

# *Pascack Valley Leads In Wrestling Tourney*

## **Qualifies Nine Boys For Semifinals Of Bergen County Invitational**

Fair Lawn — By qualifying nine competitors into this afternoon's semifinal round, Pascack Valley of Hillsdale took a commanding lead in the fourth annual Bergen County Wrestling Tournament.

The Indians lead second-place Teaneck in points, 27-20, but the Highwaymen placed only four boys into today's play. The semifinal round starts at 1 P. M. at Fair Lawn High. The consolation round begins at 7 and the championships at 8 at the same site tonight.

### **LARGE TURNOUT**

A total attendance of 1,931 watched yesterday's split session.

The Indians didn't place any one in the 98- or 106-pound divisions, but they were shut out in only one of the other 10 classes. Steve Price advanced in the 115-pound class and he was joined by teammates Scott Kelly (123), Matt Ciacco (130), Bruce Kaye (136), Greg Huff (141), Kerin Hill (148), Carl Nelson (157), John Poggi (168), and Ed Schattenberg (178).

Defending champion East Paterson has four boys remaining, all of them in the first four weight divisions.

Two of last year's champions made the semifinals, although each is in a higher classification. Hackensack's Reggie Williams, who won the 148-pound crown, gained the 157-pound semifinal. Ron Leverich of Ridgewood made a big jump from his 136-pound crown to gain the semifinal in the 168-pound division.

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## PRELIMINARY ROUND

### 98-POUND CLASS

Laird Richmond decided Greg Gorab (P). Score: 6-1. Rich Fellows (GR) decided Joe Conway (E). Score: 6-0. Dave Blackford (R) decided Roy Reiph (OT). Score: 10-0. Bill Steen (Tea) pinned Harvey Gold (EP). Time: 3:54. Esain Banola (H) pinned Bob Eidus (Ten). Time: 1-12. George Gesualdo (B) pinned Bill Monaghan (Haw). Time: 0:45. Jim McIlwain (RD) decided Jeff Price (PV). Score: 4-0. Shedd (L) pinned John Schoffield (CP). Time: 1:46.

### 104-POUND CLASS

Jim Raferty (FL) pinned Jim Oakes (Haw). Time: 0:57. Mark Silverman (RD) pinned Ramsey. Time: 0:45. Dave Mead (Ten) won by forfeit. Joe Sellemi (Hack) decided Ron Shapiro (Par). Score: 6-0. Russ Benel pinned Jack William (Bergen). Score: 6-4. Rich Lundholm (Ridgewd) pinned Bob Parks (CP). Time: 5:00. Bill Sabereese (GR) pinned John Kraus (Tea). Time: 3:50. Jay Rubenstein (EP) decided Leroy Marada (PV). Score: 2-0.

### 115-POUND CLASS

Charles Ciolino (EP) decided Jon Schapiro (L). Score: 2-0. Stu Weinstein (Tea) pinned Frank Marx (Ten). Time: 2:51. Jeff McCrea (H) decided Harry Howell (Haw). Score: 2-0, overtime. Bob Korn (RD) decided Paul Dessila (CP). Score: 10-0. Steve Price (PV) pinned Chris Wallace (GR). Time: 1:30. Tom Sala (P) pinned Steve Grunweg (E). Time: 5:34. John Pisanello (FL) decided Phil Palston (OT). Score: 13-2. Bill Saunders (R) pinned Ken Worthington (B). Time: 1:53.

### 123-POUND CLASS

Scott Kelly (PV) won by forfeit. Dennis Koc (Par) decided Frank Serisi (Tea). Score: 8-2. Rodger Locks (EP) decided Len Rose (Leo). Score: 7-0. Bob Whitaker (Rids) decided Ron Santucci (FL). Score: 13-3. Ray Glover (Berg) decided Al Lusher (Haw). Score: 6-2. Dennis Murphy (Ten) pinned Tim Tedesco (NV). Time: 1:05. Lloyd Burns (RD) decided Barry Grunweg (E). Score: 10-0. Jim Christie (GR) pinned George Wright (H). Time: 3:50.

### 130-POUND CLASS

Al Grignon (H) decided Zeldner (L). Score: 5-1. Ray Glassberg (Tea) decided Len Kocis (R). Score: 4-1. Bob Bruns (Ten) decided Kevin Millar (P). Score: 7-3. Rich Townsend (RD) decided Gene Parlotto (B). Score: 6-4. Curt Hollerleth (GR) decided Allen DeJong (Haw). Score: 7-0. Roger Bischoff (CP) decided Mike Neiman (FL). Score: 7-4. Matt Ciacco (PV) pinned Ed Williams (E). Time: 5:03. Barry Verga (EP) decided John Strelitz (OT). Score: 11-1.

### 134-POUND CLASS

Doug Nogaki (B) pinned Fred Procopio (L). Time: 1:10. Roger Dow (R) pinned Mike McCoy (E). Time: 3:41. Eric Blair (GR) decided Rick Arnold (Ten). Score: 7-0. Bert Young (RH) pinned Mike Komsevick (Tea). Time: 3:35. Greg Asoerian (CP) pinned Arch Currie (OT). Time: 1:20. Ken Tashian (P) pinned Barry MacDonald (EP). Time: 1:10. Bruce Kaye (PV) decided Bob Glassman (FL). Score: 4-1. Mal Le Comte (Haw) decided John Froeh (RD). Score: 3-0.

### 141-POUND CLASS

Dave Lemubo (E) pinned Bill Gundersdorf (EP). Time: 3:46. Greg Huff (PV) pinned Jim Stanek (CP). Time: 1:03. Steve Cohen (L) decided Bill Dress (R). Score: 5-0. Ackerman (Tea) decided Ken Roberts (RD). Score: 8-0. John Romas (B) pinned Lou Bivona (P). Time: 3:18. Dave Criklaire (GR) decided Al Clyburn (H). Score: 5-2. Ferraro (Haw) pinned Norm Bettie (OT). Time: 5:54. Cliff Levin (FL) decided Gerry Graff (Ten). Score: 5-0.

### 148-POUND CLASS

Kerin Hill (PV) pinned Steve Bergen (L). Time: 3:39. John Totaro (Tea) decided Al Maurice (CP). Score: 9-2. Bernie Yervanigan (H) decided Jim Sherry (EP). Tom Drakeford (E) decided Larry Grandy (RD). Score: 7-4. Norm Aprile (Haw) decided Jim Elgin (R). Score: 13-4. John Schumacker (P) pinned Harry Leff (OT). Time: 3:35. Len Pfeiffer (GR) decided Joe Phillips (FL). Score: 1-0. Rich Poolaski (B) decided Rick Stanley (Ten). Score: 8-1.

### 157-POUND CLASS

Bessie Williams (H) pinned Lewis Stone (RD). Time: 0:33. Carl Nelson (PV) won by forfeit. Fred Curoo (B) Tom

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Seed (GR). Time: 4:50. Andy Maragliano (CP) pinned Ron Jones (E). Time: 3:30. Carl Ricard (FL) pinned Al Wrirczinger (EP). Time: 1:48. Steve Bilsky (Tea.) pinned Eric Ruoss (L). Time: 3:46. Ron Schiaffo (OT) decisioned Grant Ruesch (Ten). Score: 6-4. Ron Cheslock (P) decisioned Ed Stolemaker (Haw). Score: 3-0.

#### 168-POUND CLASS

John Poggie (PV) pinned Walt Shallcross (Haw). Time: 5:54. John Kapeluck (Ten) pinned Cal Burrows (CP). Time: 4:30. Jack Moore (B) pinned Bob Tischler (E). Time: 3:13. Pat Ford (FL) decisioned Neil Franklin (H). Score: 11-2. Chuck Franks (L) decisioned Dave Samuels (P). Score: 7-1. Andy Gunsberg (Tea) decisioned Jim Mc Enroe (OT). Score: 9-3. Frank Capsouras (RD) pinned Joel McCormick (GR). Time: 5:30. Ron Leverich (R) pinned Paul Forlai (EP). Time: 4:41.

#### 178-POUND CLASS

Vic Kinon (FL) won by forfeit (E). Vince Davino (CP) decisioned Frank Marino (P). Score: 9-5. Ed Schattenberg (PV) pinned Rich Limouze (OT). Time: 2:30. Jerry Newell (R) pinned Craig Massey (H). Time: 4:40. Bernie Martin (Tea) pinned Tom Becht (B). Time: 4:30. Ed Jacob (L) decisioned Bob Ippolito (Haw). Time: 4-2. Bob Tripp (RD) pinned Karl Gunther (Ten). Time: 3:30. Stan Viglione (FL) pinned Art Anderson (EP). Time: 4:35.

#### HEAVYWEIGHTS

Stan Sebastian (H) pinned John Savino (B). Time: 1:55. Bob Screiber (R) pinned Dave Waldhouse (FL). Time: 2:55. Rick Lombardi (OT) pinned Rich Contreni (E). Time: 4:15. Al Graf (GR) pinned Ray Mees (CP). Time: 1:50. Gary Pitak, (EP) pinned Charles Ellis (RD). Time: 3:15. Joe Kutmiowski pinned Wayne Reisman (PV). Time: 5:57. Bill Simpson (L) pinned Ron Panissidi (Ten.). Time: 3:20. Gerry Schweizer (Tea.) decisioned Bruce Walker (Haw). Score: 2-0.

### SECOND ROUND

#### 98-POUND CLASS

Richmond, (FL) pinned Blackford (R). Time: 2:50. McIlwain (RD) pinned Fellows (GR). Time: 5:13. Banola (H) decisioned Gesualdo (B). Score: 2-0.

Stern (Tea.) decisioned Shedd (L). Score: 5-1.

#### 106-POUND CLASS

Rafferty (FL) decisioned Benel (H). Score: 9-3. Lundholm (R) pinned Silverman (RD). Time: 1:30. Rubenstein (EP) decisioned Mead (Ten.). Score: 6-0. Sabarese (GR) decisioned Sallemi (H). Score: 3-1.

#### 115-POUND CLASS

Price (PV) decisioned Saia (P). Score: 7-3. Weinstein (Tea.) decisioned McCrea (H). Score: 7-2. Saunders (R) decisioned Pisaniello (FL). Score: 7-0. Ciolino (EP) decisioned Korn (RD). Score: 6-1.

#### 123-POUND CLASS

Locks (EP) decisioned Koce (P). Score: 3-1. Whitaker (R) pinned Glover (B). Time: 5:00. Christie (GR) pinned Murphy (Ten.) Time: 1:09. Kelly (PV) decisioned Burns (RD). Score: 7-1.

#### 130-POUND CLASS

Verga (EP) decisioned Bruns (Ten). Score: 4-0. Grignon (H) decisioned Glassberg (Tea.). Score: 4-0. Townsend (RD) decisioned Hollerieth (GR). Score: 8-2. Ciacco (PV) decisioned Bischoff (CP). Score: 5-1.

#### 136-POUND CLASS

LeComte (Haw) decisioned Blair (GR). Score: 6-4. Kaye (PV) pinned Dow (R). Time: 1:28. Young (H) decisioned Nogaki (B). Score: 5-0. Tashian (P) decisioned Agoerian (CP). Score: 4-0.

#### 141-POUND CLASS

Ackerman (P) pinned Cohen (L). Time: 2:43. Huff (PV) decisioned Lomupo (E). Score: 18-0. Romas (B) decisioned Crik-lair (GR). Score: 4-2. Levine (FL) decisioned Ferraro (Haw.) Score: 9-2.

#### 148-ROUND CLASS

Hill (PV) pinned Drakeford (E). Time: 5:57. Yervanian (H) decisioned Totaro (Tea.). Score: 4-2. Schumacker (P) decisioned Pfeiffer (GR). Score: 6-0. Poplaski (B) decisioned Aprile (Haw.). Score: 8-4.

#### 157-ROUND CLASS

Nelson (PV) decisioned Bilsky (Tea). Score: 2-1. Williams (H) decisioned Curoo (B). Score: 6-2. Cheslock (P) decisioned Schiaffo (OT). Score: 4-1. Ricard (FL) decisioned Maragliano (CP). Score: 7-0.

#### 168-ROUND CLASS

Poggi (PV) pinned Kapeluck (Ten.). Score: 3:20. Ford (FL) pinned Moore (B). Time: 2:27. Leverich (R) decisioned Capsouras (RD). Score: 3-0. Frank (L) pinned Gunsberg (Tea.). Time: 5:34.

#### 178-POUND CLASS

Schattenberg (PV) pinned Dauino (CP). Time: 1:41. Martin (Tea.) pinned Jacob (L). Time: 3:37. Tripp (RD) pinned Viglione (GR). Time: 5:04. Newell (R) decisioned Kinon (FL). Score: 6-0.

#### HEAVYWEIGHT CLASS

Graf (GR) pinned Pitak (EP). Time: 3:16. Sebastian (H) decisioned Screiber (R). Score: 8-0. Kutmiowski (P) decisioned Lombardi (OT). Score: 3-1. Schweizer (Tea.) decisioned Simpson (L). Score: 5-0.

# Comets Capture Wrestling Event

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## Hackensack Nets 83 Points, Produces Five Champions At Fair Lawn

Fair Lawn—Hackensack High captured five individual titles Saturday night in snaring the Bergen County Wrestling Tournament team championship with 83 points.

Scoring was on a basis of 10 points for winning an individual championship, seven for second, four for third, and two for fourth. Hackensack had garnered 26 points in the earlier rounds and scored 57 in the final two rounds when it won a second place in addition to the five titles.

### PASCACK SECOND

Pascack Valley, which had led going into the final and consolation rounds with 28 tallies, scored in every weight division from 115 pounds through unlimited, but had only one second-place finisher and no champions. The Indians collected 59 points.

Hackensack's winners were Esain Bandla at 98 pounds, Al Grignon at 130, Bernie Yervanian at 148, Reggie Williams at 157, and Stan Sebastian in the heavyweight class. Sebastian pinned Gerry Schweizer of Teaneck in 2:15, and the other Comet victors gained their titles on decisions.

The lone Hackensack wrestler to bow in the final round was Bert Young. Ken Tashian of Paramus registered a 5-0 decision over him in the 136-pound class.

Hackensack did not have a single boy who placed third or fourth.

Ridgewood and Teaneck finished in a tie behind Pascack Valley for third place with 54 points. Each won two championships.

For the Maroon, Bill Saunders won a referee's decision over Charlie Ciolino of East Paterson in overtime after they were tied at 4-4 at the end of the regulation 6 minutes. Ron Leverich copped a 3-0 decision over Pat Ford of Fair Lawn at 168 pounds.

Teaneck's Bill Ackerman earned a 7-0 triumph over John Roman of Bergenfield at 141 pounds and Bernie Martin edged Ed Scattenberg of Pascack, 4-3.

The other champion was Jim Raftery of Fair Lawn. He earned the 106-pound crown when Rich Lunholm of Ridgewood was forced to forfeit after suffering a possible fractured rib.

Two of the winners had also taken championships last year when the tournament was held at Ridgewood. Leverich finished on top last year at 136 pounds and Williams was the 148-pound king.

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## SEMIFINAL ROUND

98-pound class — Esain Ranola (H) pinned Bill Stern (T). Time: 3:10.

98-pound class — Jim McIlwain (RD) decisioned Laird Richmond (FL). Score: 3-2.

106-pound class — Jim Rattery (FL) pinned Bill Sabarese (GR). Time: 3:55.

106-pound class — Rich Lundholm decisioned Jay Rubenstein (EP). Score: 4-1.

115-pound class — ~~Bill Saw~~ (R) decisioned Steve Price (PV). Score: 3-2.

115-pound class — Charles Cibins (EP) decisioned Stu Weinstein (Tea). Score: 4-1.

123-pound class — Christie (OR) decisioned Scott Kelly (PV). Score: 11-5.

123-pound class — Roger Locks (EP) decisioned Bob Whitaker (R). Score: 4-0.

130-pound class — Barry Varga (EP) pinned Matt Ciacco (PV). Time: 3:40.

130-pound class — Al Griunon (H) decisioned Rich Townsend (RD). Score: 4-0.

136-pound class — Bert Young (H) decisioned Mac LeComte (Haw). Score: 4-2.

136-pound class — Ken Tashlan (P) decisioned Bruce Kays (PV). Score: 3-2.

141-pound class — John Romas (B) decisioned Cliff Levin (FL). Score: 5-1.

141-pound class — Bill Ackerman (Tea) decisioned Greg Huff (PV). Score: 7-2.

148-pound class — Rich Poplaski (B) decisioned John Schumacker (P). Score: 5-4.

148-pound class — Bernie Yervanian (H) decisioned Kerin Hill (PV). Score: (2-0).

157-pound class — Carl Ricard (FL) pinned Ron Cheslock (P). Time: 3:55.

157-pound class — Reggie Williams pinned Carl Nelson (PV). Time: 1:34.

168-pound class — Ron Laverich (R) decisioned Chuck Frank (L). Score: 5-0.

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168-pound class — Pat Ford (FL) decisioned John Poggi (PV). Score: 6-0.

178-pound class — Bernie Marlin (Tea) decisioned Bob Tripp (RD). Score: 7-2.

178-pound class — Ed Schaffenberg (PV) decisioned Jerry Newell (R). Score: 8-4.

Heavyweight class — Stan Sebastian (H) decisioned Joe Kutniewski (P). Score: 8-2.

Heavyweight class — Gerry Schwelzer (Tea) decisioned Al Graf (GR). Score: 14-4.

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## FINAL ROUND

98-pound class — Bandia (H) de-  
cisioned McMillain (RD). Score: 10-2.  
106-pound class — Rattery (FL) Lun-  
holm (R). Forfeit.  
115-pound class — Saunders decisioned  
Ciolino (EP). Score: Ref's decision  
(overtime) 4-4 regulation.  
123-pound class — Locks (EP) de-  
cisioned Cristie (GR). Score: 8-3.  
130-pound class — Grignon (H) de-  
cisioned Verva (EP). Score: 4-0.  
136-pound class — Tashian (P) de-  
cisioned Young (H). Score: 5-0.  
141-pound class — Ackerman (Tea.)  
decisioned Romas (B). Score: 7-0.  
148-pound class — Yervanian (H) de-  
cisioned Poplaski (B). Score: 6-2.  
157-pound class — Williams (H) de-  
cisioned Ricard (FL). Score: 6-1.  
168-pound class — Leverich (R) de-  
cisioned Ford (FL). Score: 3-0.  
178-pound class — Martin (Tea.) de-  
cisioned Schaffenberg (PV). Score: 4-3.  
Heavyweight class — Sebastian (H)  
pinned Schweizea (Tea.) Time: 2:15.

## CONSOLATION ROUND

98-pound class — Richmond (FL) de-  
cisioned Stern (Tea.) Score: 7-1.  
106-pound class — Sabarese (GR) pinned  
Rubenstein (EP). Time: 3:00.  
115-pound class — Price (PV) de-  
cisioned Weinstein (Tea.) Score: 8-0.  
123-pound class — Whitaker (R) de-  
cisioned Kelly (PV). Score: 10-5.  
130-pound class — Ciacco (PV) de-  
cisioned Townsend (RD). Score: 4-1.  
136-pound class — Kaye (PV) decisioned  
LeComte (Haw.) Score: 5-0.  
141-pound class — Huff (PV) de-  
cisioned Levin (FL). Score: 8-0.  
148-pound class — Schumacker (P) de-  
cisioned Hill (PV). Score: 2-0.  
157-pound class — Cheslock (P) pinned  
Nelson (PV). Time: 2:40.  
168-pound class — Frank (L) de-  
cisioned Poggi (PV). Score: 5-0.  
178-pound class — Newell (R) de-  
cisioned Tripp (RD). Score: 8-3.  
Heavyweight class — Graf (GR) pinned  
Kutniewski (P). Time: 5:45.

## FINAL TEAM SCORING

Hackensack 83, Pascack Valley 59,  
Ridgewood 54, Teaneck 54, Fair Lawn 51,  
East Paterson 39, Paramus 37, Glen Rock  
36, Bergenfield 30, River Dell 27, Le-  
onia 13, Hawthorne 7, Tenafly 5, Dem-  
arest 4, Cliffside Park 1, Englewood  
minus 7.

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