



Peter Acciardi of Don Bosco has a tight ride on Emerson Park Ridge's Shane Carcich in the 220 lb final

Acciardi, last year's NJSIAA runner-up, won his second BCCA title 19-7



Tommy Chiellini of Pascack Valley works to escape from Matthew Dallara of Hasbrouck Heights

Dallara maintained control to get the 5-1 win at 160 lbs



Tournament Outstanding Wrestler Mickey O'Malley of Hasbrouck Heights scores a 16-2 major decision over Northern Highlands' Gabe Robles for the 170 lb championship





Finishing a slick leg attack, sophomore Luke Chakonis of Don Bosco scores for a 3-2 decision at 195 lbs over Zach Lewis of Emerson Park Ridge



Second seed Stefano Sgambellone of St Joseph takes a 3-2 decision over North Bergen's defending champ Yousef Salem in the 132 lb final



At 126 lbs, junior Trent Furman of Westwood holds on for a 1-0 win over Dumont's Gianni Manginelli in a battle between two returning medalists



Emerson Park Ridge's Luke Mazzeo drives through on a nice double leg for 2 in the 138 lb final

Mazzeo prevailed 8-7 in an exciting match to edge Craig Manno of St Joseph for his 2<sup>nd</sup> BCCA championship



Jonah Schecthman scores on Don Bosco's Christian Jiminez at 152 lbs to become Emerson Park Ridge's second BCCA champ



Nick Babin of Emerson Park Ridge is in control for a 16-0 technical fall over Saddle Brook's CJ Limatola giving the Cavo's a third individual title at the Hackensack gym





Garrett Beam, a new addition to St Joe's lineup this year, records a technical fall in 5:23 over Northern Highland's junior Anthony Sciuto at 182 lbs



Matt Surich uses a tight arm bar to prevail over Jack Trevisan of Ridgewood 4-3

Surich becomes Mahwah's 5th BCCA champion and their first since 2010



Demarest's Bailey Paster, up from 220 last year, works to get an angle on Brian Sidle of St Joe's. The Norsemen's 285 pounder gets the title with a 4-3 decision



## WRESTLING

# Parsons ready to regroup for second day of BCCA tourney

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HACKENSACK – Joe Parsons was happy about the results of his BCCA Holiday Wrestling Tournament quarterfinal victory on Thursday. He just wasn't happy about how the match unfolded.

The second-seeded Parsons, wrestling for Waldwick/Midland Park, defeated Westwood's Julian Robles, 10-6. Parsons appeared close to pinning Robles at the end of the first period, but couldn't put him away. The disappointment of not being able to close out the match early impacted Parsons over the final two periods, but left him with a lesson that he will take into Friday's 138-pound semifinal.

"I wanted to come here and dominate all the way through, but I'm a little gassed right now," said Parsons, who lives in Waldwick. "I wanted to finish strong and I wanted to tech that kid. I was trying to pin him at the end of the first period and it took a lot out of me mentally. When [the referee] didn't call the pin, I turned off mentally.

"I was very happy with my first two matches, but I am disappointed that I gassed out. I've just got to stay in there mentally and not let up tomorrow if things don't go my way. That guy is a great ref and it's part of the sport. You can't control what the ref gives you and mentally I just gave in. That's my fault. Every time you make a mental mistake, though, you have a chance to get better."

Parsons, who pinned Bergenfield's Conner Murphy at the 1:30 mark in the opening round, will face Craig Manno of St. Joseph in the semifinals. He has never faced Manno in a match before, but has trained with him and knows how talented the junior is. This will mark the third BCCA Holiday Tournament semifinal appearance for Parsons, who finished sixth at 138 pounds a year ago.

"I think tonight I'm just going to get away from wrestling," said Parsons, who finished fourth in this tournament as a freshman.

"I'm just going to rest. Maybe I'll watch a movie or something and just prepare for it like it's any other match. The kids I'll be facing [on Friday] are in my district so it's not going to be the last time I wrestle them."

While it may appear that Parsons is wrestling with an injured right shoulder – he wears a sleeve on his shoulder and upper arm – he says the gear is more about a mental boost at this point. He banged up the shoulder at the beginning of his junior season and rather than going to a doctor, he opted for the sleeve and wrestled through the injury.

Parsons' shoulder is 100 percent now and he will wear the sleeve again on Friday.

"Honestly, my shoulder is perfectly fine," Parsons said. "But it makes my dad happy and it makes me happy so I wear it."

Emerson/Park Ridge's Luke Mazzeo, the top-seed at 138, won a trio of matches Thursday to advance to the semis. He will face Hackensack's Corey Eyer, who also won three matches (including one by forfeit and one by default).



# WRESTLING

# St. Joseph star Alvarez angles for title at BCCA

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**HACKENSACK** – The Bull is off and running.

For Sammy Alvarez, Thursday was just business as usual. For everyone else in Bergen County, it was a scary thought.

The St. Joseph 120-pounder, who's as fast and powerful as his nickname sounds, made it look easy on the first day of the BCCA Holiday Wrestling Tournament.

First, a 19-7 major decision over Westwood's Tommy Eboli. Then, a pin in 3:21 against Sean Faraon of Paramus Catholic.

That allowed the Green Knights – a team of just 11 a year ago – to send five wrestlers to the semifinals and end up fourth in the team scoring race. Emerson/Park Ridge sits in first with 106 points, with Don Bosco and Westwood close behind.

"Sammy is a true wrestler," coach Damion Logan said. "He embraces opportunities. He wants to wrestle the best kids and he's not scared of anybody. He's the kid that loves the sport. He's a competitor that's in tune to challenge the best kids. It's just carrying over from last season. He recognized that he was a finalist and came that close."

Thursday was the latest sign that St. Joseph is on the rise.

Its new wrestling room that opened just a few weeks ago has created a different vibe. The roster has more than doubled and most on the team are underclassmen.

The Green Knights suddenly feel like a county contender, and even wrestled like one.

It helps, of course, to have someone of Alvarez's caliber.

The top-seeded wrestler was actually a finalist twice last season when he cemented himself as among North Jersey's best. But he went 0-2 by losing in the county championship to Fair Lawn's Dylan Ceden and then taking second in Atlantic City, what he called a "learning experience" that gave him motivation. So only a few days into the offseason, he got back on the mat with the intensity that earned him a nickname as a young club wrestler.

"I was always that kid who was fast," said Alvarez, who recently placed fourth at the Beast of the East. "I didn't really know much [about wrestling], but I never stopped going after people. I was relentless."

Alvarez won't have it easy, though, with Emerson/Park Ridge's Logan Mazzeo up next and Paramus' Kyle Kaiser, a two-time champion, possibly matching up in the final.

Either way, the Green Knights will be well represented with Stefano Sgambellone (132) in the semifinal along with Craig Manno (138), Garrett Beam (182) and Brian Sidle (285).

Sgambellone was sharp in his return after missing the last four weeks with a fractured left shoulder. The



**Sammy Alvarez, left, defeats Sean Faraon of Paramus Catholic in the BCCA Holiday Tournament on Thursday.** MICHAEL KARAS/NORTHJERSEY.COM

sophomore, a returning county fourth, said physical therapy, icing and even acupuncture helped him get healthy in time.

"We're bringing in really good kids," Sgambellone said. "They're really talented young wrestlers with lots to learn. It's on me and the upperclassmen to teach them. They can be as good as they want."

"One of our goals is to win counties so we're getting our mind-set to the next goal – complete one to get to the next one. The mind-set in the room is so straightforward, like tunnel vision."

## Surich moves on

Mahwah's Matt Surich (145) is looking to become his school's first BCCA champion since Ryan Sblendorio in 2010. Surich is a returning county runner-up, who will follow his older brother Daniel to TCNJ next year. He defeated Don Bosco's Ryan Cawood, 6-2, in the quarterfinals.

"It would mean a lot," Surich said, on winning. "That was my first goal this year and if I get that, it would be awesome and would give me a lot of momentum to carry on into the season."

## Don Bosco freshman stands out

Michael Tandurella made a Cinderella run, at least according to his seed.

Don Bosco's 106-pounder was a state medalist as an eighth-grader and came into his first county tournament hoping to make the final. But he found himself in a play-in match Thursday after not earning one of the top nine rankings. In the end, it didn't matter as he went 3-for-3 with a decision and two pins.

"I'm really excited to be here and able to make it to tomorrow," Tandurella said. "I wasn't surprised [by the seed]. I thought I could come in and get a good seeding, but as a freshman, I don't have as much criteria as the others so you got to work with what you got."



# CHAMPS, PALS

## Close buddies Dallara, O'Malley take weight titles at BCCA



### Local Sports

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**HACKENSACK** – They're Matt and Mickey, never the other way around, best friends, honored with the title as "Best Bromance" in the Hasbrouck Heights yearbook, workout partners, running partners.

Friday night, they added Bergen County wrestling champions to their list of accomplishments.

Matt Dallara and Mickey O'Malley claimed the 160-pound and 170-pound titles at the BCCA George Jockish Holiday Tournament at Hackensack High

School. O'Malley also took home the Outstanding Wrestler Award, which he'd probably share with his partner if he could.

"We didn't go to the same elementary school, but we knew each other from doing tae kwon do together and going to practice every day," said O'Malley, now 132-12 in his career. "Then we got into wrestling."

"It's good to have someone to compete with," said Dallara, now with 99 career wins. "We're always competing, in wrestling, in running, in lifting. It's great to have someone like that in my hometown just a mile away. We're pretty much together all the time."

Wrestling is a sport based on sacrifice and sweat and it contains its own

particular sense of honor. But no other sport has the same type of bond two wrestlers can forge from working together. It's day after day of hard work, literally pushing yourself against each other.

So it's no surprise to see at the top level of the sport, small little mini-teams form. There could be a school with a talented bunch of lightweights, or heavyweights. They get good from working against each other all the time.

"I love when he succeeds," said O'Malley. "It brightens my mood, it brightens everybody's mood. It gets me ready for my matches, when my

best friend loses, it's kind of hard to get up for my match, but when he wins, I'm like, 'yes, I'm going to win now.'"

Dallara had been on the podium before at the BCCA Tournament, but had never won it. In the final, he faced off against Tommy Chiellini of Pascack Valley. Dallara got an important takedown in the second period and was able to prevail, 5-1.

"Last year I got hurt on Jan. 11," said Dallara. "I was at 145 and I felt like I could get where I wanted to go, but I had to have surgery and needed three weeks to recover. I couldn't control my weight when I was immobile."

Dallara had to wrestle up when he returned to the mat, he advanced to Atlantic City, but he eventually wore down and suffered a gruesome eye injury as well.

"I feel like I'm capable of winning the State Tournament and that's the only goal," said Dallara. "That's what I'm focused on right now."

In the finals, O'Malley took on Northern Highlands standout Gabe Robles. There was a crazy opening flurry where Robles scooped up O'Malley around the waist and drove him back to the scorer's table.

Undaunted and unharmed, O'Malley then demonstrated his rare combination of strength and speed. After giving up an early takedown, O'Malley went to work, finishing off an impressive 16-2 triumph, which included a nifty fisherman's hook to get Robles briefly on his back.

"You have to know what you're doing with that move," said O'Malley with a smile. "The way you roll through. It can be dangerous, but it's like the millionth time I have done that."

For the first time in a long time, there was not a defending state champion in

the room at the BCCA Holiday Tournament. North Jersey only produced one last season, and Eric Chakonis of Don Bosco graduated. Bergen Catholic chose not to enter the tournament this season – they had previously dominated the event for years.

The absence of the Crusaders made for a wide-open tournament and room

for plenty of wrestlers to make statements. Don Bosco edged Emerson/Park Ridge to win the team title, thanks in large part to four third-place winners and two champions: Luke Chakonis and Peter Acciardi.

No surprise that Chakonis (195) and Acciardi (220) wrestle in back-to-back weight classes. No word on whether

they're a bromance too, but workout partners and best friends can help each other a long way on a wrestling mat.

"It's great because I know we put in the work," said Dallara. "We both do what we need to do, and we both love it and have fun all the time. It's great to both be successful and compete with one another."



# Don Bosco wins 2nd straight BCCA title

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HACKENSACK – The Chakonis never let Luke win.

Bergen County didn't have a choice.

All those years getting knocked around prepared Luke Chakonis to earn the title that his older brothers have won years before. The Don Bosco sophomore – whose siblings Zack and Eric also wrestled for the Ramsey school – helped the Ironmen defend their county championship Friday night at the BCCA Holiday Wrestling Tournament.

Chakonis became the 195-pound champion with a 3-2 win over Emerson/Park Ridge's Zach Lewis.

"It's really good to join my brothers," said Chakonis, on becoming his family's third BCCA winner. "It's an awesome feeling. I hope to do it again next year."

Don Bosco scored 218 points with Peter Acciardi taking first at 220 and another eight wrestlers placing in the top eight. Emerson/Park Ridge finished second with 200.5 points, while St. Joseph and Westwood rounded out the top four.

"I knew the kids were going to wrestle well," coach Tom Farinaro said. "But I didn't think we would win it. I thought EPR was going to win this tournament. We came in with a young group. I brought just 12 kids, not 14. We had two really experienced kids and the rest were freshmen and sophomores. Our guys won it in the wrestleback rounds."

This was supposed to be the rebuilding

year for Don Bosco. Farinaro had to replace more than half his lineup after graduating three Bergen County champion, including Eric Chakonis to Bucknell. They also lost a pair of transfers and had star wrestler Justin Bierdumfel held out of the tournament with an injury. But the Ironmen got a pleasant surprise from Luke Chakonis, whose decision to give up football and dedicate himself to summer wrestling paid off.

"My brothers always used to mess around with me on the mat too," Chakonis said. "I guess it helped me out."

The championship for Acciardi was his second straight. It came with a 19-7 major decision against Emerson/Park Ridge's Shane Carcich.

"He works hard," Farinaro said. "Pete never stops training. He's been working non-stop since he came into this school four years ago. Everything he's gotten, he's earned. He goes to every offseason tournament. He doesn't stop. He just continues to train and get better. That's what drives him."

## Surich breaks through

Matt Surich made Mahwah history.

After falling one win short last year, the Thunderbirds' 145-pounder got his redemption with a 4-3 win in the BCCA finals. It made him his program's third Bergen County champion and the first since 2010. Surich dug out of an early hole in a championship bout with Jack Trevisan of Ridgewood – a matchup between seniors who had faced each other in youth wrestling, but never in high school. Surich is now 10-0 this season, and 90-32 in his career.

"It means a lot being the first champion in six or seven years," Surich said. "I just kept my head straight in each match. I didn't let that first period get me down there. I didn't let that get to me at all. I knew I had to do get points, and I did that."



## BCCA Wrestling

### Friday

**Team Scores:** 1. Don Bosco, 218; 2. Emerson/Park Ridge, 200.5; 3. St. Joseph, 187; 4. Westwood, 163.5; 5. Fair Lawn, 140; 6. Pascack Valley, 122.5; 7. Paramus, 104.5; 8. River Dell, 90; 9. Northern Highlands, 89; 10. Garfield, 82; 10. (tie) Hasbrouck Heights, 82; 12. NV/Old Tappan, 71; 13. Saddle Brook, 68.5; 14. NV/Demarest, 65.5; 15. Elmwood Park, 56; 16. Ramapo, 55; 17. Lyndhurst/North Arlington, 54; 18. North Bergen, 53.5; 19. Ridgewood, 49; 20. Mahwah, 44.5; 21. Fort Lee, 42; 22. Dumont, 39; 23. Glen Rock, 35.5; 24. Waldwick/Midland Park, 33; 25. Becton, 30.5; 26. Ridgefield Park, 29.50; 27. Hackensack, 29; 28. Paramus Catholic, 26; 29. Ramsey, 22; 30. Bogota/Weehawken, 17; 31. Cresskill, 16; 31. (tie) Pascack Hills, 16; 33. Indian Hills, 15.5; 34. Lodi, 15; 35. Cliffside Park, 14; 36. Rutherford, 13.5; 37. Wood-Ridge, 13; 38. Leonia/Palispades Park, 8; 39. New Milford, 6; 40. Bergenfield, 2.

### Semifinals

#### 106

Nick Babin (Emerson/Park Ridge) t.f. Mike Tandurella (Don Bosco), 15-0, 4:29.  
CJ Limatola (Saddle Brook) p. Michael Rodriguez (Becton), 3:29.

#### 113

Dylan Cedeno (Fair Lawn) p. Andre Ruiz (Ridgefield Park), 2:58.  
Thomas Casey (Paramus) s.v. Antonio Abate (NV/Old Tappan), 3-1.

#### 120

Sammy Alvarez (St. Joseph) d. Logan Mazzeo (Emerson/Park Ridge), 3-1.

Kyle Kaiser (Paramus) d. Will Grater (Don Bosco), 6-1.

#### 126

Gianni Manginelli (Dumont) d. Matthew Murawski (NV/Old Tappan), 13-5.

Trent Furman (Westwood) p. Robbie Natelli (Pascack Valley), 5:12.

#### 132

Yousef Salem (North Bergen) inj. def. Joshua Ferreira (Garfield).

Stefano Sgambellone (St. Joseph) d. Zach Harris (Westwood), 5-2.

#### 138

Luke Mazzeo (Emerson/Park Ridge) t.f. Corey Eyer (Hackensack), 4:17.

Craig Manno (St. Joseph) d. Joe Parsons (Waldwick/Midland Park), 1-0.

#### 145

Matt Surich (Mahwah) d. Paul Kallensee (River Dell), 9-6.

Jack Trevisan (Ridgewood) p. David DiBella (Emerson/Park Ridge), 1:41.

#### 152

Jonah Schechtman (Emerson/Park Ridge) m.d. Gabe Perez (Fair Lawn), 8-0.

Christian Jimenez (Don Bosco) m.d. Justin DeMeester (Garfield), 8-0.

#### 160

Matthew Dallara (Hasbrouck Heights) d. Kyle Jacob (Paramus), 3-2.

Tommy Chiellini (Pascack Valley) d. Bryan Calton (Ridgewood), 15-9.

#### 170

Michael O'Malley (Hasbrouck Heights) t.f. Aidan Fernandez (Westwood), 17-0, 2:36.

Gabe Robles (Northern Highlands) d. Travis Arata (Mahwah), 5-3.

#### 182

Garrett Beam (St. Joseph) d. Casey Lewis (Pascack Valley), 4-0.

Anthony Sciuto (Northern Highlands) d. Ryan Rue (Fair Lawn), 3-2.

#### 195

Zach Lewis (Emerson/Park Ridge) p. Jacob Slump (Glen Rock), 1:48.

Luke Chakonis (Don Bosco) d. Ivan Jones (Fort Lee), 9-3.

#### 220

Peter Acciardi (Don Bosco) p. Dean Setticasie (Saddle Brook), 2:44.

Shane Carcich (Emerson/Park Ridge) d. Benny Dahdah (Westwood), 4-3.

#### 285

Bailey Paster (NV/Demarest) p. Michael Alfonso (Garfield), 3:20.

Brian Sidle (St. Joseph) p. Jason Kopich (Becton), 3:36.

## Finals

126: Furman d. Manginelli, 1-0.

132: Sgambellone d. Salem, 5-4.

138: Mazzeo d. Manno, 8-7 (OT).

145: Surich d. Trevisan, 4-3.

152: Schechtman d. Jimenez, 4-2.

160: Dallara d. Chiellini, 5-1.

170: O'Malley m.d. Robles, 16-2.

182: Beam t.f. Sciuto, 15-0, 5:23.

195: Chakonis d. Lewis, 3-2.

220: Acciardi m.d. Carcich, 19-7.

285: Paster d. Sidle, 5-4.

106: Babin t.f. Limatola, 15-0.

113: Cedeno t.f. Casey, 21-3.

120: Alvarez d. Kaiser, 4-2.

### Third Place Matches

106: Mike Tandurella (Don Bosco) p. Zak Martinez (Elmwood Park), 3:50.

113: Antonio Abate (NV/Old Tappan) d. Andre Ruiz (Ridgefield Park), 5-3.

120: Will Grater (Don Bosco) d. Logan Mazzeo (Emerson/Park Ridge), 3-0.

126: Matthew Murawski (NV/Old Tappan) d. Michael Cetta (St. Joseph), 7-4.

132: Frankie Motta (Fair Lawn) d. Zach Harris (Westwood), 4-3.

138: Jean Carlo San Juan (Don Bosco) d. Julian Robles (Westwood), 7-3.

145: Ryan Cawood (Don Bosco) d. Paul Kallensee (River Dell), 4-3.

152: Gabe Perez (Fair Lawn) d. Justin DeMeester (Garfield), 9-7.

160: Kyle Jacob (Paramus) d. Ryan Shaw (Emerson/Park Ridge), 4-0.

170: Travis Arata (Mahwah) d. Aidan Fernandez (Westwood), 8-3.

182: Casey Lewis (Pascack Valley) d. Ryan Rue (Fair Lawn), 3-2.

195: Ivan Jones (Fort Lee) d. Jackson Downey (NV/Old Tappan), 7-5.

220: Benny Dahdah (Westwood) d. Michael Filieri (Garfield), 7-0.

285: Austin Scher (Ramapo) d. Jack Swords (Don Bosco), 3-2.

## Friday results



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# Whose stock went up after BCCA tourney?

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This time, Goliath beat David.

Upsets were hard to come by at the BCCA Holiday Wrestling Tournament, held on Thursday and Friday at Hackensack.

It was a tournament dominated by the No. 1 seeds. The nationally-ranked wrestlers. The defending champions.

That doesn't mean there weren't teams and athletes who improved their profile at Bergen County's signature event.

Here are a few of them:

## Don Bosco's lesser-known stars

It wasn't just titles from Luke Chakonis and Peter Acciardi that kept the Bergen County trophy in Ramsey.

Coach Tom Farinaro was quick to point out that the team race was won and lost in the wrestleback rounds, and the stats certainly back that up. While Emerson/Park Ridge and St. Joseph had the most champions (3), it was Don Bosco who produced a tournament-high 10 medalists. Three came from freshmen - Mike Tandurella, Nick Franco and Ken Langenmayr - and another was Jack Swords, a senior without experience before this season.

## Former Queen of Peace wrestlers

The decision to close down the North Arlington school last June will have a lasting impact on the wrestling world for years to come. The Golden Griffins were one of North Jersey's top programs, even sectional finalists in 2017. Though they didn't compete at the holiday event in recent years, the stars from their final team showed just how much talent coach Scot Weaver once had. After finding a new home at St. Joseph, Garrett Beam made his BCCA tournament debut a good one. The top-seeded



Garrett Beam of St. Joseph defeated Anthony Sciuto, of Northern Highlands, in their 182-pound final of the BCCA Wrestling Tournament at Hackensack on Friday. MICHAEL KARAS/NORTHJERSEY.COM

wrestler swept through the 182-pound bracket with ease to win his first title. Don Bosco newcomers Will Grater and Jean Carlo SanJuan wrestled back to take third, helping the Ironmen hold off Emerson/Park Ridge in the team race. Becton heavyweight Jason Kopich, another Queen of Peace transfer, took fifth.

## The Westwood Cardinals

You have to go all the way back to 2006 to find the Cardinals' last BCCA champion before this season. That streak ended when Trent Furman held on for a 1-0 decision over Dumont's Gianni Manginelli in the 126-pound final. It was the only close call for Furman, who pinned his other three opponents and walked away with an 80-12 career record. That helped Westwood win the Group C title and go from 10th to fourth overall in the scoring race this season. Coach Paul Castellini kept all five Bergen County placewinners from last year - with each one returning to the podium this year - and added two new medalists in Ethan Fernandez (fifth, 106) and Ty Pfeufer (fifth, 113). Another standout was 220-pound ju-

nior Benny Dahdah, who took third.

## Highest jumps

Lyndhurst/North Arlington rose more than anyone else in the 40-team field. Coach Joseph Collins' group went from 37th to 17th in the standings this season, improving from five to 54 points. Most of the scoring came from Derin Stitzer (152) and Victor Jorge (160) since each placed fifth. Only a few other schools jumped at least 10 spots compared to last winter: River Dell (19 to eight), Ridgewood (35 to 19), Glen Rock (36 to 23) and Fort Lee (38 to 21).

## Bailey Paster of NV/Demarest

Senior Bailey Paster joined some good company with his title at 285 pounds. After all, Bergen County heavyweight champion has a pretty nice ring to it. Each of the past four winners have gone on to place fourth or higher at the state tournament the same season. The most recent example was Don Bosco's Eric Chakonis, who won it all at Boardwalk Hall. Paster was a region third last season at 220 and went 1-2 in Atlantic City.