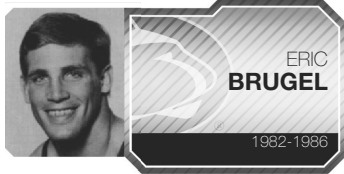
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1986	33	9	0	1st	DNP
1985	30	7	1	2nd	DNP
1983	12	6	0	DNP	DNP
Totals	105	22	2		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
1982	33	8	0	1st	5th
1981	33	6	0	1st	3rd
1980	19	10	1	3rd	DNP
1979	20	9	1	3rd	DNP
Totals	105	33	2		

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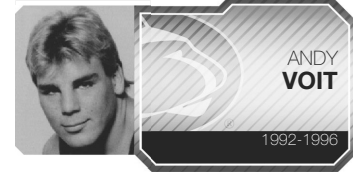
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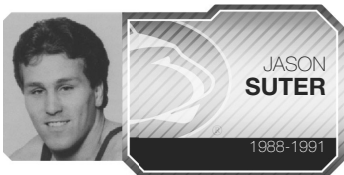
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1986	28	10	1	1st	DNP
1984	29	12	0	2nd	8th
1983	24	11	0	2nd	DNP
1982	22	12	0	2nd	DNP
Totals	103	45	1		



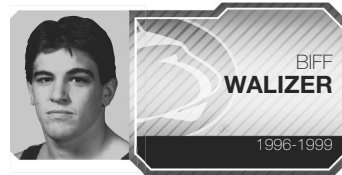
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1991	39	8	0	1st	5th
1990	17	8	1	2nd	DNP
1989	9	3	1	DNC	DNC
1988	9	3	0	DNC	DNC
Totals	101	27	4		



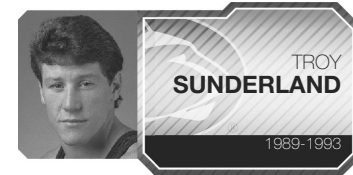
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1989	32	6	2	1st	7th
1988	21	7	1	3rd	5th
1987	30	6	3	1st	4th
1985	18	18	0	2nd	DNP
Totals	101	37	6		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
1991	29	12	0	5th	5th
1990	29	11	1	2nd	8th
1989	25	13	0	6th	DNP
1988	18	16	0	2nd	DNP
Totals	101	52	1		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
1999	33	14	0	7th	8th
1998	20	20	0	2nd	DNP
1997	16	12	0	3rd	DNP
1996	32	15	0	3rd	DNP
Totals	101	61	0		



Year	Won	Lost	Tie	Conf.	NCAA
1993	30	2	0	1st	2nd
1992	25	3	2	1st	2nd
1991	33	5	1	2nd	4th
1989	12	3	0	DNP	DNP
Totals	100	13	3		

## FREESTYLE AND GRECO HIGHLIGHTS

### THE OLYMPICS

Members of the Penn State coaching staff strongly encourage student-athletes to pursue their goals in the freestyle and Greco-Roman arenas. With the Nittany Lion Wrestling Club winning consecutive National Freestyle Training Center of the Year honors and multiple Olympians in residence, Penn State continues to grow as the nation's premier destination for Gold Medal minded athletes.

Penn State is proud of its long list of wrestlers who have distinguished themselves in competition around the globe. Heading into the 2016 Rio Summer Games, Penn State all-time great and current Nittany Lion assistant coach Frank Molinaro punched his ticket to the event as Penn State's newest Olympian. The program has produced two-time Olympian (2000 & 2004) and five-time U.S. National Champion Kerry McCoy, 2000 Pan-Am gold medalist Matt White, 1996 Olympian and Asian Freestyle Championships gold medalist Sanshiro Abe, 1988 Olympian Ken Chertow, Pan-American Games gold medalist John Hughes, National Freestyle champion Jim Martin, and university freestyle national champions Jeff Prescott, Troy Sunderland, Adam Mariano, John Bove, Dave Hart,

Shawn Nelson, Glenn Pritzlaff, Biff Walizer, Marat Tomaev, Jake Strayer and Brad Pataky.

Over the years, Penn State wrestlers have trained and competed throughout the United States, Canada, Europe, South America, Japan, China and Korea.

### PENN STATE OLYMPIANS

#### FRANK MOLINARO

\* 2016 U.S. Olympic Team, 65kg (5th).

#### KERRY McCOY

\* 2004 U.S. Olympic Team, 7th (264.5)

Athens, Greece  
\* 2000 U.S. Olympic Team, 5th (286), Sydney, Australia

#### SANSHIRO ABE

\* 1996 Japanese Olympic Team (125.5), Atlanta, Ga.

#### KEN CHERTOW

\* 1988 U.S. Olympic Team (114.5), Seoul, South Korea

#### KATSUTOSHI NAITO

\* 1924 Japanese Olympic Team, Bronze (56-61kg), Paris, France

### RECENT HIGHLIGHTS (SINCE 1993)

#### 2019

##### BO NICKAL

U.S. U23 Freestyle World Team  
U.S. National Freestyle Champion

##### BRADY BERGE

U.S. U23 Freestyle World Team

##### JASON NOLF

U.S. National Team

##### ZAIN RETHERFORD

U.S. National Team

#### 2018

##### DAVID TAYLOR

U.S. National Team  
U.S. National Champion

##### MARK HALL

Pan American Games Champion

##### NICO MEGALUDIS

U.S. National Team

##### BRADY BERGE

UWW Jr. World Team  
Junior World Bronze Medal

#### 2017

##### DAVID TAYLOR

U.S. National Team  
U.S. World Team  
U.S. World Team Trial Champion

##### MARK HALL

UWW Jr. World Champion

UWW Jr. World Team

UWW World Champion (74 kg)  
UWW Jr. World Team Trial Champ

##### JASON NOLF

U.S. National Team

##### MASON MANVILLE

U.S. World Team, Greco Roman

#### 2016

##### FRANK MOLINARO

U.S. Olympic Team Trials (1st, 65kg)  
Pan American Freestyle games (1st, 65kg)

##### NICO MEGALUDIS

University Nationals Freestyle (1st)

##### MORGAN McINTOSH

University Nationals Freestyle (1st)

##### ZAIN RETHERFORD

U.S. Olympic Team Trials (3rd)  
Member U.S. National Team

##### DAVID TAYLOR

U.S. Olympic Team Trails (3rd)  
Member U.S. National Team

#### 2015

##### ANTHONY CASSAR

UWW Junior Nationals (1st, 96 kg)  
UWW World Team Trials (1st, 96 kg)

##### NICO MEGALUDIS

Grand Prix of Spain (5th, 55 kg)

##### FRANK MOLINARO

U.S. Open (5th, 65 kg)  
Grand Prix of Spain (1st, 65 kg)

##### JASON NOLF

UWW Junior Nationals (2nd, 74 kg)



# FREESTYLE AND GRECO HIGHLIGHTS

UWW World Team Trials (3rd, 74 kg)

## **BRAD PATAKY**

Northeast Regionals (1st, 57 kg)

## **ZAIN RETHERFORD**

UWW Junior Nationals (2nd, 66 kg)

UWW World Team Trials (2nd, 66 kg)

## **ED RUTH**

U.S. Open (3rd, 86 kg)

World Team Trials (2nd, 84 kg)

## **DAVID TAYLOR**

U.S. Open (1st, 74 kg)

World Team Trials (3rd, 74 kg)

Grand Prix of Spain (1st, 74 kg)

## **DAN VALLIMONT**

U.S. Open (7th, 74 kg)

## **2014**

### **ED RUTH**

World Team Trials (1st, 84 kg)

U.S. Open (3rd, 84 kg)

### **DAVID TAYLOR**

World Team Trials (2nd, 74 kg)

U.S. Open (2nd, 74 kg)

### **NICO MEGALUDIS**

World Team Trials (4th, 57 kg)

### **KADE MOSS**

University Nationals - Greco (1st, 66 kg)

### **ZAIN RETHERFORD**

FILA Jr. World Team Trials (2nd, 66 kg)

FILA Junior Nationals (2nd, 66 kg)

## **2013**

### **MARK McKNIGHT**

U.S. Nationals (4th, 55 kg)

Pan Am Games Champion (55 kg)

### **NICO MEGALUDIS**

University Nationals Champ (55 kg)

University World Freestyle Team (55 kg)

U.S. Nationals (5th, 55 kg)

### **ED RUTH**

University Nationals Champ (84 kg)

University World Freestyle Team (84 kg)

U.S. Nationals (4th, 84 kg)

### **DAVID TAYLOR**

University Nationals Champ (74 kg)

University World Freestyle Team (74 kg)

U.S. Nationals (2nd, 74 kg)

U.S. World Team Trials (3rd, 74 kg)

## **2011**

### **ANDREW ALTON**

University Nationals Champ (66 kg)

### **JAMES ENGLISH**

University Nationals Champ (70 kg)

### **ANDREW LONG**

University Nationals Champ (63 kg)

### **QUENTIN WRIGHT**

University Nationals Champ (84 kg)

### **CAEL SANDERSON**

World Team Trials Champ (84 kg)

Member USA World Team (84 kg)

Corneanu Memorial Champ (84 kg)

## **2010**

### **DAVID TAYLOR**

University Nationals Champ (70 kg)

## **QUENTIN WRIGHT**

University Nationals Champ (84 kg)

## **2009**

### **BRAD PATAKY**

FILA Senior Nationals, 7th place

FILA World Team Trial qualifier

## **2008**

### **BUBBA JENKINS**

FILA Juniors Champion

### **DESMOND MOORE**

FILA Juniors Champion

FILA World Team Trials Runner-Up

### **BRAD PATAKY**

Northeast Regional Champion

University World Team Trials Champ

University Nationals Champion

## **2007**

### **BUBBA JENKINS**

FILA U.S. Junior National Champion;

FILA Junior World Champion

### **DAVE RELLA**

FILA U.S. Junior National Champion;

Junior Pan American Champion

(Free; Greco 2nd)

### **JAKE STRAYER**

University National Freestyle Champ

## **2005**

### **PHIL DAVIS**

NWCA All-American Tour to Ukraine

### **JAMES YONUSHONIS**

NWCA All-American Tour to Ukraine

## **2004**

### **KERRY McCOY**

U.S. Olympic Team Member, 7th

(264.5)

U.S. Open Nat. Freestyle Champion

(264.5)

### **CLINT MUSSER**

Pan Am Games Silver Medal (163)

## **2003**

### **KERRY McCOY**

U.S. Open Nat. Freestyle Champion

(264.5)

World Championships Silver Medal

(264.5)

Pan Am Gold Medal (264.5)

### **MARAT TOMAEV**

University Freestyle National Champ-

ion (132)

## **2002**

### **KERRY McCOY**

U.S. Open Nat. Freestyle Champion

(264.5)

U.S. World Championship Team

(264.5)

World Cup Gold Medal (264.5)

## **JEFF PRESCOTT**

Pan Am Silver Medal Freestyle (121)

## **ROSS THATCHER**

Pan Am Bronze Medal Greco

(211.75)

## **JAMES WOODALL**

Junior Pan Am Freestyle Champion

(69 kg)

## **2001**

### **KERRY McCOY**

U.S. Open Nat. Freestyle Champion

(286)

U.S. World Championship Team

(286)

### **JAMES WOODALL**

FILA U.S. Junior National Champion

(69kg)

### **JASON WOODALL**

FILA U.S. Junior National Champion

(69kg)

## **2000**

### **KERRY McCOY**

U.S. Olympic Team Member, 5th

(286)

U.S. Open Nat. Freestyle Champion

(286)

Pan-American Games Champion

(286)

World Cup (Gold medal)

### **MATT WHITE**

Pan-American Games Champion

(187.25)

Puerto Rico Champion (187.25)

## **1999**

### **KERRY McCOY**

World Cup (Gold medal); U.S. Na-

tional team member

## **1998**

### **SANSHIRO ABE**

Japanese World Freestyle Team

(125.5)

### **KERRY McCOY**

World Freestyle Championships, 4th

(286)

U.S. World Team Trials Champion

(286)

Goodwill Games Silver Medalist

(286)

## **1997**

### **SANSHIRO ABE**

Japanese World Freestyle Team

(125.5)

### **SHAD BENTON**

NE Regional Greco-Roman Cham-

pion (156)

### **JASON BETZ**

NE Regional Greco-Roman Cham-

pion (132)

### **RYAN ROOT**

NE Regional Greco-Roman Cham-

pion (217)

## **1996**

### **SANSHIRO ABE**

Japanese Freestyle Olympic Team

(125.5)

## **JOHN LANGE**

National Espoir Freestyle Champion

(163)

## **KERRY MCCOY**

South Regional Champion

U.S. Olympic Freestyle Trials (220)

## **GLENN PRITZLAFF**

University Freestyle National Cham-

pion (163)

## **BIFF WALIZER**

University Freestyle National Cham-

pion (136.5)

## **1995**

### **SANSHIRO ABE**

Asian Freestyle Champion (125.5)

Japanese World Freestyle Team

### **RUSS HUGHES**

University Freestyle Nat. Champion

(149.5)

### **GLENN PRITZLAFF**

Nat. Espoir Freestyle Champion

(163)

### **BIFF WALIZER**

Nat. Espoir Greco-Roman Cham-

pion (136.5)

## **1994**

### **JOHN HUGHES**

University National Champion

(149.5)

Pan-American Games Champion

(149.5)

NWCA European Tour (149.5)

## **1993**

### **KERRY McCOY (220)**

University Freestyle Nat. Champion

Pan-American Games Champion

Nat. Espoir Greco-Roman Champ.

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# FREESTYLE AND GRECO HIGHLIGHTS

## CHAMPIONS

Sanshiro Abe	1995 Asian Freestyle Champion (125.5)	Nico Megaludis	2013 University Nationals Champion (55)	
Andrew Alton	2011 University Nationals Champion (66)	2016 University Nationals Champion (55)	Frank Molinaro	2016 U.S. Olympic Team Trials (65)
Chris Bevilacqua	1983 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (163)	2017 U.S. National Champion (65)		Pan American Games (65)
John Bove	1990 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (114.5)	2008 FILA Junior National Champion	Desmond Moore	2014 University Nationals - Greco
	1990 National Sports Festival Espoir Champion (114.5)	1992 University Freestyle National Champion (114.5)	Kade Moss	1924 Olympics Bronze (Japan) (56-6)
Shad Benton	1997 Northeast Regional Greco-Roman Champion (156)	2019 U.S. National Freestyle Champion	Katsutoshi Naito	1992 University Freestyle National Champion (125.5)
Jason Betz	1997 Northeast Regional Greco-Roman Champion (132)	1990 University Freestyle National Champion (125.5)	Bo Nickal	1990 University Freestyle National Champion (125.5)
Anthony Cassar	2015 UWW Junior Nationals (96)	2008 University World Team Trials Champion	Shawn Nelson	2008 University Nationals Champion
	2015 UWW World Team Trials (96)	1995 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (163)	Jeff Prescott	1996 University Freestyle National Champion (163)
Ken Chertow	1986 National Sports Festival Champion (125.5)	2007 FILA U.S. Junior National Champion	Brad Pataky	2007 Pan American Junior Champion
	1986 World Espoir Freestyle Champion (125.5)	2017 U.S. World Team Trials Champion	Glenn Pritzlaff	1997 Northeast Regional Greco-Roman Champion (217)
	1986 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (125.5)	2013 University Nationals Champion (84)	Dave Rella	2013 World Team Trials (84)
Pat Cummins	2004 East Reg. Olympic Trials Freestyle Champion (264.5)	2011 World Team Trials Champion (84)	Zain Retherford	2011 Corneanu Memorial Champion (84)
Louis Di Maria	1992 Northeast Regional Greco-Roman Champion (136.5)	2007 University National Freestyle Champion	Ryan Root	2007 University National Freestyle Champion
Greg Elinsky	1985 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (163)	1990 University Freestyle National Champion (149.5)	Ed Ruth	1990 University Freestyle National Champion (149.5)
	1990 Pan American Freestyle Champion (163)	1990 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (149.5)	Cael Sanderson	1990 National Sports Festival Espoir Champion (149.5)
	1992 U.S. National Open Freestyle Champion (163)	1990 World Espoir Freestyle Champion (149.5)	Jake Strayer	1990 World Espoir Freestyle Champion (149.5)
James English	2011 University Nationals Champion (70)	2010 University Nationals Champion (70)	Troy Sunderland	2010 University Nationals Champion (70)
Mark Hall	2017 UWW Junior World Team Trials Champion	2013 University Nationals Champion (74)	David Taylor	2013 University Nationals Champion (74)
	2018 Pan American Games Champion (79)	2015 U.S. Open Champion (74)		2015 U.S. Open Champion (74)
Dave Hart	1992 University Freestyle National Champion (180)	2018 U.S. Open Champion (86)	Ross Thatcher	2018 U.S. Open Champion (86)
John Hughes	1994 University Freestyle National Champion (149.5)	2018 Pan American Games (86)		2018 Pan American Games (86)
	1994 Pan-American Gold Medal (149.5)	2002 NE Regional Greco-Roman Champion (211.75)		2001 Sunkist Greco-Roman Champion (211.75)
Russ Hughes	1992 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (149.5)	2001 Sunkist Greco-Roman Champion (211.75)		2002 Sunkist Greco-Roman Champion (211.75)
	1995 University Freestyle National Champion (149.5)	2002 New York Athletic Club Greco-Roman Champion (211.75)		2002 New York Athletic Club Greco-Roman Champion (211.75)
John Lange	1996 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (163)	2002 Dave Schultz Memorial Trn. Greco-Roman Champion (211.75)		2002 Dave Schultz Memorial Trn. Greco-Roman Champion (211.75)
Bubba Jenkins	2007 FILA U.S. Junior National Champion	2002 Northeast Regional Freestyle Champion (60 kg)	Marat Tomaev	2002 Northeast Regional Freestyle Champion (60 kg)
	2007 FILA Junior World Champion	2003 University Freestyle National Champion (132)		2003 University Freestyle National Champion (132)
	2008 FILA Junior National Champion	1986 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (198.5)	Andy Voit	1986 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (198.5)
Dick Lemyre	1951 Pan Am Games (Gold Medal)	1995 National Espoir Greco-Roman Champion (135)	Biff Walizer	1995 National Espoir Greco-Roman Champion (135)
Andrew Long	2011 University Nationals Champion (63)	1996 University Freestyle National Champion (136.5)		1996 University Freestyle National Champion (136.5)
John Place	1984 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (220)	2002 Northeast Regional Greco-Roman Champion (66)		2002 Northeast Regional Greco-Roman Champion (66)
Mason Manville	2017 U.S. Greco-Roman World Team Trials Champion	2000 Pan-American Games Gold Medal	Matt White	2000 Pan-American Games Gold Medal
Adam Mariano	1991 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (198)	2001 U.S. Junior National Champion (Free & Greco)	James Woodall	2001 U.S. Junior National Champion (Free & Greco)
	1991 University Freestyle National Champion (198)	2002 Northeast Regional Freestyle Champion (74)		2002 Northeast Regional Freestyle Champion (74)
Jim Martin	1985 U.S. National Open Freestyle Champion (114.5)	2002 Junior Pan Am Freestyle Champion (69)		2002 Junior Pan Am Freestyle Champion (69)
	1985 National Espoir Freestyle Champion (114.5)	2011 University Nationals Champion (84)	Quentin Wright	2011 University Nationals Champion (84)
Kerry McCoy	1993 University Freestyle National Champion (220)	2010 University Nationals Champion (84)		2010 University Nationals Champion (84)
	1993 National Espoir Greco-Roman Champion (220)			
	1996 South Regional Olympic Trials Freestyle Champion (220)			
	2000 Pan Am Games Gold Medal (286)			
	2000 World Cup Gold Medal (286)			
	2000-01 U.S. National Open Freestyle Champion (286)			
	2002-04 U.S. National Open Freestyle Champion (264.5)			
	2000 U.S. Olympic Trials Champion (286)			
	2000 Olympics, 5th, (286)			
	2002 World Cup Gold Medal (264.5)			
	2003 Pan Am Games Gold Medal - OW (264.5)			
	2003 World Championships Silver Medal (264.5)			
Mark McKnight	2013 Pan American Games Champion (55)			
Morgan McIntosh	2016 University Nationals Champion (86)			





# FREESTYLE AND GRECO HIGHLIGHTS

## NATIONAL TEAM MEMBERS

Sanshiro Abe 1995, 1997 & 1998 Japanese Freestyle World Team  
1995 Asian Freestyle Championships (Gold Medal)  
1996 Japanese Olympic Team

Brady Berge 2018 UWW Junior World Team  
2019 U.S. U23 Freestyle World Team

John Bove 1990 World Cup (Espoir)

Anthony Cassar 2015 UWW Junior World Team)

Ken Chertow 1988 United States Olympic Team  
1987 Pan American Games  
1986 Pan American Games (Gold Medal)  
1985 Maccabiah Games (Freestyle & Greco Gold Medal)

Louis Di Maria 1992 Tour DeMonde Greco Roman World Team

Greg Elinsky 1992 U.S. Olympic Team (Alternate)

Mark Hall 2017 UWW Junior World Championship Team (Champion)

John Hughes 1994 Pan American Games (Gold Medal)

Cary Kolat 1993 U.S. Grand Prix (Gold Medal)

Dick Lemyre 1951 Pan Am Games (Gold Medal)

Mason Manville 2017 United States Greco-Roman World Team

Dan Mayo 1992 U.S. Olympic Team (Alternate)

Kerry McCoy 1993 Pan American Games (Gold Medal)  
1993 Espoir World Championships in Athens, Greece  
1998-2000 U.S. Freestyle World Team Member (286)  
1998 Goodwill Games (Gold Medal)  
1998 U.S. Freestyle World Championships Team (3rd)  
1999 World Cup (Gold Medal)  
2000 Pan-American Games  
2000 U.S. World Cup Team  
2000 U.S. Olympic Team Member (5th)  
2001 U.S. World Team Member  
2002 U.S. World Team Member  
2003 Pan American Games (Gold Medal)  
2003 U.S. Freestyle World Championships Team (Silver Medal)  
2004 U.S. Olympic Team (7th)

Mark McKnight 2013 U.S. Pan American Games Team

Nico Megaludis 2013 University World Games Freestyle Team

Frank Molinaro 2016 United States Olympic Team  
2017 United States Freestyle Team

Clint Musser 2004 U.S. Pan Am Games Team (Silver)

Katsutoshi Nato 1924 Japanese Olympic Team (Bronze)

Bo Nickal 2019 U.S. U23 Freestyle World Team

Jason Nolf 2017 United States Freestyle Team  
2019 United States Freestyle Team

Jeff Prescott 2002 U.S. Pan Am Team Member (Freestyle) (silver)

Zain Retherford 2016 United States National Freestyle Team  
2017 United States World Freestyle Team  
2019 United States Freestyle Team

Ed Ruth 2013 University World Games Freestyle Team  
2014 U.S. World Championships Team

Cael Sanderson 2011 U.S. World Championship Team

Troy Sunderland 1990 World Cup (Gold Medal, Espoir)  
1993 U.S. Grand Prix

David Taylor 2013 University World Games Freestyle Team  
2016 United States Freestyle Team  
2017 United States Freestyle Team  
2018 United States Freestyle Team

Ross Thatcher 2002 U.S. Pan Am Team (Greco-Roman) (bronze)

Matt White 2000 & 2003 Puerto Rico Pan-American Games

James Woodall 2001 U.S. Junior World Team (Free and Greco)  
2002 U.S. Junior Pan Am Team (Freestyle & Greco-Roman)

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# HONOR ROLL

## NATIONAL ACADEMIC HONORS

Sanshiro Abe	1993 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic 1st-Team
Mark Becks	2003 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
Roman Bravo-Young	2019 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Matt Brown	2014 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2013 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2013 ELITE 89 Award Winner 2013 CoSIDA Academic All-American (1st team, At-Large) 2015 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2015 CoSIDA Academic All-American (1st team, At-Large) 2015 CoSIDA Academic All-American of the Year (At-Large) 2015 Capital One Academic All-America of the Year (All Sports, Div. I)
Brett Calabretta	1999 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
Anthony Cassar	2019 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2018 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Ken Chertow	1989 GTE Academic All-American 1989 NCAA Alternate Post-Graduate Scholarship
Jordan Conaway	2015 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2016 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Chad Dubin	1991 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
James English	2014 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Dave Hart	1991 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (2nd team) 1992/93 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 1993 GTE-CoSIDA District II/National At-Large Academic All-American 1993 NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship
Corey Keener	2018 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Jeff Knupp	2000 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
Garett Hammond	2015 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Nick Lee	2019 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2018 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Scott Lynch	1984 NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship
Jim Martin	1986, 1987, 1988 & 1989 GTE Academic All-American 1988 & 1989 GTE Academic All-American-of-the-Year (All Sports) 1989 NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship 1989 Delta Scholar-Athlete Award 1989 NCAA Today's Top Six Award
Matt McCutcheon	2015 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2016 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2017 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Nico Megaludis	2013 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2014 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2016 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Pete Mielnik	2002 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
Frank Molinaro	2012 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Josh Moore	2003 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2004 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)

Scott Moore	2003 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (2nd team)
Geno Morelli	2016 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) Big Ten Duke Postgraduate Scholarship (2017) Big Ten Post-Graduate Scholarship (2017)
Clint Musser	1997 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
Bo Nickal	2019 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Jason Nolf	2019 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2018 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2017 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2016 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2017 CoSIDA Academic All-American (2nd team)
Marc Padwe	1991 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
Glenn Pritzlaff	1999 GTE Academic All-American (2nd team) 1999 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic 1st-Team 1997 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
Zain Retherford	2016 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2017 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2018 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2016 CoSIDA Academic All-American (2nd team) 2017 CoSIDA Academic All-American (1st team)
Cyler Sanderson	2010 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Jake Strayer	2006 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2007 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2008 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2009 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
David Taylor	2011 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2012 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2013 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2014 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) Capital One Academic All-American (1st team)
Greg Troxell	1993 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
Dan Vallimont	2010 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Cameron Wade	2010 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2011 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2012 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Biff Walizer	1997 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM) 1999 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
Matt White	1991 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (HM)
James Woodall	2004 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (2nd team) 2006 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)
Quentin Wright	2011 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2012 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team) 2013 National Wrestling Coaches Association All-Academic (1st team)



## 1ST TEAM CoSIDA ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

Matt Brown	2013
	2015*
Ken Chertow	1989
Dave Hart	1993
Jim Martin	1988*
	1989*
Nico Megaludis	2016
Glenn Pritzlaff	1999
Zain Retherford	2017
David Taylor	2014

\* Named National Academic All-American of the Year

## ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN

<b>1993 (7)</b>
Sanshiro Abe, Tony Bobulinski, James Burrell, Justin Forney, Dave Hart, Matt Postlethwait, Greg Troxell
<b>1994 (7)</b>
Tony Bobulinski, Justin Forney, Gary Huntington, Bryan Matusic, Matt Postlethwait, Greg Troxell, Justin Wert
<b>1995 (4)</b>
Tony Bobulinski, Greg Fendler, Matt Postlethwait, Brian Romesburg
<b>1996 (3)</b>
Brian Romesburg, Biff Walizer, Justin Wert
<b>1997 (8)</b>
Matt Calabretta, Jeremy Hunter, Eddie Jayne, Clint Musser, Glenn Pritzlaff, Brian Romesburg, Ryan Root, Biff Walizer
<b>1998 (8)</b>
Andrew Butville, Matt Calabretta, James Graff, Eddie Jayne, Clint Musser, Glenn Pritzlaff, Andrew Stolbach, Biff Walizer
<b>1999 (7)</b>
Andrew Butville, Brett Calabretta, Matt Calabretta, Jeff Knupp, Jason Kruk, Glenn Pritzlaff, Biff Walizer
<b>2000 (6)</b>
Jeff Knupp, Jason Kruk, Jonathan Long, David Martini, Pete Mielnik, Brent Narkiewicz
<b>2001 (7)</b>
Mark Becks, Dave Heckard, Jeff Knupp, Pete Mielnik, Josh Moore, Scott Moore, Brent Narkiewicz
<b>2002 (11)</b>
Mark Becks, Todd Brennan, Pete Mielnik, Josh Moore, Scott Moore, Nate Pozniak, Adam Shepler, Dan Waters, Cliff Wonsettler, James Woodall, Jason Woodall
<b>2003 (9)</b>
Mark Becks, Josh Moore, Scott Moore, Nate Pozniak, Adam Shepler, Adam Smith, Dan Waters, Cliff Wonsettler, James Woodall
<b>2004 (5)</b>
Jeremy Hart, Josh Moore, Adrian Rivera, James Woodall, James Yonushonis
<b>2005 (4)</b>
Steve Troup, C.J. Wonsettler, James Woodall, James Yonushonis
<b>2006 (3)</b>
Jake Strayer, James Woodall, James Yonushonis
<b>2007 (4)</b>
Brian Cantalupi, Mark McKnight, Jake Strayer, James Yonushonis
<b>2008 (1)</b>
Jake Strayer
<b>2009 (4)</b>
Nathan Andrews, Clay Steadman, Jake Strayer, Cameron Wade
<b>2010 (7)</b>
James English, Nick Fischer, Brendan Herlihy, Adam Lynch, Clay Steadman, Cameron Wade, Quentin Wright
<b>2011 (6)</b>
James English, Nick Fischer, Adam Lynch, David Taylor, Cameron Wade, Quentin Wright
<b>2012 (11)</b>
Andrew Church, James English, Nick Fischer, Cameron Kelly, Frank Molinaro, Kyle Moran, Nate Morgan, Clay Steadman, David Taylor, Cameron Wade, Quentin Wright
<b>2013 (15)</b>
Matt Brown, Andrew Church, Dylan Dailey, James English, Nick Fischer, James Frascella, Luke Frey, Cameron Kelly, Rex Lutz, Nico Megaludis, Kyle Moran, Nate Morgan, Derek Reber, David Taylor, Quentin Wright
<b>2014 (5)</b>
Matt Brown, James English, Jon Gingrich, Nico Megaludis, David Taylor
<b>2015 (7)</b>
Matt Brown, Jordan Conaway, Luke Frey, Jon Gingrich, Garrett Hammond, Matt McCutcheon, Kade Moss

<b>2016 (14)</b>
George Carpenter, Jordan Conaway, Garrett Hammond, Caleb Livingston, Matt McCutcheon, Nico Megaludis, Geno Morelli, Kade Moss, Nick Nevills, Jason Nolf, Zain Retherford, Scott Stossel, Devon Van Cura, Kenny Yanovich
<b>2017 (15)</b>
Francisco Bisono, Brian Brill, George Carpenter, Dom Giannangeli, Patrick Higgins, Caleb Livingston, Matt McCutcheon, Geno Morelli, Kade Moss, Jason Nolf, Zain Retherford, Scott Stossel, Kellan Stout, Devon Van Cura, Kenny Yanovich
<b>2018 (16)</b>
Francisco Bisono, George Carpenter, Anthony Cassar, Brian Friery, Dom Giannangeli, Patrick Higgins, Jan Johnson, Mason Lindenmuth, Matt McCutcheon, Alex Nicholas, Jason Nolf, Zain Retherford, Devin Schnupp, Scott Stossel, Devon Van Cura, Kenny Yanovich
<b>2019 (15)</b>
Brady Berge, Francisco Bisono, Joey Blumer, Anthony Cassar, Austin Clabaugh, Brian Friery, Dom Giannangeli, Patrick Higgins, Nick Lee, Mason Lindenmuth, Bo Nickal, Jason Nolf, Scott Obendorfer, Devin Schnupp, Scott Stossel

## OLYMPIC SPORTS FESTIVAL

Jim Martin	1985
Jim Abbott	1986
Ken Chertow	1986, 87 & 89
Greg Elinsky	1987 & 89
Greg Haladay	1987
John Bove	1990 (gold medal)
Dave Hart	1990
Troy Sunderland	1990 (gold medal)
Matt Hardy	1995

## TOUR DE MONDE

1990	(Austria and Czechoslovakia) John Bove, Dave Hart, Marc Padwe & Troy Sunderland (China and Mongolia)
1991	Adam Mariano, Shawn Nelson & Josh Robbins (Poland)
1997	Clint Musser & Rob Neidlinger

## NWCA EUROPEAN TOURS

1983	Carl DeStefanis
1984	Steve Sefter
1985	Chris Bevilacqua & Greg Elinsky
1986	Greg Elinsky
1987	Ken Chertow, Jim Martin & Andy Voit
1988	Jim Martin & Andy Voit
1989	Greg Haladay
1990	Jeff Prescott, Jason Suter & Tim Wittman
1991	Bob Truby
1992	Dave Hart & Troy Sunderland
1993	John Hughes
1998	Jeremy Hunter, Clint Musser, Glenn Pritzlaff & Ross Thatcher
2003	Pat Cummins & Josh Moore
2006	Phil Davis, James Yonushonis
2008	Cameron Wade, Frank Molinaro

## NWCA ALL-STAR CLASSIC

1968	Rich Lorenzo
1971	Dave Joyner & Andy Matter
1973	Bob Medina
1974	John Fritz & Jerry Villecco
1978	Mike DeAugustino
1982	John Hanrahan
1983	Scott Lynch
1985	Greg Elinsky
1986	Greg Elinsky
1987	Greg Elinsky & Dan Mayo
1988	Jim Martin & Dan Mayo
1989	Ken Chertow, Jim Martin & Andy Voit
1993	Dave Hart & Troy Sunderland
1994	Cary Kolat & Kerry McCoy
1995	Kerry McCoy
1996	Sanshiro Abe (dnc) & John Hughes (dnc)
1997	Kerry McCoy (dnc)
1999	Clint Musser
2000	Jeremy Hunter (dnc)
2003	Pat Cummins & Josh Moore
2004	Pat Cummins
2006	Phil Davis, James Yonushonis
2007	Phil Davis
2012	Dylan Alton, Nico Megaludis, David Taylor, Quentin Wright
2013	David Taylor, Matt Brown
2017	Mark Hall, Nick Nevills

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# ALL-TIME SERIES RECORDS

Opponent	Began	Won	Lost	Tied	Mtgs.
Alfred	1926	2	0	0	2
Appalachian State	2002	1	0	0	1
Arizona State	1989	4	3	1	8
Army	1922	32	4	2	38
Auburn	1980	1	0	0	1
Binghamton	2009	3	0	0	3
Bloomsburg	1976	16	5	1	22
Boise State	2009	0	1	0	1
Boston	2014	1	0	0	1
Brigham Young	1988	1	0	0	1
Brooklyn Tech	1925	1	0	0	1
Brown	1997	1	0	0	1
Bucknell	1945	3	0	0	3
Buffalo	1976	5	0	0	5
Cal Poly	1978	1	2	0	3
CSU Bakersfield	1997	3	0	0	3
Central Michigan	2005	0	1	0	1
Central Oklahoma	1994	2	0	0	2
Chattanooga	2008	1	0	0	1
Chicago	1930	5	0	0	5
Clarion	1976	26	4	1	31
Cleveland State	1979	13	1	0	14
Coast Guard	1946	1	0	0	1
Colgate	1944	5	0	0	5
Columbia	1911	4	0	0	4
Cornell	1909	55	12	3	70
Drexel	2003	1	0	0	1
Edinboro	1987	13	3	0	16
Florida	1977	2	1	0	3
Fresno State	1997	1	0	0	1
Harvard	1921	5	0	0	5
Hofstra	1996	5	2	0	7
Illinois	1956	9	9	0	18
Indiana	1913	20	0	1	21
Indiana State	1975	1	0	0	1
Iowa	1982	10	27	2	39
Iowa State	1921	10	14	1	25
Johns Hopkins	1934	1	0	0	1
Kent State	1970	8	0	0	8
Kentucky	1975	1	0	0	1
Lafayette	1914	6	0	0	6
Lehigh	1911	70	34	3	107
Lock Haven	1943	37	4	0	41
Maryland	1941	42	1	2	45
McGill	1913	1	0	0	1
Miami (Ohio)	1935	1	0	0	1
Michigan	1933	32	24	0	56
Michigan State	1974	22	9	0	31
Millersville	1982	3	0	0	3
Minnesota	1986	8	15	1	24
Missouri	1981	3	2	1	6
MIT	1916	2	0	0	2
Montclair State	1977	1	0	0	1
Muhlenburg	1944	2	0	0	2
Navy	1910	48	30	7	85
Nebraska	1939	9	7	1	17
North Carolina	1975	8	1	0	9
North Carolina State	1978	7	3	1	11
North Dakota State	2007	1	0	0	1
Northern Iowa	1986	4	0	0	4
Northwestern	1983	16	1	0	17
Ohio State	1956	21	12	0	33
Ohio University	1926	2	0	0	2
Oklahoma	1968	14	11	1	26
Oklahoma State	1982	8	13	1	22
Oregon	1993	1	0	0	1
Oregon State	1994	1	0	0	1

Opponent	Began	Won	Lost	Tied	Mtgs.
Pennsylvania	1910	21	3	0	24
Pittsburgh	1914	55	11	3	69
Pitt-Johnstown	2006	2	0	0	2
Princeton	1916	13	4	1	18
Purdue	1970	17	1	1	19
Rider	2003	6	0	0	6
Rutgers	1960	20	0	0	20
Springfield	1922	10	1	0	11
Stanford	2016	2	0	0	2
Syracuse	1923	49	7	2	58
Temple	1936	16	1	0	17
Tennessee	1981	1	0	0	1
Toronto	1913	1	0	0	1
Utah Valley	2012	1	0	0	1
Virginia	1923	8	0	0	8
Virginia Military (VMI)	2011	1	0	0	1
Virginia Tech	1962	7	0	0	7
Wartburg	1995	2	0	0	2
Washington & Jefferson	1934	1	0	0	1
West Chester	1975	4	0	0	4
West Virginia	1931	29	7	0	36
Western Reserve	1929	1	0	0	1
Wilkes	1978	5	2	0	7
William & Mary	1990	2	0	0	2
Wisconsin	1984	16	8	0	24
Yale	1911	4	0	0	4
York (Pa.)	2006	1	0	0	1

## NCAA CHAMPIONS (9):

1953, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

## BIG TEN CHAMPIONS (6):

2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2019

## BIG TEN REGULAR SEASON CHAMPIONS (6):

2012, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

## INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONS:

1921 (Declared champs after beating Indiana & Iowa State in dual meets)

## NATIONAL DUAL TEAM CHAMPIONS:

1987 (Co-), 1991, 1993, 2016, 2017

## EIWA CHAMPIONS:

1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1924, 1925, 1936, 1937, 1942, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1957, 1960 (tie), 1971, 1973.

## EASTERN WRESTLING LEAGUE CHAMPIONS:

1976, 1977, 1978, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992.



# YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORDS

YEAR	W	L	T	NCAA (pts)	COACH	CAPTAIN(S)	1979	2	11	0	Lorenzo	Jim Earl	
1909	0	1	0		Lewis	---	1980	8	6	0	45 (2.75)	Lorenzo	Geoff Broadhead, Dan Pfautz
1910	1	1	0		Lewis	Edward Brown	1981	11	6	1	6 (31.75)	Lorenzo	Bob Bury, Bernie Fritz
1911	4	0	0		Lewis	S.H. Diehl	1982	12	3	0	14 (20.25)	Lorenzo	Bob Bury, John Hanrahan
1912	4	1	0		Lewis	F.T. Lesh	1983	13	2	1	7 (33.75)	Lorenzo	Bob Bury, Carl DeStefanis
1913	5	0	0		Lewis	J.H. Shollenberger	1984	16	2	0	3 (70.50)	Lorenzo	Carl DeStefanis
1914	5	0	0		Shollenberger	T.A. Jones	1985	10	6	0	7 (46.75)	Lorenzo	Steve Sefter, Eric Brugel
1915	4	1	0		Lewis	L.L. Lamb	1986	14	2	1	5 (47.25)	Lorenzo	Chris Bevilacqua, Eric Brugel, Greg Elinsky
1916	5	1	0		Lewis	H.M. Long	1987	18	1	1	3 (97.75)	Lorenzo	Greg Elinsky, Tim Flynn
1917	6	0	0		Lewis	M.M. Long	1988	14	5	2	5 (71.50)	Lorenzo	Ken Chertow, Jim Martin, Dan Mayo
1918	4	0	0		Yerger	M.M. Long	1989	20	2	1	10 (39.75)	Lorenzo	Ken Chertow, Jim Martin, Andy Voit
1919	2	2	0		Yerger	I.W. Brown	1990	15	8	0	6 (57.50)	Lorenzo	Mike Bevilacqua, Greg Haladay
1920	5	1	0		Lewis	R.D. Mills	1991	17	6	1	3 (67.50)	Lorenzo	Jeff Prescott, Jason Suter, Tim Wittman
1921	6	1	0		Lewis	D.D. Detar	1992	18	4	1	3 (89.25)	Lorenzo	Jeff Prescott, Tim Wittman Troy Sunderland,
1922	5	1	0		Detar	F.L. Watson	1993	22	0	1	2 (87.50)	Fritz	Dave Hart, Matt White Troy Sunderland
1923	4	3	0		Detar	B.D. Evans	1994	15	6	0	3 (57.0)	Fritz	Shawn Nelson
1924	5	0	1		Detar	Katsutoshi Naito	1995	5	12	0	5 (60.50)	Fritz	Tony Bobulinski Kerry McCoy
1925	7	0	0		Leonard	L.A. Cary	1996	11	8	1	4 (65.0)	Fritz	Sanshiro Abe, John Hughes
1926	6	1	0		Leonard	W.C. Liggett	1997	16	4	0	10 (40.0)	Fritz	Kerry McCoy, Frank Morici
1927	5	2	0		Speidel	F.W. Kaiser	1998	18	3	0	4 (70.50)	Fritz	Rob Neidlinger Glenn Pritzlaff
1928	5	2	0		Speidel	W.S. Liggett	1999	12	5	0	T4 (78.5)	Sunderland	Clint Musser Glenn Pritzlaff
1929	6	0	0		Speidel	E.T. Wilson	2000	6	11	0	T16 (32)	Sunderland	Jeremy Hunter
1930	5	1	0		Speidel	H.A. Hubler	2001	7	13	0	T25 (15.5)	Sunderland	Mark Janus, Ross Thatcher Jeff Knupp
1931	5	1	0		Speidel	E.L. Pearce	2002	6	12	0	35 (13.0)	Sunderland	Andrew Butville Mark Becks
1932	4	1	1		Speidel	R.S. Maize	2003	11	8	0	6th (62.0)	Sunderland	Pete Mielnik, Doc Vecchio Ryan Cummins
1933	5	0	0		Speidel	C.F. Lorenzo	2004	14	5	0	12th (46.5)	Sunderland	Mark Becks, Doc Vecchio Pat Cummins
1934	4	1	1		Speidel	Harold Rosenberg	2005	10	10	0	23rd (26.0)	Sunderland	Josh Moore, Marat Tomaev Eric Bradley,
1935	6	0	0	5T (8)	Speidel	H.K. Johnston	2006	13	4	0	9th (53.5)	Sunderland	Adam Smith, Josh Walker James Woodall
1936	6	1	0		Speidel	J.H. Light	2007	14	5	0	11th (54.0)	Sunderland	Eric Bradley, James Woodall
1937	6	1	0		Speidel	J.S. O'Dowd	2008	14	5	0	3rd (75.0)	Sunderland	Aaron Anspach, Phil Davis
1938	4	2	1		Speidel	R.P. Shaffer	2009	8	12	2	17th (31.0)	Sunderland	James Yonushonis Phil Davis
1939	5	2	1	8 (5)	Speidel	Don Bachman	2010	13	6	1	9th (49.0)	Sanderson	Tim Haas, Jake Strayer Tim Haas,
1940	5	2	1		Speidel	Ernest Bortz	2011	17	1	1	1st (107.5)	Sanderson	Jake Strayer, Bubba Jenkins Dan Vallimont
1941	7	1	0	13T (3)	Speidel	Frank Gleason	2012	13	1	0	1st (143.0)	Sanderson	Cyler Sanderson
1942	7	1	0	3 (10)	Speidel	Glen Alexander	2013	13	1	0	1st (123.5)	Sanderson	Dan Vallimont, David Erwin
1943	4	2	1		Campbell	Samuel Harry, Charles Ridenour	2014	15	1	0	1st (109.5)	Sanderson	---
1944	3	2	0		Campbell	---	2015	11	4	0	6th (67.5)	Sanderson	---
1945	3	2	0		Campbell	---	2016	16	0	0	1st (123.0)	Sanderson	---
1946	2	3	0	9T (2)	Campbell	Samuel Harry	2017	14	0	0	1st (146.5)	Sanderson	---
1947	3	4	0		Speidel	Grant Dixon	2018	14	0	0	1st (141.5)	Sanderson	---
1948	2	3	2	16T (2)	Speidel	Ernest Closser	2019	14	0	0	1st (137.5)	Sanderson	---
1949	5	2	0	12T (2)	Speidel	George Schautz	Total	939	301	37	(74.9%)		
1950	7	1	0	9 (5)	Speidel	James Maurey							
1951	8	0	0	3 (15)	Speidel	Homer Barr							
1952	9	0	0	5 (8)	Speidel	Don Maurey							
1953	9	0	0	1 (21)	Speidel	Donald Frey, Joseph Lemyre							
1954	6	2	0	3 (13)	Speidel	Gerald Maurey, Richard Lemyre							
1955	5	2	0	2 (31)	Speidel	Robert Homan							
1956	7	1	0	5 (27)	Speidel	Joe Krufka, Bill Oberly							
1957	6	2	1	5 (33)	Speidel	Dave Adams, Sid Nodland							
1958	2	4	2	14T (8)	Speidel	John Johnston							
1959	5	3	0	25T (4)	Speidel	Match Captains							
1960	9	0	1	7 (20)	Speidel	Sam Minor							
1961	6	4	0	7 (20)	Speidel	Jerry Seckler, Johnston Oberly							
1962	6	3	1	16T (11)	Speidel	Ron Pifer, Phil Myer							
1963	5	4	0	18T (12)	Speidel	George Edwards							
1964	6	3	1	8 (19)	Speidel	George Edwards							
1965	6	4	1	13T (12)	Koll	Steve Erber, Marty Strayer							
1966	7	2	0	23T (6)	Koll	Jerry Seaman, Ellery Seitz							
1967	8	0	1	22 (12)	Koll	Jerry Seaman							
1968	7	3	0	12 (23)	Koll	Rich Lorenzo							
1969	6	2	2	20T (13)	Koll	Bob Funk							
1970	11	0	0	19T (12)	Koll	Bruce Balmat							
1971	10	0	1	4T (43)	Koll	Clyde Frantz							
1972	12	0	0	8 (26.5)	Koll	Andy Matter							
1973	11	1	0	10T (24.5)	Koll	Al Snellman, Barry Snyder							
1974	10	0	1	7 (43)	Koll	Bob Medina, Dave Joyner							
1975	7	4	1	10 (23.25)	Koll	John Fritz							
1976	10	2	0	10 (33)	Koll	Jerry Villecco							
1977	10	1	0	18 (18)	Koll	Jerry White							
1978	13	2	0	15 (19.25)	Koll	Dave Becker, Bill Vollrath							

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1909 (0-1)	Cornell	L	Brooklyn	22-3	W	Feb. 20	Syracuse	26.5-1.5	W	1948 (2-3-2)	Princeton	13-14	L		
1910 (1-1)	U. of P.	7-0	EIWA	1st		Feb. 27	Lehigh	20-8	W	Jan. 10	Army	14-14	T		
	Navy	2.5-4.5	Alfred	26-5	W	Mar. 6	Cornell	25-3	W	Jan. 24	Temple	32-0	W		
1911 (4-0)	Lehigh	5-2	Penn	19-6	W	Mar. 12-13	EIWA	1st		Feb. 7	Syracuse	14-14	T		
	Yale	4-3	Syracuse	18-13	W	1938 (4-2-1)	Princeton	12-16	L	Feb. 14	Lehigh	10-26	L		
	Columbia	5-2	Cornell	9-14	L	Jan. 15	Michigan	6-22	L	Feb. 21	Navy	6-28	L		
	Cornell	4-3	Lafayette	24-3	W	Jan. 22	Cornell	25-5	W	Feb. 28	Cornell	18-6	W		
1912 (4-1)	Cornell	6-12	Ohio U.	12-10	W	Feb. 12	Syracuse	29-3	W	Mar. 12-13	EIWA	T-7th			
	Yale	6-1	EIWA	19-8	W	Feb. 19	Harvard	17-11	W		NCAA	T-16th			
	Lehigh	13-3	226-27 (5-2)	3rd		Feb. 21	Lehigh	14-14	T	1949 (5-2)	Princeton	19-9	W		
	Penn	6-1	Lafayette	26-3	W	Feb. 26	Navy	17-9	W	Jan. 8	Cornell	24-6	W		
	Penn	5-2	Iowa State	3-24	L	Mar. 5	EIWA	4th		Jan. 15	Army	24-6	W		
1913 (5-0)	McGill	4-2	Syracuse	22-5	W	Mar. 11-12				Jan. 29	Syracuse	13-16	L		
	Toronto	6-1	Harvard	15.5-9.5	W	1939 (5-2-1)	Nebraska	14-14	T	Feb. 12	Lehigh	11-14	L		
	Cornell	5-2	Navy	17.5-9.5	W	Jan. 14	Michigan	12-16	L	Feb. 19	Temple	36-0	W		
	Indiana	5-0	Cornell	9-12	L	Jan. 19	Princeton	17-11	W	Feb. 26	Navy	20-10	W		
	Lehigh	4.5-2.5	Penn	19-6	W	Jan. 21	Princeton	17-13	W	Mar. 11-12	EIWA	4th			
1914 (5-0)	Navy	5-2	EIWA	T-5th		Jan. 28	Army	17-13	W		NCAA	T-12th			
	Pitt	18-0	1928 (5-2)	Jan. 21	Alfred	20-3	W	Feb. 11	Cornell	27-3	W	1950 (7-1)	Virginia	26-5	W
	Lehigh	5-0-2	Feb. 4	Penn	18.5-4.5	W	Feb. 25	Navy	17-11	W	Jan. 7	Cornell	32-0	W	
	Indiana	5-0-2	Feb. 11	Lafayette	23-0	W	Mar. 4	Syracuse	22-8	W	Jan. 14	Lehigh	17-13	W	
	Lafayette	7-0	Feb. 18	Syracuse	17-6	W	Mar. 10-11	EIWA	2nd	Jan. 21	Pittsburgh	32-0	W		
1915 (4-1)	Navy	10-19	Mar. 3	Navy	8-19	L	Mar. 24-25	NCAA	8th	Jan. 28	Syracuse	8-18	L		
	Penn	20-11	Mar. 10	Cornell	17-8	W	1940 (5-2-1)	Cornell	19-9	W	Feb. 11	Army	29-5	W	
	Lehigh	19-11	Mar. 16-17	EIWA	8-17	L	Jan. 13	Chicago	26-0	W	Feb. 25	Navy	18-6	W	
	Columbia	25-6	1929 (6-0)	Feb. 2	Ohio U.	30-6	W	Jan. 20	Syracuse	22-6	W	Mar. 4	Princeton	17-9	W
	Pitt	34-0	Feb. 9	Syracuse	27-0	W	Jan. 27	Princeton	26-6	W	Mar. 10-11	EIWA	3rd		
1916 (5-1)	M.I.T.	27-2	Feb. 16	Lafayette	30-0	W	Feb. 3	Lehigh	12-12	T	Mar. 24-25	NCAA	9th		
	Navy	4-26	Feb. 23	Cornell	15-12	W	Feb. 10	Michigan	14-16	L	1951 (8-0)	Lehigh	22-6	W	
	Pitt	34-0	Mar. 2	Navy	19-6	W	Feb. 17	Army	20.5-9.5	W	Jan. 6	Virginia	28-8	W	
	Princeton	25-7	Mar. 9	Western Res.	39-0	W	Feb. 24	Navy	12-14	L	Jan. 13	Pittsburgh	21-9	W	
	Pitt	32-0	Mar. 15-16	EIWA	T-2nd		Mar. 3	EIWA	T-3rd	Feb. 3	Maryland	30-0	W		
	Lehigh	29-2	1930 (5-1)	Jan. 25	U. of Penn	28-8	W	1941 (7-1)	Maryland	29-3	W	Feb. 10	Army	15-11	W
1917 (6-0)	Mass. Tech	28-0	Jan. 31	Chicago	25-3	W	Feb. 4	Princeton	12-14	L	Feb. 17	Syracuse	17-9	W	
	Pitt	34-0	Feb. 15	Princeton	15-11	W	Feb. 8	Lehigh	18-6	W	Feb. 24	Navy	24-5	W	
	Lehigh	21-8	Feb. 22	Cornell	17-9	W	Feb. 15	Navy	17-11	W	Mar. 3	Cornell	20-6	W	
	Princeton	23-4	Mar. 1	Syracuse	25-3	W	Feb. 22	Cornell	18-6	W	Mar. 9-10	EIWA	1st		
	Cornell	21-9	Mar. 8	Navy	9-15	L	Feb. 27	Michigan	14-12	W	Mar. 23-24	NCAA	3rd		
	Navy	21-10	Mar. 14-15	E.I.W.A.	T-5th		Mar. 1	Army	27-3	W	1952 (9-0)	Lehigh	20-5	W	
1918 (4-0)	Cornell	24-8	1931 (5-1)	Jan. 31	West Virginia	27-5	W	Mar. 7-8	EIWA	5th	Jan. 5	Virginia	34-0	W	
	Navy	16-14	Jan. 31	Chicago	21-11	W	Mar. 21-22	NCAA	3rd	Jan. 11	Princeton	25-5	W		
	Lehigh	26-5	Feb. 6	Syracuse	19-11	W	1942 (7-1)	Michigan	13-19	L	Jan. 19	Pittsburgh	22-8	W	
	Cornell	25-5	Feb. 14	Princeton	17-15	W	Jan. 10	Syracuse	27-5	W	Feb. 2	Maryland	21-13	W	
	EIWA	1st	Feb. 21	Princeton	14-12	W	Jan. 14	Navy	16-14	W	Feb. 9	Army	22-8	W	
1919 (2-2)	Penn	24-4	Mar. 7	Navy	11-21	L	Jan. 17	Princeton	24-8	W	Feb. 16	Syracuse	17-11	W	
	Lehigh	13-19	Mar. 13-14	EIWA	7th		Feb. 7	Temple	33-3	W	Feb. 23	Navy	22-5	W	
	Navy	0-30	1932 (4-1-1)	Jan. 23	Chicago	24-8	W	Feb. 14	West Virginia	30-0	W	Mar. 1	Cornell	24-5	W
	Lehigh	19-14	Jan. 6	Syracuse	20-6	W	Mar. 13-14	EIWA	1st	Mar. 8	Princeton	27-3	W		
	EIWA	1st	Feb. 12	West Virginia	18.5-11.5	W	Mar. 27-28	NCAA	3rd	Mar. 14-15	EIWA	5th			
1920 (5-1)	Lehigh	27-4	Feb. 20	Princeton	18.5-11.5	W	1943 (4-2-1)	West Virginia	Cancelled	Jan. 10	Virginia	30-0	W		
	Cornell	24-8	Mar. 5	Navy	0-32	L	Jan. 9	Syracuse	30-0	W	Jan. 17	Lehigh	18-8	W	
	Penn	24-9	Mar. 27	Cornell	14-14	T	Jan. 16	Lock Haven T.C.	31-5	W	Feb. 7	Navy	27-3	W	
	Navy	14-18	Mar. 11-12	EIWA	5th		Jan. 23	Princeton	14-14	T	Feb. 11	Pennsylvania	28-0	W	
	Lehigh	26-5	1933 (5-0)	Feb. 4	West Virginia	18-6	W	Jan. 30	Princeton	14-14	W	Feb. 14	Syracuse	28-5	W
	Princeton	24-8	Feb. 10	Michigan	22-8	W	Feb. 13	Temple	38-0	W	Feb. 21	Cornell	18-10	W	
	EIWA	1st	Feb. 18	Lafayette	28-0	W	Feb. 20	Lehigh	5-29	L	Feb. 25	Maryland	18-11	W	
1921 (6-1)	Lehigh	28-4	Feb. 24	Cornell	15-9	W	Feb. 27	Cornell	19-9	W	Feb. 28	Pittsburgh	16-12	W	
	Harvard	33-0	Mar. 4	Syracuse	27-5	W	Mar. 12-13	EIWA	3rd	Mar. 7	Army	23-3	W		
	Cornell	19-6	Mar. 17-18	EIWA	3rd		1944 (3-2)	Colgate	29-5	W	Mar. 13-14	EIWA	1st		
	Penn	33-0	1934 (4-1-1)	Feb. 7	Columbia	15-13	W	Jan. 22	Cornell	16-12	W	Mar. 27-28	# at Penn State	1st	
	Navy	6-16	Feb. 10	Wash. & Jeff.	34-0	W	Jan. 29	Temple	Cancelled	Jan. 9	Cornell	20-6	W		
	Indiana	32-14	Feb. 17	Cornell	16-16	T	Feb. 5	Navy	0-32	L	Jan. 16	Lehigh	19-7	W	
	Iowa State	28-18	Feb. 24	Lehigh	9-19	L	Feb. 12	Muhlenberg	27-5	W	Jan. 30	Army	21-9	W	
	EIWA	1st	Mar. 3	Johns Hopkins	34-0	W	Feb. 19	Cornell	Cancelled	Feb. 10	Maryland	22-6	W		
1922 (5-1)	Lehigh	16-8	Mar. 10	Syracuse	23-3	W	Feb. 26	Lehigh	14-16	L	Feb. 13	Syracuse	24-6	W	
	Cornell	16-9	Mar. 16-17	EIWA	2nd		Mar. 10-11	EIWA	6th	Feb. 20	Navy	9-19	L		
	Army	14-11	1935 (6-0)	Jan. 26	Miami	27-3	W	1945 (3-2)	Bucknell	17-11	W	Feb. 27	Pittsburgh	8-22	L
	Indiana	15-14	Jan. 26	Columbia	20-10	W	Jan. 13	Cornell	14-12	W	Mar. 3	Pennsylvania	28-0	W	
	Navy	5-20	Feb. 9	Cornell	22.5-9.5	W	Jan. 20	Army	12-16	L	Mar. 12-13	EIWA	2nd		
	Springfield	17-6	Feb. 16	Lehigh	20-6	W	Jan. 27	Navy	0-36	L	Mar. 26-27	NCAA	3rd		
	EIWA	2nd	Feb. 23	Syracuse	21-11	W	Feb. 3	EIWA	Fifth	Feb. 12	Syracuse	22-8	W		
1923 (4-3)	Virginia	33-0	Mar. 2	Navy	29-3	W	Feb. 17	Lehigh	19-9	W	Feb. 19	Army	28-8	W	
	Penn	26-0	Mar. 15-16	* EIWA	2nd		1946 (2-3)	Navy	13-23	L	Feb. 26	Lehigh	15-13	W	
	Navy	11-16	Mar. 22-23	NCAA	T-5th		Jan. 12	Coast Guard	23-3	W	Mar. 5	Pittsburgh	8-19	L	
	Lehigh	14-8	1936 (6-1)	Jan. 18	Michigan	19-11	W	Jan. 19	Lehigh	15-18	L	Mar. 11-12	EIWA	2nd	
	Cornell	6-12	Jan. 18	Temple	30-0	W	Feb. 2	Cornell	21-11	W	Mar. 25-26	NCAA	2nd		
	Syracuse	24-0	Jan. 25	Pittsburgh	36-0	W	Feb. 8-9	* EIWA	4th	1956 (7-1)	Cornell	20-6	W		
	Iowa State	6-15	Feb. 8	Lehigh	9-17	L	Feb. 16	Army	11-21	L	Jan. 7	Lehigh	17-13	W	
	EIWA	2nd	Feb. 15	Pittsburgh	36-0	W	1947 (3-4)	Princeton	14-12	W	Jan. 14	Ohio State	34-0	W	
1924 (5-0-1)	Syracuse	27-0	Feb. 22	Navy	24-6	W	Jan. 18	Lehigh	5-24	L	Feb. 11	Syracuse	25-5	W	
	Springfield	29-0	Feb. 29	Syracuse	22-6	W	Jan. 25	Temple	31-3	W	Feb. 17	Illinois	23-3	W	
	Navy	3-3	Mar. 7	Cornell	30-0	W	Feb. 1	Syracuse	9-17	L	Feb. 25	Maryland	25-3	W	
	Lehigh	12-6	1937 (6-1)	Jan. 16	Princeton	13-15	L	Feb. 8	Cornell	9-21	L	Mar. 3	Pittsburgh	12-16	L
	Cornell	15-6	Jan. 16	Chicago	20-6	W	Mar. 1	Navy	15-13	W	Mar. 9-10	EIWA	2nd		
	Penn	27-0	Jan. 23	Navy	30-0	W	Mar. 14-15	EIWA	5th	Mar. 23-24	NCAA	5th			
	EIWA	2nd	Feb. 13	Pittsburgh	34-0	W	1957 (6-2-1)	Colgate	23-8	W	Dec. 15	Illinois	14-12	W	
1925 (7-0)	Muhlenburg	33-0	1958 (7-1)	Jan. 12	Lehigh	13-16	L	1959 (6-2-1)	Colgate	23-8	W	Jan. 5	Illinois	14-12	W
	Penn	29-0	1960 (7-1)	Jan. 12	Lehigh	13-16	L	1961 (6-2-1)	Colgate	23-8	W	Jan. 12	Lehigh	14-16	L
	Cornell	20-5	1962 (7-1)	Jan. 12	Lehigh	13-16	L	1963 (6-2-1)	Colgate	23-8	W	Jan. 12	Lehigh	14-16	L
	Lehigh	16-11	1964 (7												



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# ALL-TIME RESULTS

Jan. 27 at Maryland 27-14 W  
 Feb. 2 at Michigan 13-20 L  
 Feb. 3 at Cleveland State 32-6 W  
 Feb. 9 at Pittsburgh 35-9 W  
 Feb. 10 at West Virginia 24-20 W  
 Feb. 16 Lock Haven 24-10 W  
 Feb. 22 at Bloomsburg 27-19 W  
 EWL 1st  
 NCAA 7th

1985-86 (14-2-1)  
 Nov. 29 Oklahoma State 23-19 W  
 Dec. 5 Syracuse 34-12 W  
 Jan. 4 Minnesota\* 21-17 W  
 Northern Iowa\* 21-12 W  
 Iowa State\* 8-29 L  
 at Iowa 5-35 L  
 Jan. 8 Oklahoma 24-14 W  
 Jan. 14 at Clarion 21-21 T  
 Jan. 18 at Lehigh 27-15 W  
 Jan. 25 Navy 27-15 W  
 Jan. 26 Maryland 26-12 W  
 Feb. 2 Cleveland State 30-6 W  
 Feb. 8 Michigan 32-12 W  
 Feb. 8 Pittsburgh 34-5 W  
 Feb. 9 West Virginia 32-9 W  
 Feb. 15 at Lock Haven 33-2 W  
 Feb. 22 at Bloomsburg 24-16 W  
 EWL 1st  
 NCAA 5th  
 \* Cyclone Classic at Iowa St.

1986-87 (18-1-1)  
 Dec. 3 Iowa 27-15 W  
 Dec. 12 at Syracuse 28-12 W  
 Jan. 5 at Oklahoma 30-8 W  
 Jan. 9-10 Minnesota\* 23-14 W  
 Northern Iowa\* 28-12 W  
 Bloomsburg\* 21-15 W  
 Oklahoma State\* 18-18 T  
 Jan. 13 Clarion 31-11 W  
 Jan. 17 Lehigh 35-11 W  
 Jan. 24 at Navy 25-13 W  
 Jan. 25 at Maryland 37-12 W  
 Jan. 25 N. C. State# 35-8 W  
 Jan. 31 at Michigan 36-6 W  
 Feb. 1 at Cleveland State 30-8 W  
 Feb. 6 Iowa State 19-15 W  
 Feb. 8 at Oklahoma State 16-19 L  
 Feb. 14 Pittsburgh\*\* 32-17 W  
 Feb. 15 at West Virginia 31-13 W  
 Feb. 21 Lock Haven 21-13 W  
 Feb. 27 Bloomsburg 35-5 W  
 EWL 1st  
 NCAA 3rd  
 \*Virginia Duals  
 # at Maryland  
 \*\* at Peters Township H.S.

1987-88 (14-5-2)  
 Dec. 1 Virginia\* 39-0 W  
 Dec. 1 Edinboro\* 19-14 W  
 Jan. 5 Oklahoma 20-20 T  
 Jan. 8-9 Brigham Young# 35-3 W  
 Oklahoma# 15-24 L  
 North Carolina# 23-16 W  
 N.C. State# 17-20 L  
 Wisconsin# 11-20 L  
 Jan. 16 Lehigh 25-16 W  
 Jan. 23 Navy 21-17 W  
 Jan. 24 N. C. State 17-21 L  
 Maryland 22-14 W  
 Jan. 31 Cleveland State 32-11 W  
 Feb. 7 Iowa 19-18 W  
 Feb. 7 Iowa State 13-19 L  
 Feb. 12 Clarion 29-8 W  
 Feb. 14 West Virginia 24-16 W  
 Pittsburgh 28-16 W  
 Feb. 19 Oklahoma State 21-20 W  
 Feb. 20 Lock Haven 21-18 W  
 Feb. 26 Bloomsburg 18-18 T  
 EWL 1st  
 NCAA 5th  
 \*Penn State Duals  
 #Virginia Duals

1988-89 (20-2-1)  
 Dec. 2 Iowa 18-16 W  
 Dec. 3 Syracuse\* 24-11 W  
 Virginia\* 37-6 W  
 Clarion\* 32-9 W  
 Dec. 10 Edinboro 25-19 W  
 Lehigh 22-13 W  
 Jan. 6-7 Army# 30-5 W  
 Minnesota# 27-11 W  
 Arizona State# 19-19 T  
 N.C. State# 25-10 W  
 Michigan# 22-11 W  
 Jan. 15 Cleveland State 22-13 W  
 Jan. 21 Navy 30-8 W  
 Jan. 22 N. C. State + 39-2 W  
 Maryland + 31-6 W  
 Jan. 28 Oklahoma 15-22 L  
 Jan. 29 Oklahoma State 16-18 L  
 Feb. 4 Iowa State 25-10 W  
 Feb. 8 Clarion 27-14 W  
 Feb. 11 Pittsburgh 25-18 W  
 Feb. 12 West Virginia 24-9 W

Feb. 18 Lock Haven 20-19 W  
 Feb. 24 Bloomsburg 30-8 W  
 EWL 1st  
 NCAA 10th  
 \*Penn State Duals  
 +at Maryland  
 # Virginia Duals

1989-90 (15-8)  
 Nov. 24 Oklahoma State 11-26 L  
 Dec. 3 Syracuse\* 41-5 W  
 William and Mary\* 29-11 W  
 Clarion\* 23-18 W  
 Dec. 10 Edinboro 22-16 W  
 Jan. 9 Oklahoma Cancelled  
 Jan. 12-13 North Carolina# 29-10 W  
 Arizona State# 12-25 L  
 N. C. State# 30-10 W  
 Oklahoma# 26-17 W  
 Iowa# 5-22 L  
 Nebraska# 9-27 L  
 Jan. 20 Navy 28-9 W  
 Jan. 21 N. C. State 26-8 W  
 Jan. 21 Maryland 31-5 W  
 Jan. 28 Cleveland State 34-3 W  
 Feb. 3 Iowa 3-33 L  
 Feb. 4 Iowa State 12-21 L  
 Feb. 11 Pittsburgh 31-11 W  
 Feb. 11 West Virginia 13-20 L  
 Feb. 16 Lock Haven 27-9 W  
 Feb. 17 Lehigh 30-9 W  
 Feb. 23 Bloomsburg 14-23 L  
 Feb. 25 Clarion 22-15 W  
 EWL 1st  
 NCAA 6th  
 \*Penn State Duals  
 #Virginia Duals

1990-91 (17-6-1)  
 Nov. 30 Iowa 32-6 L  
 Dec. 1 William & Mary\* 31-8 W  
 Army\* 18-12 W  
 Clarion\* 30-12 W  
 Dec. 9 Edinboro 24-13 W  
 Jan. 5 at Cleveland State 37-7 W  
 Jan. 8 Oklahoma 23-17 W  
 Jan. 11 Northwestern# 43-3 W  
 Arizona State# 25-11 W  
 Jan. 12 Iowa# 19-19 T  
 Oklahoma State# 21-18 W  
 Jan. 19 at Navy 25-12 W  
 Jan. 20 N. C. State+ 25-11 W  
 at Maryland+ 33-7 W  
 Jan. 26 at Oklahoma State 13-21 L  
 Jan. 27 at Oklahoma 25-13 W  
 Jan. 27 Arizona State @ 20-21 L  
 Feb. 2 Iowa State 11-26 L  
 Feb. 9 at Pittsburgh 22-21 W  
 Feb. 10 at West Virginia 17-23 L  
 Feb. 15 Lock Haven 19-17 W  
 Feb. 16 Lehigh 27-10 W  
 Feb. 19 Clarion 25-14 W  
 Feb. 22 Bloomsburg 15-18 L  
 EWL 1st  
 NCAA 3rd  
 \*Penn State Duals  
 #Virginia Duals  
 +at Maryland  
 @ at Norman, Okla.

1991-92 (18-4-1)  
 Nov. 30 Army\* 25-15 W  
 North Carolina\* 26-14 W  
 N. C. State\* 23-23 T  
 Dec. 7 at Cleveland State 38-5 W  
 at Clarion 22-12 W  
 Jan. 4 at Edinboro 32-13 W  
 Jan. 5 at Ohio State 24-17 W  
 Jan. 7 Oklahoma 36-3 W  
 Jan. 18 Navy 34-3 W  
 Maryland 45-0 W  
 Jan. 26 West Virginia 28-12 W  
 Pittsburgh 26-13 W  
 at Iowa State 24-15 W  
 Feb. 1 at Iowa 11-30 L  
 Feb. 8 Minnesota# 38-0 W  
 at Michigan# 18-17 W  
 Feb. 9 Iowa State# 14-20 L  
 Wisconsin# 23-14 W  
 Ohio State# 20-23 L  
 Feb. 14 at Lock Haven 22-15 W  
 Feb. 16 at Lehigh 33-6 W  
 Feb. 21 at Bloomsburg 34-7 W  
 Feb. 23 Oklahoma State 16-17 L  
 EWL 1st  
 NCAA 3rd  
 \*Penn State Duals  
 # National Team Champ.

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1992-93 (22-0-1)  
 Nov. 14 at Navy 22-9 W  
 Dec. 4 Iowa 18-18 T  
 Dec. 4 Purdue\* 26-13 W  
 Dec. 6 Cornell\* 28-11 W  
 Army 21-18 W  
 Ohio State 30-6 W  
 Jan. 3 Wisconsin 27-10 W  
 Jan. 16 at Michigan State 31-9 W  
 at Michigan 25-9 W  
 Jan. 23 Missouri# 33-12 W  
 Ohio State@ 17-16 W  
 Arizona State@ 20-15 W  
 Jan. 24 Nebraska@ 20-13 W  
 Jan. 30 at Oklahoma State 38-7 W  
 Jan. 31 at Oklahoma 30-9 W  
 Oregon# 35-12 W  
 Feb. 6 Iowa State 23-12 W  
 Feb. 10 Bloomsburg 39-0 W  
 Feb. 13 Lock Haven 31-6 W  
 Feb. 13 Lehigh 39-0 W  
 Feb. 20 at West Virginia 25-16 W  
 Pittsburgh\* 27-6 W  
 Feb. 21 at Clarion 27-16 W  
 Big Ten 2nd  
 NCAA 2nd  
 \*Penn State Duals  
 @ National Team Champ.  
 #at Norman, Okla.  
 \*\*at Connelville, Pa.

1993-94 (15-6)  
 Nov. 14 Navy 15-17 L  
 Nov. 26 Oklahoma State 15-23 L  
 Jan. 2 N. C. State 34-10 W  
 Jan. 7 at Iowa 15-29 L  
 Jan. 8 at Wisconsin 18-10 W  
 Jan. 15 Michigan State 31-12 W  
 Michigan 29-15 W  
 Jan. 22 C. Oklahoma\* 30-12 W  
 Oregon State\* 20-16 W  
 Iowa# 15-24 L  
 Jan. 23 Nebraska\* 24-14 W  
 North Carolina\* 23-16 W  
 Jan. 30 Purdue# 30-13 W  
 at Ohio State 12-22 L  
 Feb. 4 North Carolina@ 19-18 W  
 Feb. 5 at Lehigh 22-19 W  
 Feb. 11 at Lock Haven 19-18 W  
 Feb. 12 Oklahoma 31-15 W  
 Feb. 20 Minnesota 19-17 W  
 West Virginia 16-22 L  
 Pittsburgh 25-12 W  
 Big Ten 3rd  
 NCAA 3rd  
 \* National Team Champ.  
 # at Ohio State  
 @ at Hersheypark Arena

1994-95 (5-12)  
 Dec. 2 Iowa 6-33 L  
 Dec. 9 Wisconsin# 19-12 W  
 Dec. 14 Ohio State 17-15 W  
 Jan. 15 at Michigan State 13-21 L  
 at Michigan 15-17 L  
 Jan. 21 Wartburg\* 26-6 W  
 Nebraska\* 16-21 L  
 C. Oklahoma\* 26-12 W  
 Pittsburgh\* 23-10 W  
 Jan. 22 Michigan State\* 12-24 L  
 Iowa State\* 15-22 L  
 Feb. 3 at Oklahoma 17-19 L  
 Feb. 4 at Oklahoma State 12-26 L  
 Feb. 9 Lock Haven 14-20 L  
 Feb. 11 Lehigh 14-17 L  
 Feb. 18 at West Virginia 14-18 L  
 Feb. 18 at Pittsburgh# 11-21 L  
 Big Ten 6th  
 NCAA 5th  
 #at Pottsville  
 \*National Team Champ.  
 #\*at Chartiers Valley HS

1995-96 (11-8-1)  
 Dec. 1 Cornell 27-12 W  
 Dec. 8 at Purdue 23-14 W  
 Dec. 9 at Northwestern 14-19 L  
 Jan. 4 Michigan 22-14 W  
 Jan. 8 Oklahoma 28-11 W  
 Jan. 13 Michigan State 23-14 W  
 Jan. 20-21 North Carolina\* 26-12 W  
 Iowa State\* 19-19 T  
 Nebraska\* 10-25 L  
 Michigan State\* 15-16 L  
 Iowa State\* 19-13 W  
 Feb. 3 at Iowa 6-28 L  
 Feb. 4 at Iowa State 12-19 L  
 Feb. 10 at Ohio State 11-20 L  
 Feb. 16 Oklahoma State 7-26 L  
 Feb. 17 Pittsburgh 16-15 W  
 Feb. 17 at Lock Haven 9-22 L  
 Feb. 24 Clarion 23-19 W  
 Feb. 24 West Virginia 20-16 W  
 Feb. 25 at Lehigh 37-6 W  
 Big Ten 2nd  
 NCAA 4th  
 \* National Team Champ.

1996-97 (16-4)  
 Dec. 6 Iowa (BJC) 15-22 L  
 Dec. 15 at Hofstra 46-3 W  
 Jan. 3 at Fresno State 19-13 W  
 Jan. 4 at Cal State Bkrsfld 21-12 W  
 Jan. 12 at Michigan State 19-18 W  
 at Michigan 23-13 W  
 Jan. 18-19 Oklahoma\* 30-9 W  
 Minnesota\* 10-21 L  
 Pennsylvania\* 28-6 W  
 Nebraska\* 22-10 W  
 Iowa State\* 30-6 W  
 Minnesota\* 15-19 L  
 Jan. 31 Pittsburgh 28-9 W  
 Feb. 1 Indiana 37-6 W  
 Feb. 8 at Wisconsin 31-10 W  
 Feb. 9 at Minnesota 7-28 L  
 Feb. 14 Ohio State 25-16 W  
 Feb. 15 at Clarion 31-11 W  
 Feb. 21 Lock Haven 20-16 W  
 Feb. 22 Lehigh 24-10 W  
 Big Ten 4th  
 NCAA 10th  
 \* National Team Champ.

1997-98 (18-3)  
 Nov. 19 Edinboro 24-15 W  
 Nov. 22 Black & Decker Duals vs. Brown 27-13 W  
 vs. Hofstra 24-16 W  
 vs. Cornell 20-14 L  
 Dec. 13 Wisconsin 28-14 W  
 Jan. 2 at Northern Iowa 34-9 W  
 Jan. 3 at Iowa 25-17 W  
 Jan. 9 Michigan 23-12 W  
 Jan. 10 Michigan State 27-14 W  
 Jan. 17-18 vs Pittsburgh\* 24-15 W  
 vs Iowa State\* 20-14 W  
 vs Iowa\* 23-9 L  
 vs W. Virginia\* 25-13 W  
 vs Michigan St.\* 26-10 W  
 Jan. 30 at West Virginia 18-13 L  
 Feb. 6 Minnesota (BJC) 21-13 W  
 Feb. 8 Clarion 36-3 W  
 Feb. 13 at Ohio State 20-12 W  
 Feb. 14 at Pittsburgh 16-15 W  
 Feb. 20 at Lehigh 25-12 W  
 Feb. 21 at Lock Haven 27-10 W  
 Big Ten# 2nd  
 NCAA 4th  
 \* National Team Champ.  
 # at Penn State

1998-99 (12-5)  
 Dec. 5 Nebraska (BJC) 22-12 W  
 Dec. 11 at Clarion 22-17 W  
 Dec. 12 at Edinboro 26-9 W  
 Jan. 5 Pittsburgh 21-13 W  
 Lehigh 27-17 W  
 Jan. 16-17 Arizona State\* 23-13 L  
 Northwestern\* 20-13 W  
 Oklahoma\* 22-12 L  
 Jan. 23 Ohio State 23-12 W  
 Jan. 24 Iowa 30-9 L  
 Jan. 31 Purdue 24-14 W  
 Feb. 6 Indiana 20-19 W  
 Lock Haven 28-12 W  
 Feb. 12 at Illinois 20-14 L  
 Feb. 14 at Northwestern 21-20 W  
 Feb. 19 at Michigan 20-19 L  
 Feb. 21 at Michigan State 25-14 W  
 Big Ten 3rd  
 NCAA# T-4th  
 \* National Team Champ.  
 # at Penn State

1999-2000 (6-11)  
 Nov. 21 at Lehigh 19-16 L  
 Dec. 4 Edinboro 19-14 L  
 Dec. 11 at Pennsylvania 22-16 L  
 Dec. 12 at Navy 20-13 W  
 Jan. 7 at Oklahoma State 32-7 L  
 Jan. 14 Minnesota 29-9 L  
 Jan. 16 Michigan State 27-7 L  
 Jan. 22-23 Iowa State\* 27-9 L  
 Wartburg\* 40-(-1) W  
 Cornell\* 19-14 L  
 Jan. 28 at Iowa 22-9 L  
 Feb. 4 at Indiana 28-9 W  
 Feb. 5 at Purdue 19-13 W  
 Feb. 11 at Ohio State 19-16 W  
 Feb. 13 Wisconsin 19-17 L  
 Feb. 18 at Lock Haven 21-18 W  
 Michigan 20-17 L  
 Big Ten 8th  
 NCAA T-16th  
 \* National Dual Team Champion  
 ships, State College, Pa.

2000-01 (7-13)  
 Dec. 10 Clarion 37-6 W  
 Dec. 10 Navy 28-9 W  
 Jan. 6 at Pittsburgh 8-15 L  
 Jan. 6 at West Virginia 22-10 L  
 Jan. 14 Lehigh 18-17 W  
 Jan. 20-21 Nebraska\* 21-13 L  
 Hofstra\* 20-12 W  
 Arizona State\* 19-16 W  
 Oklahoma\* 33-3 L  
 Lehigh\* 28-6 L  
 Jan. 26 Ohio State 24-9 L

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Jan. 28	Illinois	32-3	L
Jan. 31	Penn	22-16	W
Jan. 31	Lock Haven	24-9	L
Feb. 2	Northwestern	22-12	W
Feb. 4	Iowa	33-10	L
Feb. 9	at Wisconsin	19-18	L
Feb. 11	at Minnesota	37-3	L
Feb. 16	at Michigan	27-12	L
Feb. 18	at Michigan State	23-12	L
	Big Ten	10th	
	NCAA	T-25th	
	* National Dual Team Championships, State College, Pa.		
2001-02 (6-12)			
Dec. 8	at Clarion	26-9	W
Dec. 9	at #14 Edinboro	20-16	L
Jan. 5	#20 PITTSBURGH	18-12	L
	#8 West Virginia	23-15	L
Jan. 6	at #10 Lehigh	32-6	L
Jan. 11-12	vs. Appalachian St.*	38-0	W
	vs. Army*	26-9	W
	vs. #9 Missouri*	19-16	L
	vs. #18 Wisconsin*	26-12	L
Jan. 27	INDIANA	26-9	W
Feb. 1	at Northwestern	25-15	W
Feb. 3	at #13 Illinois	25-10	L
Feb. 8	#5 MICHIGAN	33-6	L
Feb. 10	at #2 Iowa	24-11	L
Feb. 16	at #3 Ohio State	20-13	L
Feb. 17	#20 Michigan St.	17-16	W
Feb. 23	at #15 Lock Haven	24-14	L
Feb. 24	#14 Purdue (BJC)	21-17	L
	Big Ten	6th	
	NCAA	35th	
	* at Virginia Duals		
2002-03 (11-8)			
Dec. 15	EDINBORO	24-12	W
Jan. 5	#8 LEHIGH	24-13	W
Jan. 10-11	vs. CS Bakersfield*	43-3	W
	vs. Rider*	38-3	W
	vs. #11 Lehigh*	22-12	L
	vs. #18 Hofstra*	29-16	W
	vs. #4 Illinois*	19-12	L
Jan. 17	at Navy	32-3	W
Jan. 19	at Pennsylvania	22-14	L
	at Drexel	28-6	W
Jan. 24	at Indiana	37-4	W
Jan. 26	at #22 Purdue	21-15	W
Jan. 31	#3 MINNESOTA	19-15	L
Feb. 2	#20 WISCONSIN	27-9	W
Feb. 6	#4 OHIO STATE	18-18 (A)	L
Feb. 9	#2 IOWA	26-10	L
Feb. 15	at #8 Michigan	25-17	L
Feb. 16	at #10 Michigan St.	19-18	L
Feb. 19	LOCK HAVEN	41-3	W
	Big Ten	3rd	
	NCAA	6th	
	* at Virginia Duals		
2003-04 (14-5)			
Dec. 13	NAVY	41-3	W
Jan. 6	at #3 Lehigh	19-15	W
Jan. 9	at Pittsburgh	28-15	W
Jan. 10	at #12 West Virginia	24-13	W
Jan. 17-18	#19 Northern Iowa	31-9	W
	#20 Pennsylvania	25-15	W
	#5 Missouri	23-16	L
	#13 Oklahoma	20-14	W
	#8 Michigan	21-17	L
Jan. 23	#3 ILLINOIS	26-13	L
Jan. 25	at #22 Ohio State	20-14	W
Jan. 30	at #10 Iowa	23-11	L
Feb. 1	at #13 Wisconsin	24-15	W
Feb. 6	NORTHWESTERN	42-3	W
Feb. 8	#5 MICHIGAN	21-19	W
Feb. 8	at Lock Haven	26-11	W
Feb. 13	Michigan State	29-6	W
Feb. 15	#16 PENN	21-15	W
Feb. 20	at #9 Minnesota	28-12	L
	Big Ten	5th	
	NCAA	12th	
	* NWCA National Duals		
2004-05 (10-10)			
Nov. 14	*CLARION	41-3	W
	#2 LEHIGH	24-15	L
Dec. 9	at #19 Edinboro	33-8	W
Jan. 7	#6 LEHIGH	20-16	L
Jan. 9	#12 WEST VIRGINIA	34-12	W
	#25 PITTSBURGH	26-19	W
Jan. 14	at #4 Michigan	31-9	L
Jan. 15	at Michigan State	19-12	L
Jan. 22-23	+vs. #10 Oklahoma	27-13	L
	+vs. #22 West Virginia	24-14	W
	+vs. #11 Cornell	21-15	W
	+vs. #12 Cent. Michigan	25-15	L
	+vs. #4 Michigan	29-14	L
Jan. 28	#17 INDIANA	21-12	W
Jan. 30	PURDUE	32-7	W
Feb. 4	#10 IOWA	23-16	L
Feb. 8	LOCK HAVEN	34-13	W
Feb. 11	at #3 Illinois	26-6	L
Feb. 12	at #17 Northwestern	24-13	W
Feb. 18	OHIO STATE (BJC)	21-17	L
	Big Ten	7th	
	NCAA	23rd	
	*PA Dual Championships, State College, Pa. +NWCA National Duals		

2005-06 (13-4)			
Nov. 13	*PITT-JOHNSTOWN	31-10	W
	*YORK (Pa.)	47-7	W
	*#8 LEHIGH	18-17	W
Nov. 20	#15 WISCONSIN	19-15	L
Nov. 26	#3 MICHIGAN	23-15	L
Dec. 9	at #23 Navy	28-6	W
Dec. 10	at #25 Penn	25-6	W
Jan. 6	at #11 Lehigh	24-12	W
Jan. 8	#10 CORNELL	27-7	W
Jan. 11	at Lock Haven	33-7	W
Jan. 27	#18 MICHIGAN ST.	27-12	W
Jan. 29	#1 MINNESOTA	16-25	L
Feb. 3	at #7 Iowa	21-12	W
Feb. 5	at #8 Iowa State	20-18	L
Feb. 10	at #16 Indiana	27-8	W
Feb. 17	at Ohio State	39-7	W
Feb. 19	+vs. Purdue	32-8	W
	Big Ten	4th	
	NCAA	9th	
	*PA Dual Championships, State College, Pa. +Conseco Fieldhouse, Indianapolis		
2006-07 (14-5)			
Nov. 19	*vs. Clarion	47-0	W
	*vs. Pitt-Johnstown	29-6	W
	*vs. #13 Edinboro	27-9	W
Dec. 8	LEHIGH	23-12	W
Dec. 10	at Hofstra	10-24	L
Dec. 15	LOCK HAVEN	20-15	W
Jan. 7	at #13 Cornell	18-12	W
Jan. 12	+vs. N. Dakota State	39-3	W
	+vs. Bloomsburg	22-9	W
	+vs. Rider	41-0	W
Jan. 13	+vs. #13 Edinboro	17-19	L
Jan. 19	at #17 Wisconsin	16-17	L
Jan. 21	at #1 Minnesota	12-31	L
Jan. 26	OHIO STATE	26-12	W
Jan. 28	#11 ILLINOIS	16-18	L
Feb. 2	#10 NORTHWESTERN	25-8	W
Feb. 4	#6 IOWA	24-13	W
Feb. 16	at #23 Michigan	21-16	W
Feb. 18	at #22 Michigan State	27-12	W
	Big Ten	4th	
	NCAA	11th	
	* PA Dual Championships, Lock Haven, Pa. + Virginia Duals		
2007-08 (14-5)			
Nov. 11	MARYLAND	34-3	W
Nov. 17	HOFSTRA	28-11	W
Dec. 7	at Lehigh	33-0	W
Dec. 9	at #3 Oklahoma State	21-18	W
Jan. 4	#17 CORNELL	35-10	W
Jan. 11-12	+vs. #16 Chattanooga	37-2	W
	+vs. #10 Nebraska	13-19	L
	+vs. #19 Cornell	31-9	W
	+vs. #4 Iowa State	22-16	W
	+vs. #11 Ohio State	11-24	L
Jan. 13	at #1 Iowa	13-27	L
Jan. 20	at #7 Ohio State	19-22	L
Jan. 25	at #17 Indiana	25-9	W
Jan. 27	#17 INDIANA	25-9	W
Feb. 1	at #10 Northwestern	18-15	W
Feb. 3	at #15 Illinois	15-18	L
Feb. 8	#6 MICHIGAN	20-14	W
Feb. 15	MICHIGAN STATE	26-13	W
Feb. 17	PURDUE	33-6	W
Feb. 23	at Lock Haven	35-8	W
	Big Ten	7th	
	NCAA	3rd	
	+ NWCA National Duals		
2008-09 (8-12-2)			
Nov. 16	HOFSTRA	15-18	L
Nov. 21	at #4 Cornell	10-24	L
Nov. 23	vs. #24 Virginia	19-15	W
	vs. Binghamton	36-8	W
	vs. #15 Edinboro	24-10	W
Dec. 14	WEST VIRGINIA	27-17	W
Jan. 4	#9 LEHIGH	16-17	L
	LOCK HAVEN	36-3	W
Jan. 10-11	vs. #5 Missouri*	20-19	W
	vs. #4 Nebraska*	16-20	L
	vs. #17 Michigan*	21-18	W
	vs. #11 Minnesota*	18-21	L
	vs. #16 Boise State*	15-22	L
Jan. 23	at #21 Indiana	19-19	T
Jan. 24	at #25 Purdue	17-17	T
Jan. 30	#10 MINNESOTA	18-20	L
Feb. 1	#17 WISCONSIN	13-28	L
Feb. 6	#6 OHIO STATE	7-33	L
Feb. 8	#1 IOWA	6-31	L
Feb. 13	at Michigan State	28-12	W
Feb. 14	at #17 Michigan	6-31	L
Feb. 20	#25 PENN	13-20	L
	Big Ten+	7th	
	NCAA	17th	
	\$ Sprawl and Brawl Duals, Binghamton, N.Y. * NWCA National Duals + at Penn State		
2009-10 (13-6-1)			
Nov. 13	at #17 Lehigh	14-23	L
Nov. 15	BLOOMSBURG	23-15	W
Nov. 22	vs. Rutgers	18-17	W
	vs. Harvard	36-6	W
	vs. #15 Edinboro	22-9	W
Dec. 11	at West Virginia	33-12	W

Dec. 12	at #24 Pittsburgh	19-19	T
Jan. 3	at Lock Haven	32-6	W
Jan. 8	vs. Virginia Tech*	26-9	W
Jan. 8	vs. #13 Kent State*	22-13	W
Jan. 9	vs. #4 Oklahoma State*	13-24	L
Jan. 9	vs. #10 Oklahoma*	15-22	L
Jan. 22	#19 ILLINOIS	24-11	W
Jan. 24	at #3 Ohio State	14-21	L
Jan. 29	at #1 Iowa	6-29	L
Jan. 31	at #12 Wisconsin	22-15	W
Feb. 5	NORTHWESTERN	37-10	W
Feb. 7	MICHIGAN	29-10	W
Feb. 12	MICHIGAN STATE	26-12	W
Feb. 19	at #5 Minnesota	16-26	L
	Big Ten	5th	
	NCAA	9th	
	\$ Sprawl and Brawl Duals Binghamton, N.Y. *Virginia Duals		
2010-11 (17-1-1)			
Nov. 12	at Bloomsburg	41-3	W
Nov. 14	#15 LEHIGH	21-17	W
Nov. 14	vs. Harvard	45-0	W
Nov. 21	vs. West Virginia	40-3	W
	vs. #20 Rutgers	22-10	W
Dec. 12	LOCK HAVEN	48-0	W
Dec. 19	#22 OHIO STATE	42-3	W
Dec. 29-30	Southern Scuffe	T-1st	
Jan. 7	vs. VMI+	42-3	W
	vs. Edinboro+	37-12	W
Jan. 8	vs. #23 Kent State+	27-15	W
	vs. #15 Michigan+	24-12	W
Jan. 21	#22 PITTSBURGH	30-7	W
Jan. 23	at Indiana	36-8	W
Jan. 30	#8 IOWA	13-22	L
Feb. 4	at Michigan State	30-9	W
Feb. 6	at #13 Michigan	28-13	W
Feb. 11	#20 ILLINOIS	23-13	W
Feb. 13	at #5 Minnesota	18-18	T
Feb. 18	#16 WISCONSIN	30-12	W
	Big Ten	1st	
	NCAA	1st	
	\$ Sprawl and Brawl Duals Binghamton, N.Y. +Virginia Duals		
2011-12 (13-1)			
Nov. 13	BLOOMSBURG	39-3	W
Nov. 20	#4 MINNESOTA	14-23	L
Dec. 9	at #10 Lehigh	24-12	W
Dec. 11	WEST VIRGINIA	34-6	W
Dec. 18	at Lock Haven	50-0	W
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffe	1st	
Jan. 8	at Michigan State	36-6	W
Jan. 13	at #17 Northwestern	38-3	W
Jan. 15	at Wisconsin	43-0	W
Jan. 22	#2 IOWA	22-12	W
Jan. 29	#5 OHIO STATE	34-9	W
Feb. 3	at #7 Nebraska	31-6	W
Feb. 5	#12 MICHIGAN	34-7	W
Feb. 11	at Utah Valley	39-3	W
Feb. 19	#9 PITTSBURGH	33-6	W
	Big Ten	1st	
	NCAA	1st	
2012-13 (13-1)			
Nov. 16	#24 LEHIGH	29-6	W
Nov. 18	at West Virginia	44-3	W
Dec. 9	INDIANA	52-0	W
Dec. 15	LOCK HAVEN	42-3	W
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffe	1st	
Jan. 13	MICHIGAN STATE	41-0	W
Jan. 18	#24 WISCONSIN	36-6	W
Jan. 20	at Purdue	35-3	W
Jan. 27	#12 NEBRASKA	33-9	W
Feb. 1	at #3 Iowa	16-22	L
Feb. 3	at #8 Illinois	37-0	W
Feb. 8	at #15 Pittsburgh	31-7	W
Feb. 10	at #6 Ohio State	29-18	W
Feb. 17	RIDER	48-0	W
Feb. 24	at Rutgers	34-0	W
	Big Ten	1st	
	NCAA	1st	
2013-14 (15-1)			
Nov. 16	at Rider	34-8	W
Nov. 17	at #24 Lehigh	22-12	W
Nov. 24	LOCK HAVEN	34-6	W
Dec. 6	at Boston	34-6	W
Dec. 8	#23 PITTSBURGH	28-9	W
Dec. 15	#6 OHIO STATE	31-6	W
Dec. 21	at #3 Iowa	24-12	W
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffe	1st	
Jan. 12	PURDUE	34-3	W
Jan. 17	at #19 Indiana	36-6	W
Jan. 19	#14 NORTHWESTERN	39-8	W
Jan. 24	#11 ILLINOIS	31-3	W
Jan. 31	at Michigan State	42-3	W
Feb. 2	at #11 Michigan	32-9	W
Feb. 9	at #3 Minnesota	17-18	L
Feb. 16	#5 OKLAHOMA ST.	23-12	W
Feb. 23	CLARION	43-3	W
	Big Ten	1st	
	NCAA	1st	
	\$ Bryce Jordan Center		

Dec. 19	#9 VIRGINIA TECH	20-15	W
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffe	1st	
Jan. 9	#23 INDIANA	42-3	W
Jan. 11	at #3 Ohio State	15-22	L
Jan. 16	at #25 Rutgers	28-6	W
Jan. 18	PURDUE	26-9	W
Jan. 25	#2 MINNESOTA	16-17	L
Jan. 30	at #15 Michigan	19-15	W
Feb. 1	at Michigan State	35-0	W
Feb. 8	#1 IOWA (BJC)	12-18	L
Feb. 15	at #8 Oklahoma State	18-21	L
Feb. 22	RIDER	30-33	W
	Big Ten	5th	
	NCAA	6th	
	\$ Bryce Jordan Center		
2015-16 (16-0)			
Nov. 13	LOCK HAVEN	50-0	W
Nov. 15	at #7 Virginia Tech	21-15	W
Nov. 20	at CSU Bakersfield	39-3	W
Nov. 22	at #18 Stanford	31-12	W
Dec. 13	#15 WISCONSIN	36-7	W
Dec. 19	at Rider	38-4	W
Jan. 1-2	Southern Scuffe	1st	
Jan. 8	at Purdue	42-3	W
Jan. 10	at Indiana	34-8	W
Jan. 15	#11 NEBRASKA	24-10	W
Jan. 17	at #25 Northwestern	46-4	W
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## NAVY

**SUNDAY, NOV. 10, 2019 -- 2 p.m.**

Series History: Penn State leads 48-30-7

Streak: W5

Last Meeting: W, 28-6 at Navy (12/9/05)

Last time at Penn State: W, 41-3 (12/13/03)

Last time at Navy: W, 28-6 (12/9/05)

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## at ARMY WEST POINT INVITE

**SUNDAY, NOV. 17, 2018 -- 10 a.m.**

Series History: First appearance at event

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## at ARIZONA STATE

**FRIDAY, NOV. 22, 2019 -- TBA**

Series History: Penn State leads 4-3-1

Streak: W2

Last Meeting: W, 41-3 at Penn State (12/14/18)

Last time at Penn State: W, 41-3 (12/14/18)

Last time at Arizona State: First appearance

Wrestling Contact: Colton McCrea

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## at LEHIGH

**FRIDAY, DEC. 6, 2019 -- TBA**

Series History: Penn State leads 70-34-3

Streak: W9

Last Meeting: W, 42-0 at Penn State (12/2/18)

Last time at Penn State: W, 42-0 (12/2/18)

Last time at Lehigh: W, 23-19 at PPL Center, Lancaster (12/3/17)

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## PENN

**SUNDAY, DEC. 8, 2019 -- 2 p.m.**

Series History: Penn State leads 21-3

Streak: L1

Last Meeting: L, 13-20 at Penn State (2/20/09)

Last time at Penn State: L, 13-20 (2/20/09)

Last time at Penn: W, 25-6 (12/10/05)

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## ILLINOIS

**FRIDAY, JAN. 10, 2020 -- TBA**

Series History: Penn State leads 11-7

Streak: W5

Last Meeting: W, 39-9 at Illinois (2/17/19)

Last time at Penn State: W, 34-7 (2/10/17)

Last time at Illinois: W, 39-9 (2/17/19)

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## NORTHWESTERN

**SUNDAY, JAN. 12, 2020 -- TBA**

Series History: Penn State leads 16-1

Streak: W14

Last Meeting: W, 33-8 at Northwestern (1/11/19)

Last time at Penn State: W, 45-3 (1/29/17)

Last time at Northwestern: W, 33-8 (1/11/19)

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## RUTGERS

**SUNDAY, JAN. 19, 2020 -- TBA**

Series History: Penn State leads 20-0

Streak: W20

Last Meeting: W, 25-15 at Rutgers (1/28/18)

Last time at Penn State: W, 37-6 (1/13/17)

Last time at Rutgers: W, 25-15 (1/28/18)

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## at NEBRASKA

**FRIDAY, JAN. 24, 2020 -- TBA**

Series History: Penn State leads 9-8-1

Streak: W5

Last Meeting: W, 25-6 at Penn State (1/20/19)

Last time at Penn State: W, 25-6 (1/20/19)

Last time at Nebraska: W, 27-14 (1/8/17)

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## at IOWA

**FRIDAY, JAN. 31, 2020 -- TBA**

Series History: Iowa leads 11-26-2

Streak: W2

Last Meeting: W, 28-13 at Penn State (BJC) (2/10/18)

Last time at Penn State: W, 28-13 (BJC) (2/10/18)

Last time at Iowa: W, 26-11 (1/20/17)

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## MARYLAND

**SUNDAY, FEB. 2, 2020 -- TBA**

Series History: Penn State leads 41-2-2

Streak: W26

Last Meeting: W, 47-3 at Maryland (1/21/18)

Last time at Penn State: W, 44-3 (12/17/17)

Last time at Maryland: W, 47-3 (1/21/18)

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## at WISCONSIN

**FRIDAY, FEB. 7, 2020 -- TBA**

Series History: Penn State leads 16-8

Streak: W7

Last Meeting: W, 24-13 at Penn State (1/13/19)

Last time at Penn State: W, 24-13 (1/13/19)

Last time at Wisconsin: W, 33-11 (1/27/17)

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## at MINNESOTA

**SUNDAY, FEB. 9, 2020 -- TBA**

Series History: Minnesota leads 8-15-1

Streak: W2

Last Meeting: W, 35-8 at Penn State (1/26/18)

Last time at Penn State: W, 35-8 (1/26/18)

Last time at Minnesota: W, 33-6 (1/6/17)

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## OHIO STATE

**SATURDAY, FEB. 15, 2020 (BJC) -- TBA**

Series History: Penn State leads 21-12

Streak: W4

Last Meeting: W, 28-9 at Ohio State (2/8/19)

Last time at Penn State: W, 19-18 (2/3/18)

Last time at Ohio State: W, 28-9 (2/8/19)

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## AMERICAN

**SUNDAY, FEB. 23, 2020 -- 2 p.m.**

Series History: First meeting

Streak: First meeting

Last Meeting: First meeting

Last time at Penn State: First meeting

Last time at American: First meeting

Wrestling Contact: TBA

email: TBA

## at BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

**SAT.-SUN., MARCH 7-8, 2020**

**RUTGERS UNIVERSITY, PISCATAWAY, N.J.**

Series History: Penn State has won 6 B1G titles

Last Meeting: Penn State won the tournament at Minnesota in 2019

Last time at Penn State: 2009

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## at NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

**THUR.-SAT., MARCH 19-21, 2020**

**US BANK STADIUM, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.**

Series History: Penn State has won 9 NCAA titles

Streak: Won 8 of the last 9 including 4 straight

Last Meeting: Penn State won NCAA title in 2019

Last time at Penn State: 1999

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