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(1) Johnny Lopez 9-2 San Fran. St.		Schuelke (MCK)	Schuelke (MCK)	Schuelke (MCK) Dec 5-3 CHAMPION 333
Ronan Schuelke 23-4 McKendree		Fall 6:12	Dec 8-3	
Pedro Velazquez 17-8 MSU Moorhead	Kieran Thompson 22-9 Adams St. MD 9-0	Thompson (ASU) Dec 4-1	265	
Kieran Thompson 22-9 Adams St.	(8) Ethan Hardy 30-7 Glenville St.			
(5) Joseph Airola 17-6 Neb.-Kearney		(5) Airola (UNK) Dec 5-0	(5) Airola (UNK) Dec 5-2	
Joey Ortega 13-7 Kutztown				
Carsen Richards 14-8 Lake Erie		(4) Stoneking (FSU) TB-1 2-1	170	
(4) Colton Stoneking 24-5 Fairmont St.				
(3) Sean Solis 21-6 UMary		(3) Solis (UMARY) Dec 14-8	171	
Brayden Gibson 14-10 Shorter				
Elijah Lusk 14-8 Lander		Lusk (LAND) Dec 7-2	Lusk (LAND) Dec 8-6	
(6) James Wright 27-10 Central Mo.				
(7) Khyvon Grace 28-7 West Liberty		(7) Grace (WLU) Dec 3-0	172	
Luke Kunath 20-7 Belmont Abbey	Colton Hush 30-12 Minnesota St. Fall 4:45			
Colton Hush 30-12 Minnesota St.	Josh Taylor 13-7 Central Okla.	Taylor (UCO) SV-1 8-5	(7) Grace (WLU) Dec 4-3	
(2) Jake Niffenegger 25-4 Gannon				
			(5) Airola (UNK) Lusk (LAND)	(5) Airola (UNK) Dec 7-2 Fifth Place
			(8) Hardy (GSU) (6) Wright (UCM)	(8) Hardy (GSU) Dec 7-1 Seventh Place
WRESTLEBACKS				
(1) Lopez (SFS)		(8) Hardy (GSU) Dec 12-8	245	(3) Solis (UMARY) Dec 10-9
(8) Hardy (GSU)		Taylor (UCO)		
Loser of 6 Kunath (BAC)	Kunath (BAC) MD 11-1	Kunath (BAC) Dec 7-3	210	(3) Solis (UMARY) Fall 4:44
Loser of 39 Ortega (KUTZ)	Richards (LEC)			
Gibson (SU)		(6) Wright (UCM) TF-1.5 6:13 (17-0)	211	(6) Wright (UCM) Dec 6-5
Loser of 5 Velazquez (MSUM)	(6) Wright (UCM) Dec 5-4	(4) Stoneking (FSU)		
Loser of 42 (6) Wright (UCM)	Hush (MSU)	Hush (MSU) Dec 8-4	212	Hush (MSU) Dec 8-5
(2) Niffenegger (GU)		Thompson (ASU)		
			Hush (MSU) Dec 3-2	Hush (MSU) Dec 9-4 Third Place 309
			Hush (MSU) Dec 8-5	Lusk (LAND) Dec 9-4
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(1) Chris Donathan 13-2 Grand Valley St.		(1) Donathan (GVSU) Dec 7-2	(1) Donathan (GVSU) Dec 4-2	(4) Sarbo (UPJ) Fall 2:42 CHAMPION 334 (3) Thompson (CSM) Dec 5-0
Brennan Watkins 15-7 King (TN)		173	267	
(8) Kenny Kiser 14-6 Gannon				
(5) Rudy Lopez 22-6 Northern St.		(5) Lopez (NSU) Dec 4-2	174	
Gavin Garcia 23-10 UIndy		(4) Sarbo (UPJ) Dec 7-3		
Sabian Russell 30-10 Quincy		(4) Sarbo (UPJ) MD 16-5	268	
(4) Matthew Sarbo 28-3 Pitt-Johnstown		(3) Thompson (CSM) Dec 8-5		
(3) Cody Thompson 19-1 Colo. Sch. Of Mines		(3) Thompson (CSM) MD 10-2	175	
Bam West 8-8 Central Okla.		(6) Onorato (GSU) MD 10-2		
Alex Castaneda 17-12 Colorado Mesa		(6) Onorato (GSU) MD 10-2	268	
(6) Gabriel Onorato 28-8 Glenville St.		(3) Thompson (CSM) SV-1 7-4		
(7) Hayden Kuhn 28-5 Ashland		(7) Kuhn (AU) Dec 8-3	176	
Angel Flores 27-10 Adams St.		(2) Spuhler (UWP) Fall 6:16		
Ty Linsenbigler 21-7 Seton Hill		(2) Spuhler (UWP) MD 13-2	(1) Donathan (GVSU) Flores (ASU) 311	(1) Donathan (GVSU) MD 15-1 Fifth Place
(2) Jalen Spuhler 28-3 Wis.-Parkside			(1) Donathan (GVSU) MD 15-1	
WRESTLEBACKS				
Watkins (KING)		Watkins (KING) SV-1 4-1	Watkins (KING) Fall 5:36	(5) Lopez (NSU) SV-1 8-5 Seventh Place
Caban (BAC)		(7) Kuhn (AU)	(6) Onorato (GSU) Dec 9-7	(6) Onorato (GSU) Dec 10-4
Loser of 8 Peace (LAND)		Garcia (UINDY) Dec 3-2	247	287
Loser of 47 Garcia (UINDY) 108		Russell (QU) Inj. 5:32		
Russell (QU)		(6) Onorato (GSU)	(1) Donathan (GVSU)	
West (UCO)		Doty (UIU) Fall 2:47	(5) Lopez (NSU) Dec 4-3	(2) Spuhler (UWP) Dec 6-3 Third Place 312
Loser of 7 Doty (UIU)		Doty (UIU) MD 16-5	248	288
Loser of 50 Castaneda (CMU) 107		(5) Lopez (NSU)		
Flores (ASU)		Flores (ASU) TB-1 2-1	Flores (ASU) Dec 4-2	(2) Spuhler (UWP) MD 12-4
Linsenbigler (SHU)		(8) Kiser (GU)	(2) Spuhler (UWP)	
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		(1) Gabe Johnson 23-0 Central Okla.	(1) Johnson (UCO) Fall 1:37	(1) Johnson (UCO) Fall 1:17
		Basil Othman 21-6 San Fran. St.	53	177
Mike Zacur 21-6 Seton Hill	9	Michael Ortega 24-11 Ulndy	54	269
Michael Ortega 24-11 Ulndy		(8) Brent Nicolosi 10-4 Mount Olive	54	
		(5) Nico Taddy 34-10 West Liberty	55	178
		Richie DeFulvio 14-11 Millersville	55	
		Jimmie Bailes 29-12 Glenville St.	56	270
		(4) Easton Worachek 25-7 Wis.-Parkside	56	
		(3) Aaden Valdez 27-3 Adams St.	57	179
		Griffin Lundeen 16-10 Northern St.	57	
		Reid Noble 14-10 Lander	58	270
		(6) Owen Cline 16-5 Colorado Mesa	58	
Carson Freeman 23-11 Montevallo	10	(7) Holden Huhn 13-2 Gannon	59	180
Maclain Morency 10-9 Grand Valley St.		Maclain Morency 10-9 Grand Valley St. MD 14-3	59	
		Nicolas Zamora 21-12 Maryville (MO)	60	314
		(2) Joel Jesuroga 24-1 St. Cloud St.	60	
		(6) Cline (CMU)		(6) Cline (CMU) Dec 14-12
		(5) Taddy (WLU)		Fifth Place
		(7) Huhn (GU)		(7) Huhn (GU) Dec 8-2
		(8) Nicolosi (UMO)		Seventh Place
WRESTLEBACKS				
		Othman (SFS)	137	217
		Ortega (UINDY)	137	
Loser of 10 Freeman (UM)	110	DeFulvio (MILL) Dec 4-1	138	249
Loser of 55 DeFulvio (MILL)		Bailes (GSU) Fall 0:54	138	
		(6) Cline (CMU)	218	289
		Lundeen (NSU)		(4) Worachek (UWP) Fall 3:23
Loser of 9 Zacur (SHU)	109	Lundeen (NSU) Dec 7-3	139	250
Loser of 58 Noble (LAND)		(5) Taddy (WLU) Dec 6-4	139	
		(3) Valdez (ASU) Dec 8-4	219	Third Place
		Morency (GVSU)		315
		Zamora (MU) Dec 7-6	140	290
		(8) Nicolosi (UMO) MD 19-11	220	
		(5) Taddy (WLU) MD 14-0	250	
		(3) Valdez (ASU)		(3) Valdez (ASU) Fall 4:57



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		(1) Nolan Gessler 21-3 Tiffin	(1) Gessler (TU) MD 12-2	(1) Gessler (TU) Dec 5-3
		Lane Ewing 33-11 UMary	61	181
Nick Delp 21-3 Shippensburg		Bo Perkins 18-8 Newberry	(8) Hemauer (UWP) TF-1.5 7:00 (15-0)	271
Bo Perkins 18-8 Newberry		(8) Brody Hemauer 21-10 Wis.-Parkside	62	(5) Munoz (UNK) Dec 10-5
		(5) Trenton Munoz 18-4 Neb.-Kearney	63	182
		Kole Marko 10-4 Minnesota St.	(5) Munoz (UNK) Dec 6-1	(5) Munoz (UNK) Dec 4-1
		Cason Lindsey 16-7 Fort Hays St.	64	(4) MacKay (GU) 2-OT 1-1
		(4) Grant MacKay 30-4 Gannon	64	(2) Hunsberger (LAND) Dec 9-4
		(3) Sam Richardson 34-7 McKendree	65	CHAMPION 336
		Jakob Chisolm 12-9 Montevallo	(3) Richardson (MCK) Dec 8-1	183
		Nate Barrett 12-8 Ashland	66	(3) Richardson (MCK) Dec 1-0
		(6) Ivan Smith Jr. 32-6 N.M. Highlands	66	272
		(7) Gage Bernal 31-6 Central Mo.	(7) Bernal (UCM) Dec 8-3	(2) Hunsberger (LAND) Dec 8-4
Leo Hess 7-5 Glennville St.		Trent Hoover 24-8 Pitt-Johnstown	67	184
Trent Hoover 24-8 Pitt-Johnstown		(2) David Hunsberger 29-1 Lander	68	(2) Hunsberger (LAND) Fall 3:24
				(1) Gessler (TU) 317
				(8) Hemauer (UWP) For.
				Fifth Place
				Barrett (AU) 316
				(6) Smith Jr. (NMH) Fall 6:01
				Seventh Place
WRESTLEBACKS				
Ewing (UMARY)		Ewing (UMARY)	Ewing (UMARY)	Ewing (UMARY)
141		MD 12-0	221	251
Perkins (NEW)		(7) Bernal (UCM)	221	291
Loser of 12 Hess (GSU)			251	(1) Gessler (TU)
112		Marko (MSU)	222	Ewing (UMARY) MFFL
Loser of 63 Marko (MSU)		Fall 2:29	222	Ewing (UMARY) Dec 11-6
		Lindsey (FHSU)	222	(6) Smith Jr. (NMH) Dec 5-1
		Lindsey (FHSU)	222	Third Place 318
		Barrett (AU)	222	252
		Chisolm (UM)	223	(8) Hemauer (UWP) MD 11-3
Loser of 11 Delp (SHIP)		(6) Smith Jr. (NMH) Dec 4-1	223	292
111		(6) Smith Jr. (NMH) Dec 7-2	223	(3) Richardson (MCK) Dec 8-7
Loser of 66 (6) Smith Jr. (NMH)		(4) MacKay (GU) Dec 4-2	223	252
		Hoover (UPJ)	224	(8) Hemauer (UWP) MD 11-3
		Hoover (UPJ)	224	(3) Richardson (MCK) Dec 8-7
		Dauphin (UCO)	224	
		(8) Hemauer (UWP) Dec 4-1	224	
		(8) Hemauer (UWP) Dec 4-2	224	



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(1) Dorian Crosby 18-0 Gannon		(1) Crosby (GU) Dec 2-1	(1) Crosby (GU) Dec 4-1	 (1) Crosby (GU) SV-1 4-1 CHAMPION 340 (1) Crosby (GU) SV-1 4-1 CHAMPION 340 (2) Howard (UNK) Dec 5-0 Bankston (UNCP) (5) Retter (KUTZ) Dec 8-1 Fifth Place (6) Vance (UPJ) Gray (UINDY) M. For. Gray (UINDY) 328 Seventh Place
James Bankston 12-8 UNC Pembroke		93	197	
Cooper Caraway 24-12 Wis.-Parkside	Tyler Doyle 9-5 Colorado Mesa	19	94	
Tyler Doyle 9-5 Colorado Mesa	(8) Torin Forsyth 25-7 Central Mo.	19	94	
(5) Freddie Retter 8-4 Kutztown		(5) Retter (KUTZ) Fall 1:46	198	
Parker Bentley 23-12 West Liberty		95	198	
Eli Reese 14-10 Chadron St.		(4) Blough (GVSU) TF-1.5 6:44 (19-4)	96	
(4) Carter Blough 35-4 Grand Valley St.		96	279	
(3) Zach Glazier 11-1 St. Cloud St.		(3) Glazier (SCSU) TF-1.5 7:00 (17-2)	199	
BK Seago 16-7 Ouachita Baptist		97	199	
Isaac Sheeren 28-5 Lander		(6) Vance (UPJ) Dec 11-6	98	
(6) Isaiah Vance 25-6 Pitt-Johnstown		98	280	
(7) Luke Tweeton 25-7 UMary		(7) Tweeton (UMARY) Dec 5-4	99	
Cale Gray 25-10 UIndy	Cale Gray 25-10 UIndy	20	99	
Nathan Coley 19-14 King (TN)	Jake Powell 24-11 Tiffin	20	100	
(2) Crew Howard 18-3 Neb.-Kearney		(2) Howard (UNK) MD 15-1	100	
Bankston (UNCP)		(5) Retter (KUTZ) Dec 8-1	329	
(5) Retter (KUTZ)		329	259	
(6) Vance (UPJ)		Gray (UINDY) M. For.	328	
Gray (UINDY)		328	299	
Bankston (UNCP) MFFL		(4) Blough (GVSU) Dec 2-1	299	
(4) Blough (GVSU)		(3) Glazier (SCSU) Dec 10-4	330	
(3) Glazier (SCSU) Dec 10-4		Third Place 330	330	
(5) Retter (KUTZ) MD 14-3		(5) Retter (KUTZ) MD 11-2	260	
(5) Retter (KUTZ)		260	300	
(3) Glazier (SCSU) SV-1 8-5		(3) Glazier (SCSU) Dec 4-0	300	
Bankston (UNCP)		(3) Glazier (SCSU) Dec 4-0	300	
(8) Forsyth (UCM)		(7) Tweeton (UMARY) Dec 2-1	237	
Loser of 20 Coley (KING)	Bentley (WLU) Dec 4-0	120	259	
Loser of 95 Bentley (WLU)	Reese (CSC) Dec 10-3	158	238	
Loser of 19 Caraway (UWP)	Caraway (UWP) Dec 10-5	119	239	
Loser of 98 Sheeren (LAND)	For.	119	239	
Seago (OBU)		(5) Retter (KUTZ) MD 14-3	239	
Caraway (UWP)		(5) Retter (KUTZ)	239	
Gray (UINDY)		(5) Retter (KUTZ) MD 14-3	260	
Powell (TU)		Gray (UINDY) Fall 3:24	160	
Doyle (CMU)		240	240	

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