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BC leads way with 13 selections

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The start of the new year means it's time to start rolling out the North Jersey wrestling rankings.

We'll break down the best in each weight class - as well as top teams across the region - every week throughout the regular season. One caveat to keep in mind: wrestlers need to appear in at least one bout this season to be considered.

Bergen Catholic leads the way in the first set of individual rankings with 13 selections, including six in the No. 1 position. The Crusaders maintained their spot atop the team rankings after sweeping three opponents at the Duals 4 Danny - an event that honors former Bergenfield wrestler Danny Glover and promotes the value of organ donation.

North Jersey individual rankings

106 pounds

- 1 Johnathon McGinty, St. Joseph 5-3
- 2 Nathan Braun, Bergen Catholic 7-1
- 3 Jack Bergmann, Lakeland 7-2
- 4 Branden Rosario, Passaic Valley 5-1
- 5 Jonathan Rotolo, Old Tappan 4-2

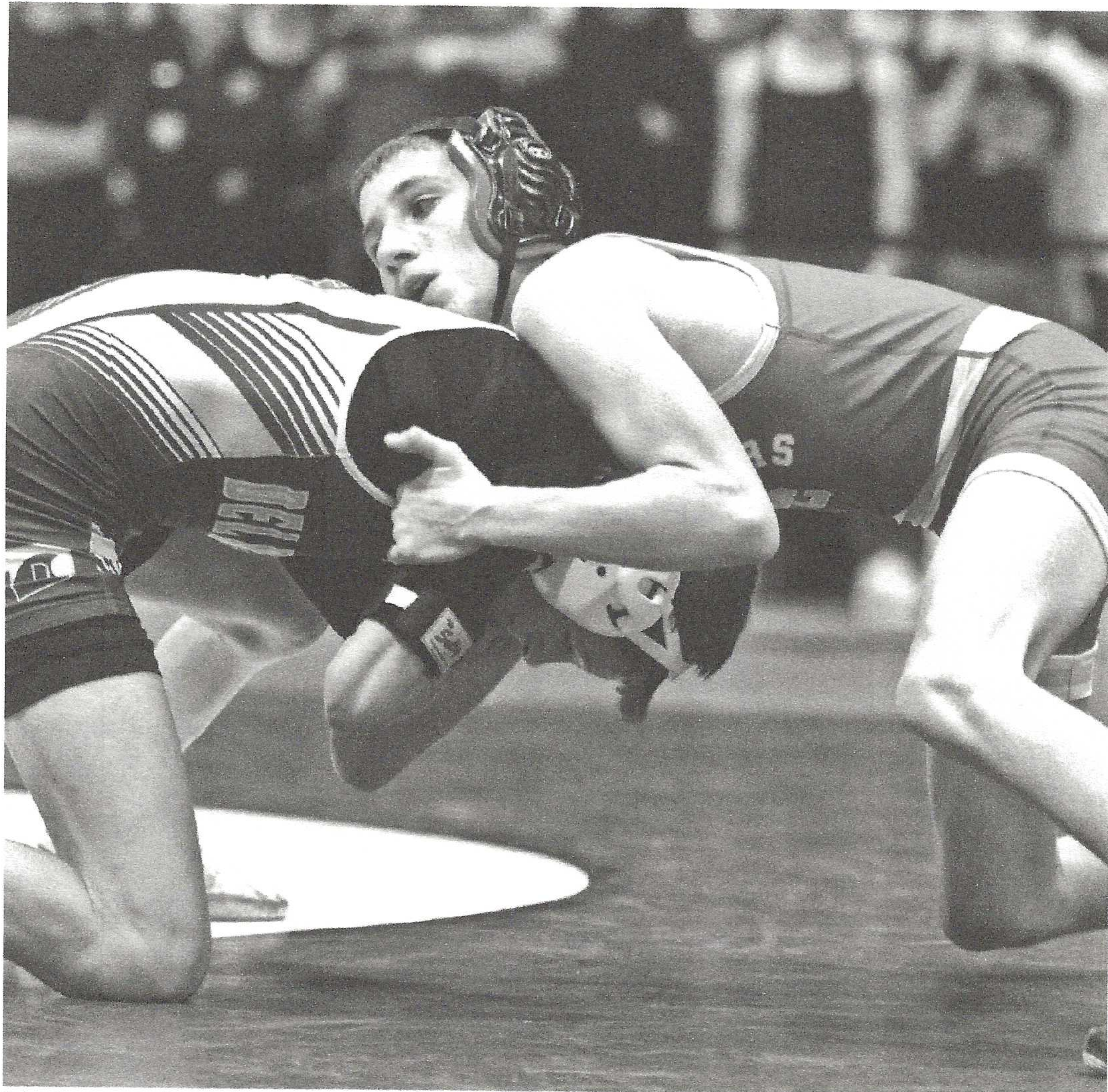
113 pounds

- 1 Vincent Paino, St. Joseph 8-2
- 2 Devin Ryan, New Milford 10-2
- 3 Malik Asfour, Lodi 3-3
- 4 Ethan Smith, Paramus Catholic 5-4
- 5 Seach Hibler, Bergen Catholic 3-1

120 pounds

- 1 Dylan Ross, Paramus Catholic 3-1
- 2 Santino Rodriguez, Don Bosco 10-3
- 3 Connor Kerwin, Passaic Valley 6-1
- 4 Ismael Vertedor, Passaic Tech 10-0
- 5 Nicky Pallitto, Bergen Catholic 3-0

126 pounds



Brian Melamud, of Bergen Catholic, takes control on his way to defeating Chase Quenault, of Delbarton, in their 106-pound match in the Non-Public A wrestling championship on Feb. 11. MICHAEL KARAS/NORTHJERSEY.COM

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- 1 Brian Melamud, Bergen Catholic 4-0
- 2 James Sloan, St. Joseph 5-6
- 3 Jerzey Ryan, New Milford 9-3
- 4 Marco Alarcon, Don Bosco 5-4
- 5 Chris Hong, Paramus 6-4

- 132 pounds**
- 1 Donny Almeyda, St. Joseph 5-5
 - 2 Ryan Langenmayr, Lakeland 8-2
 - 3 Ryan Hartung, New Milford 6-3
 - 4 Colin Menier, West Milford 6-3
 - 5 Deven Desai, Clifton 4-2

- 138 pounds**
- 1 Mateo Sgambellone, St. Joseph 8-3
 - 2 August Hibler, Bergen Catholic 3-0
 - 3 Christian Fojon, Ramsey 9-0
 - 4 George Hufnagel, Paramus Catholic 1-0

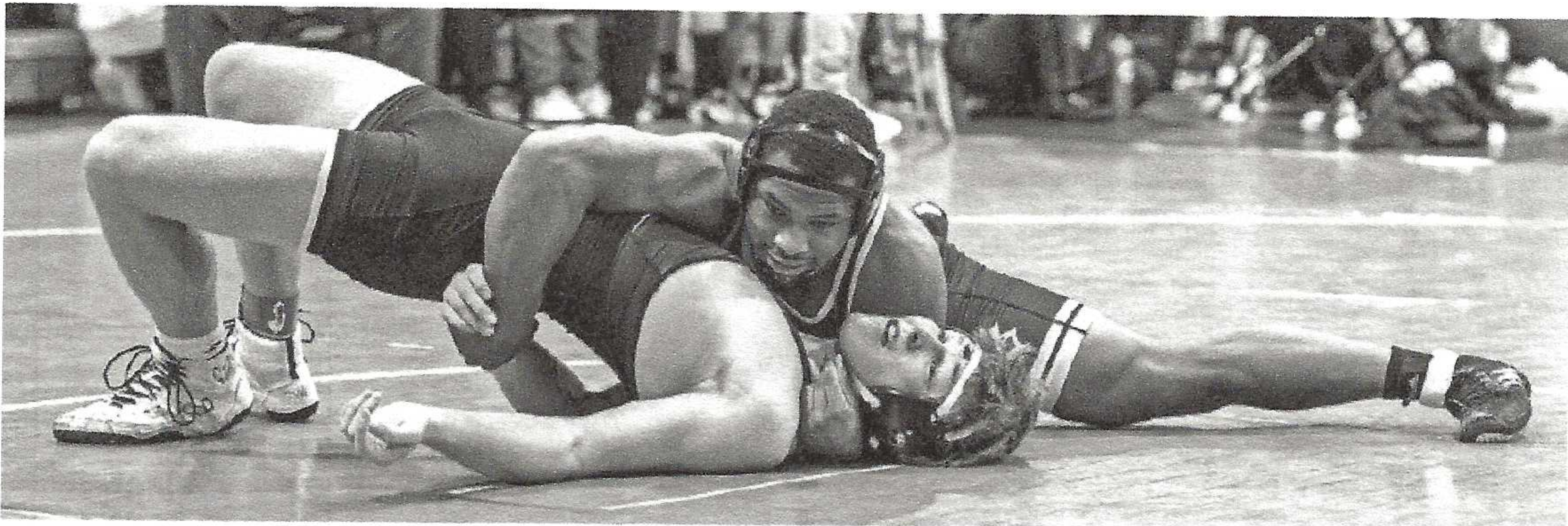
- 144 pounds**
- 1 Adam Hamdeh, Passaic Tech 7-0
 - 1 Ryan Ford, Bergen Catholic 3-1
 - 2 Loudon Mazzeo, Emerson/Park Ridge 5-0

- 3 Kyle Reiter, Paramus Catholic 5-4
- 4 Yannis Charles, St. Joseph 8-3
- 5 Jeremy Quezada, Dumont 6-2

- 150 pounds**
- 1 Chris Bacchioni, Bergen Catholic 8-0
 - 2 Zach Ballante, Paramus Catholic 8-3
 - 3 Ben Garcia, Don Bosco 7-4

- 4 Ricardo Balanzategui, Passaic Tech 7-1
- 5 Jake Wacha, Pascack Hills 5-2

- 157 pounds**
- 1 Aidan Wallace, Bergen Catholic 4-0
 - 2 Damian Weaver, Lyndhurst/North Arlington 5-0
 - 3 John Quinonez, Paramus Catholic 7-4



Xavier Williams, from Paramus Catholic, and Conor Delaney, from Rumson-Fair Haven, go head-to-head in a 190-pound match at the Sam Cali Invitational Wrestling Tournament on Dec. 27. Williams won. ANNE-MARIE CARUSO/NORTHJERSEY.COM

- 4 Gustavo Alarcon, Don Bosco 6-5
 - 5 Gavin Seiler, Westwood 8-2
- 165 pounds**

- 1 Daniel Rella, Paramus Catholic 6-5
- 2 Ryan Burton, St. Joseph 10-4
- 3 Eric Broadie, Bergen Catholic 5-1
- 4 Ray Kohan, Pascack Valley 8-0
- 5 Owen Delgado, Ramsey 8-1

- 175 pounds**
- 1 Justin Onello, Bergen Catholic 6-1
 - 2 Rocco Dellagatta, St. Joseph 11-3
 - 3 Eddie Terreri, Paramus Catholic 9-3

- 4 Nevin Mattessich, Don Bosco 6-4
 - 5 Nick Doktor, Clifton 8-0
- 190 pounds**

- 1 Michael Dellagatta, St. Joseph 8-2
- 2 Xavier Williams, Paramus Catholic 8-2
- 3 Leo Varga, Bergen Catholic 7-1
- 4 Dante DeLuca, Don Bosco 9-4
- 5 Ethan Mendel, Northern Highlands 8-0

- 215 pounds**
- 1 AJ Fricchione, Bergen Catholic 7-0
 - 2 Joseph Abill, Clifton 7-0
 - 3 Aidan Schlett, St. Joseph 3-2
 - 4 Robert Ekins, Don Bosco 5-4

- 5 Alejandro Camarena, Pascack Hills 5-2
- 285 pounds**

- 1 Jim Mullen, St. Joseph 11-0
- 2 Max Acciardi, Paramus Catholic 8-1
- 3 Benjamin Shue, Bergen Catholic 7-0

- 4 Daniel Elyash, Paramus 7-2
- 5 Matthew Lehman, Wayne Hills 8-0

(Records through Monday.)

North Jersey team rankings

- 1 Bergen Catholic 4-0
- 2 St. Joseph 4-2
- 3 Paramus Catholic 1-0
- 4 Don Bosco 1-0
- 5 Passaic Tech 2-0
- 6 Clifton 2-0
- 7 Pascack Hills 4-1
- 8 Old Tappan 2-0
- 9 Emerson/Park Ridge 3-0
- 10 Pascack Valley 3-2
- 11 River Dell 2-2
- 12 Westwood 3-0
- 13 Paramus 1-1

- 14 Wayne Hills 3-0
- 15 Butler 2-0
- 16 Northern Highlands 3-2
- 17 Ramapo 3-0
- 18 Ridgewood 1-2
- 19 Rutherford 7-2
- 20 New Milford 1-0
- 21 Hasbrouck Heights 2-0
- 22 Pompton Lakes 1-0
- 23 Fair Lawn 2-3
- 24 Lakeland 0-2
- 25 Ramsey 2-4

Bonus points

Ramapo climbs into the rankings after knocking off Ridgewood and Lakeland in dual meets and producing two finalists (Joey Fulco at 120 and David Rozenblum at 150) at the annual Lakeland Tournament.

Sophomore Jason Sansone won the last bout against the Maroons to hand new coach Bill DiMauro a 36-35 victory in his debut.

The two other newcomers in this week's team rankings are Rutherford at No. 19, and Fair Lawn at No. 23.

Lower weights to watch this year

Wrestling season getting set to start up next week

Monday Jan 9, 2023

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With the start of wrestling season on deck next week, it's time to profile the top wrestlers across North Jersey.

First up in our three-part series is a look at the lower-weights.

Malik Asfour

Lodi senior Asfour is back at 113 pounds after placing second in the Bergen County tournament and first at Region 2. He became his school's first regional champion since Dan Rinaldi (2008) and took home Most Outstanding Wrestler honors for his climb to the top.

Adrian DeJesus

DePaul sophomore The state champion at 106 will begin his title defense in a new home after transferring from St. Peter's Prep to DePaul. DeJesus enters the year with a 25-3 career record.

Chris Hong

Paramus senior Hong stepped into a big role last year for the North 1, Group 3 champions. He placed fourth in Bergen County at 106 pounds, won 31 matches overall and reached the third round of wrestlebacks at Boardwalk Hall.

Benjamin Marchetto

West Milford junior A broken nose didn't stop Marchetto from becoming the Highlanders' second state medalist in 15 years and the first since Christian DalCais in 2016. He wrestled to eighth in Atlantic City last year and captured Passaic County gold at 106.

Brian Melamud

Bergen Catholic junior Melamud is the defending Bergen County champion at 106 pounds, and he placed fifth in the state to cap a 34-5 season. He vaulted the Crusaders to the No. 1 ranking in the state with a pair of crucial victories over Delbarton and CBA in the section and group finals.

Chris Nucifora

Bergen Catholic junior Nucifora was one of the unsung heroes for the Bergen County champions last season. He wrapped up the year with a 22-11 record after winning a District 5 title and finishing a round away from the state podium.

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Vincent Paino

St. Joseph sophomore Paino had an excellent freshman season for the Green Knights, leading off their run of 10 region champions at 106 pounds. He was 25-10 overall, including a second-place performance at the Bergen County tournament.

Dylan Ross

Paramus Catholic junior Coach Jon Piela brought back all four of his state medalists in what's shaping up to the best lineup in program history. Ross (33-8) will be a catalyst in the Paladins' success after placing eighth in the state last year at 113 to go with a Bergen County title.

Devin Ryan

New Milford sophomore Ryan is expected to bump up one spot to 113 after helping the Knights set a program record with four district champions. He picked up a bronze medal at the Bergen County tournament and advanced to the state Round of 12.

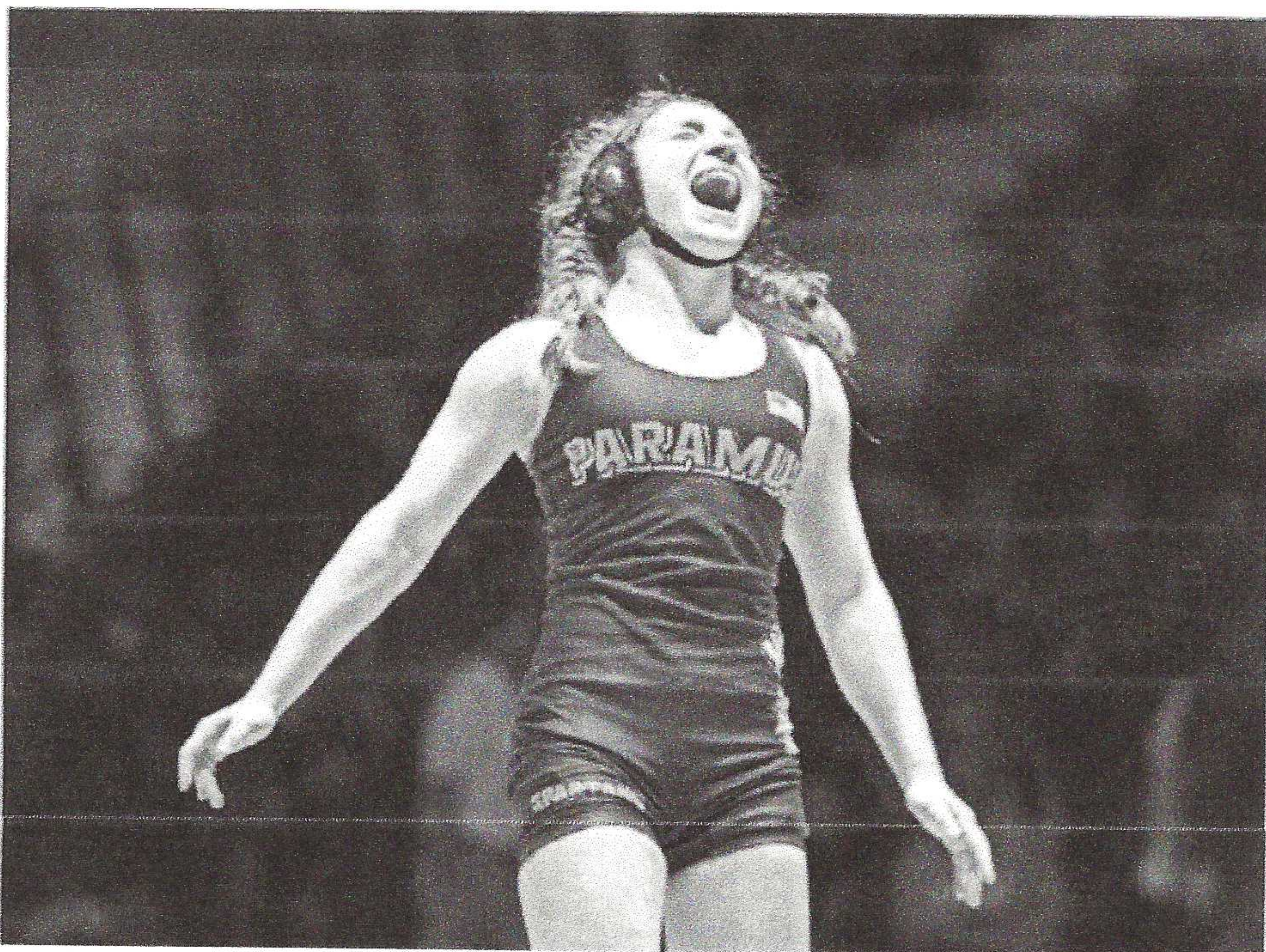
Olivia Klein

Paramus senior The two-time Bergen County champion is one of the first superstars of New Jersey girls wrestling with a state gold and silver in her collection. She will continue her career at East Stroudsburg, where she will re-unite with older sister Emily.

Theresa Zeppetelli

Ridgefield Park senior Zeppetelli was the comeback star of the season after recovering from a torn meniscus and fractured tibia that kept her out of the state tournament as a sophomore. She pinned her way to Bergen County gold at 107 and went on to join Pete Gonzalez as the only state finalists in school history.

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Olivia Klein is one of the first superstars of New Jersey girls wrestling with a state gold and silver in her collection. PETER ACKERMAN

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Middle weights to watch during 2022-23 season

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The second part of our three-day series is a look at the middle-weights.

Gustavo Alarcon

Don Bosco senior Alarcon is the seasoned veteran on a

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young Ironmen team. He was a county fourth last season and won a pair of matches at Boardwalk Hall as the state No. 28 seed.

Chris Bacchioni

Bergen Catholic senior Bacchioni helped the Crusaders tie a tournament record with seven Bergen County champions with his title run last year at 144 pounds. The Wayne native placed fifth in the state as a sophomore and likely would have returned to the podium if not for a leg injury.

Zach Ballante

Paramus Catholic sophomore Ballante was the top freshman in North Jersey last year, reaching the Bergen County finals and placing fifth in the state. This year, the 150-pounder will be in the middle of a talented Paladin lineup that brings back 12 starters.

Frank DiBella

St. Joseph junior DiBella was one of the breakout stars of last season as a district and regional champion. The Park Ridge native capped off a 29-win year by placing fourth in the state at 150.

Ryan Ford

Bergen Catholic junior Ford is a two-time state medalist after placing third at 113 as a freshman and seventh at 132 as a sophomore. He did not allow a single offensive point in four wins at the Bergen County tournament last season.

Ryan Langenmayr

Lakeland sophomore Langenmayr won the Passaic County title last year at 126 pounds by beating rival Colin Menier of West Milford in the first of their five meetings. Now, the state qualifier will move up a weight class and anchor the competitive Lancers lineup.

Louden Mazzeo

Emerson/Park Ridge senior The Mazzeos will be front and center this year for the Cavos with Louden starting at 138 and his dad, Joe, replacing legendary head coach Stan Woods. The TCNJ-bound senior is a returning region finalist who lifted the Cavos to another NJIC conference championship a year ago.

A four-year mainstay in the Green Knights lineup, Sgambellone turned in his best postseason run last year by making the state’s Round of 12. The Region 1 champion finished with a 25-8 mark.

Damian Weaver

Lyndhurst senior Weaver became the Golden Bears’ first Bergen County champion in 22 years when he downed Paladins star Daniel Rella in the 150-pound final last season. He took an unbeaten record into the region tournament and came one win away from reaching the state podium.

Jenna Filieri

Immaculate Conception senior Filieri is coming off a breakout season in which she shocked the top two seeds in Phillipsburg en route to the 152-pound state title. She will return to that weight class this year and pursue a second straight BCWCA title.

Taylor Peterson

Garfield senior The Boilermakers’ 145-pounder turned in a dominant season last year with 18 pins in 21 matches on her way to being a state runner-up. She was

selected as the Most Outstanding
Wrestler at BCWCA tournament after
recording three falls in under seven
minutes.

Mateo Sgambellone

St. Joseph senior
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Frank DiBella of St. Joseph’s Montvale walks onto the mat for his 150-pound bout on Day 1 of the NJSIAA state wrestling championships on March 3. DANIELLE PARHIZKARAN/NORTHJERSEY.COM



Immaculate Conception’s Jenna Filieri wrestles MacKenzie Finn of Bayonne. DANIELLE PARHIZKARAN/NORTHJERSEY.COM

Upper weights to watch during 2022-23 season

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The final part of our three-day series is a look at the upper weights.

Joseph Abill

Clifton senior Abill enters the season as the biggest name in North Jersey public school boys wrestling. The defending Passaic County heavyweight champion collected his second straight state medal last year by placing fifth.

Max Acciardi

Paramus Catholic senior Acciardi has been the face of the Paladins during their climb from rags to riches. He became the program’s first two-time state medalist last year by placing third at heavyweight for the second straight season.

Eric Broadie

Bergen Catholic senior The Crusaders finished No. 1 in the state last year and return eight of their 12 state qualifiers. Broadie earned his way into that group as a region finalist at 157 pounds.

Ryan Burton

St. Joseph sophomore Facing older competition didn’t seem to bother the DePaul transfer last year. He captured the Passaic County title at 157 pounds and qualified for the state championships as a region third.

Michael Dellagatta

St. Joseph senior The Cornell-bound senior reached the state podium in each his first three seasons, including back-to-back finishes in third. He’s unbeaten in two trips to the Bergen County tournament.

Rocco Dellagatta

St. Joseph sophomore The younger Dellagatta made an immediate impact in the Green Knights lineup last season. He won the Region 1 title at 157 pounds en route to secondteam All-North Jersey honors.

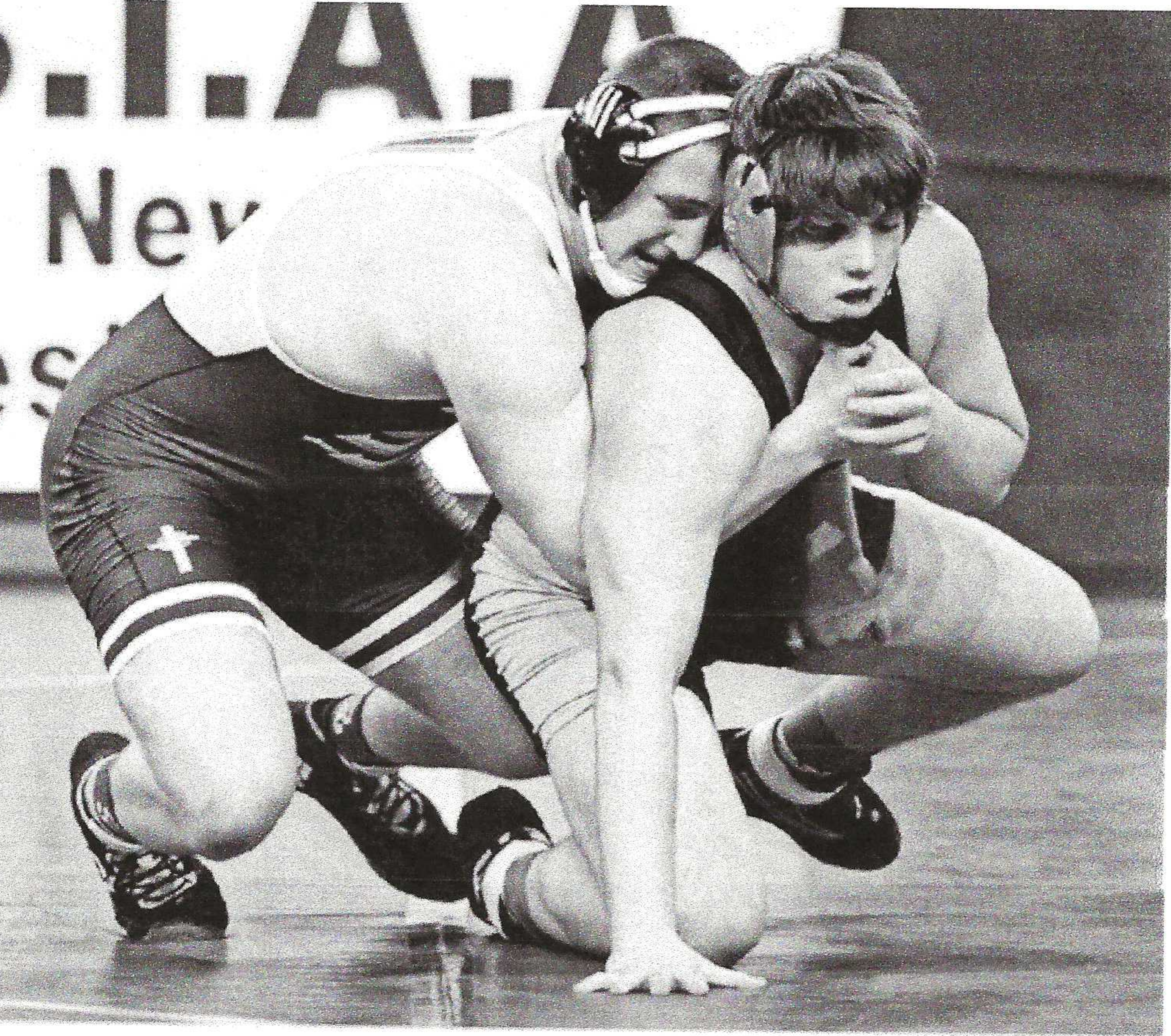
AJ Fricchione

Bergen Catholic senior The Penn State commit is a two-time state medalist who took third last year at 215 pounds despite weighing in at around 185. His win in the last bout against Delbarton completed the greatest tie in Bergen Catholic history: a sectional final upset over Delbarton on Criteria J.

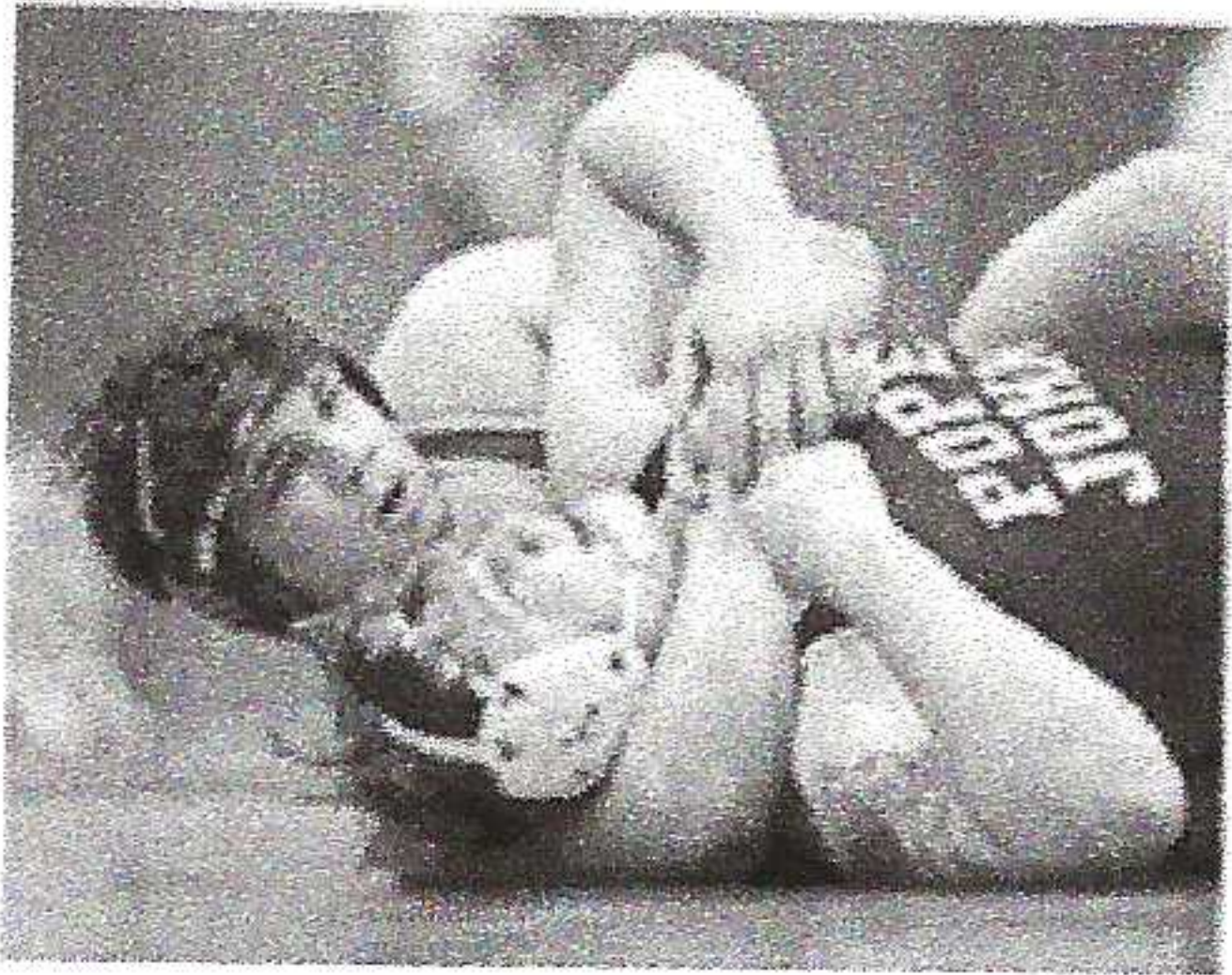
Jimmy Mullen

St. Joseph senior The 2022 North Jersey Male Athlete of the Year is looking to make more history before heading down to Virginia Tech to wrestle and play football. Mullen enters his senior year unbeaten against New Jersey opponents in high school and with a chance to become the

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Aidan Schlett of St. Joseph's Montvale, left, and Riley O'Boyle of Southern Regional wrestle in a 215-pound bout on Day 1 of the NJSIAA state wrestling championships on



Max Acciardi of Paramus Catholic, top, wrestles Jake Rubin of Pope John in a 285-pound bout during a North 1 Region wrestling meet.

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state's third three-time state champ at heavyweight.

Justin Onello

Bergen Catholic senior Onello picked up his second straight state medal last year as a seventh-place finisher after rotating between 165 and 175 pounds earlier in the season. He is committed to wrestle at Lehigh.

Daniel Rella

Paramus Catholic junior Rella helped the Paladins set a program record with four state medalists by reaching the 150-pound semifinals and taking sixth. He added a Bergen County silver medal during a 31-9 season.

Aidan Schlett

St. Joseph junior The Green Knights will chase the state No. 1 ranking, and Schlett is a big reason why. He seized his opportunity by placing seventh in the state last year at 215 after waiting behind Rutgers product Michael Toranzo.

Aidan Wallace

Bergen Catholic senior The Mahwah native is no stranger to Boardwalk Hall. A three-time state medalist, he placed seventh last season at 126 pounds after winning gold at the Bergen County tournament.

Xavier Williams

Paramus Catholic sophomore Williams proved to be one of the top freshman big men last year by reaching the third round of wrestlebacks at the state

championships. Only one other rookie made it to Atlantic City at his weight (190) or up.

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Top finishers from tourney

BCWCA GIRLS WRESTLING TOURNAMENT

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SUFFERN – Ridgewood coach Torre Watson looked around the practice room one day last week and gave his team some personal advice.

Make sure to be in Suffern on Sunday to watch the BCWCA girls wrestling invitational. Kamila Castro was going to do something special.

“They all applauded immediately because they see the work that she puts in,” Watson said. “I think they all knew that it was coming.”

The Maroons’ sophomore backed up her coach’s promise on Sunday by winning the championship as the fourth seed at 152 pounds. She shocked Immaculate Conception state champion Jenna Filieri, 5-2, in the semis, then scored a 14-7 decision over Paramus’ Emma Mees in the title match. It was hard for her to process a year after missing the podium.

“I’m so happy, I don’t even know how to put it in words,” Castro said. “I felt relief after all the work that I put in finally paid off. It’s like payday.”

Castro finished on top of the pack Sunday along with three other Bergen County wrestlers: Ridgefield Park’s Theresa Zeppetelli (100), Lodi’s Leeana Mercado (107) and Garfield’s Taylor Peterson (138).

For Castro, her wrestling roots run deep, even though she only started competing in the eighth grade. One of the first people she hugged after the championship was her uncle, twotime state champion Mike Massenzio. Castro looks at her success and sense of belief as the result of their daily training sessions last summer.

“He’s the one that first took me under his wing and treated me like I was his own daughter – taking me everywhere whether it was up in Pennsylvania or Atlantic City,” Castro said. “I have a lot to give to him. I’m happy that it paid off.”

Watson said Castro is the person he’ll use as an example of how to do something the right way. She took control in the first minute against Mees, using a throw to get a takedown and three back points. Castro sprung a reversal midway through the second period to regain momentum and please a crowd that included about 10 teammates.

“So well-deserved,” Watson said. “She’s undoubtedly the hardest working person in our room on our team. Nobody is

more committed. Nobody puts in more time. She earned and deserved all of that. We could not be more proud of her.”

Participation reached a new high at

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the fourth-annual BCWCA tournament with 193 total wrestlers, including 16 state medalists and three returning state champions: Filieri, Paramus’ Olivia Klein and Bloomfield’s Kira Pipkins.

Tournament directors added a new wrinkle this year by combining the boys and girls tournament into one giant weekend at Rockland Community College.

“I like it,” said Mercado, who pinned in 26 seconds in the finals. “It feels nice to be in a big arena and get the same opportunities that they do.”

Pipkins came up big once again and became the first girls wrestler in state history to reach 100 career wins. She hit the milestone with a 4-1 decision over Newton’s Liliana Zaku-Ramos and it made her the tournament’s first four-time champ.

Zeppetelli won by the same score in her final to make it two years in a row with the gold. She allowed only one point all tournament and pinned three of her four opponents.

“To be honest with you, (Klein) is literally my best friend,” Zeppetelli said. “It was really agonizing that I had to go up against her. But when it came down to it, I had to do what I had to do.”

Finals

100 pounds: Theresa Zeppetelli (Ridgefield Park/ Bogota) Dec Olivia Klein (Paramus), 4-1.

107 pounds: Leeana Mercado (Lodi) Fall Gianna Simeone (Newton), 0:26.

114 pounds: Lennix Horsburgh (Bound Brook) Fall Amanda Connors (Northern Highlands), 3:53.

120 pounds: Riley Lerner (Cedar Creek) Fall Kyara Montoya (Morris Hills), 5:27.

126 pounds: Kira Pipkins (Bloomfield) DEC Liliana Zaku-ramos (Newton), 4-1.

132 pounds: Kayla Vazquez (Kinnelon) F Julia Fongaro (Booton), 3:30.

138 pounds: Taylor Peterson (Garfield) F Gianna Puzycki (Bayonne), 1:41.

145 pounds: Samira Kupa (Booton) F Amaya Legra (Morris Hills), 0:28.

152 pounds: Kamila Castro (Ridgewood) DEC Emma Mees (Paramus), 14-7.

165 pounds: Kailin Lee (Newton) F Madelyn Schaper (Passaic County Tech), 1:04 **185 pounds:** Reno Prochilo (Bloomfield) F Jade Hahn (Donovan Catholic), 4:37.

235 pounds: Alissa Alcindor (Union) DEC Caroline Biegel (Lakeland), 1-0.

Semifinals

100 pounds

Olivia Klein (Paramus) Dec Paige Weiss (Sparta), 3-1.

Theresa Zeppetelli (Ridgefield Park/ Bogota) Fall Isabella Santos (Elizabeth), 2:34.

107 pounds

Leeana Mercado (Lodi) Fall Kate Machleder (Old Tappan), 3:52. Gianna Simeone (Newton) Fall Paige Kirk (Ramsey), 3:00.

114 pounds

Amanda Connors (Northern Highlands) Fall Ava Krzykalski (Lyndhurst), 4:00. Lennix Horsburgh (Bound Brook) Fall Mariah Koster (Nutley), 0:42.

120 pounds

Riley Lerner (Cedar Creek) Fall Grace Riley (Becton), 2:32.

Kyara Montoya (Morris Hills) Fall Kaylee Hughen (Booton), 1:12.

126 pounds

Kira Pipkins (Bloomfield) Maj-Dec Stacy Bloomfield (Glen Ridge), 9-1. Liliana Zaku-ramos (Newton) Fall Shea Aretz (Buena Regional), 1:32.

132 pounds

Julia Fongaro (Booton) Dec Maura White (Jefferson Twp), 5-1.

Kayla Vazquez (Kinnelon) Dec Pasley Fox (Hunterdon Central), 2-0.

138 pounds

Taylor Peterson (Garfield) Fall Sarah Spitzer (RiverDell), 0:49. Gianna Puzycki (Bayonne) Fall Kayla Franson (Paramus), 1:46.

145 pounds

Samira Kupa (Booton) Fall Olivia George (Depaul Catholic), 2:50.

Amaya Legra (Morris Hills) Fall Ayesha Payne-parris (Newton), 3:44.

152 pounds

Emma Mees (Paramus) Fall Ve’shae Polite (Elmwood Park), 3:35.

Kamila Castro (Ridgewood) Dec Jenna Filieri (Immaculate Conception), 5-2.

165 pounds

Kailin Lee (Newton) Fall Sonia Bawlas (Paramus), 3:49.

Madelyn Schaper (Passaic County Tech) Dec Michaela Callum (Southern Regional), 8-6 TB2.

185 pounds

Jade Hahn (Donovan Catholic) Fall Evette Colon (Morris Hills), 2:58.

Reno Prochilo (Bloomfield) Fall Ava Filieri (Immaculate Conception), 0:57.

235 pounds

Leeana Mercado (Lodi) Fall Blair Rodriguez (Columbia), 1:07.

Caroline Biegel (Lakeland) Dec Kelly Herrera (Passaic County Tech), 2-1.

Alissa Alcindor (Union) Dec Ashanti William (Newark Collegiate Academy), 2-0.

Quarterfinals

100 pounds

Olivia Klein (Paramus) Fall Aitana Lozano (Lyndhurst), 0:56.

Paige Weiss (Sparta) Dec Sophia Lentine-Turner (Depaul Catholic), 4-0.

Isabella Santos (Elizabeth) Tec-Fall Olivia McCormick (Lakeland), 21-5 4:00.

Theresa Zeppetelli (Ridgefield Park/ Bogota) Fall Gretchen Quast (Ramsey), 1:28.

107 pounds

Kate Machleder (Old Tappan) Fall Annemarie Thompson (Hunterdon Central), 1:02. Paige Kirk (Ramsey) Fall Masin Maugeri (Southern Regional), 2:09.

Gianna Simeone (Newton) Fall Brianly Baez (Newark Collegiate Academy), 1:33.

114 pounds

Amanda Connors (Northern Highlands) Fall Reese Rotonde (Ramsey), 0:11. Ava Krzykalski (Lyndhurst) Fall Kristina Gerndt (Newton), 0:10.

Mariah Koster (Nutley) Fall Kameko Sibblies (Newton), 1:58.

120 pounds

Riley Lerner (Cedar Creek) Fall Carly Poggio (Hunterdon Central), 1:36.

Grace Riley (Becton) Fall Miranda Peralta (River Dell), 3:47.

Kyara Montoya (Morris Hills) Fall Carmela Velasco (Immaculate Conception), 0:47. Kaylee Hughen (Booton) Fall Isabelle Yukselen (Paramus), 2:42.

126 pounds

Kira Pipkins (Bloomfield) Fall Ava Hosonitz (Morris Hills), 1:32.

Stacy Bloomfield (Glen Ridge) Fall Amia Martinez (Elizabeth), 2:30.

Liliana Zaku-ramos (Newton) Fall Catherine Weigel (Rutherford), 2:12.

Shea Aretz (Buena Regional) Fall Kylie Wright (Egg Harbior Twp), 2:37.

132 pounds

Julia Fongaro (Boonton) Maj-Dec Dalia Tsyrlin (Fair Lawn), 15-3.

Maura White (Jefferson Twp) Fall Isabella Bobadilla (Nutley), 2:58.

Pasley Fox (Hunterdon Central) Dec Eva Barry (Newton), 4-2.

Kayla Vazquez (Kinnelon) Fall Vanessa Feola (Passaic County Tech), 1:03.

138 pounds

Taylor Peterson (Garfield) Fall Marvely Fermin (Manchester Regional), 0:40. Sarah Spitzer (River Dell) Fall Madelyn Mclaughlin (Bloomfield), 3:06.

Kayla Franson (Paramus) Fall Jackalyn Campos (Ramsey), 1:53.

Gianna Puzycki (Bayonne) Fall Brisa Munoz (Passaic), 0:24.

144 pounds

Samira Kupa (Boonton) Fall Samantha Henrich (Southern Regional), 0:52.

Olivia George (Depaul Catholic) Maj-Dec Paige Decaro (Newton), 16-5.

Ayesha Payne-parris (Newton) Dec Kaylyn Juarez (Passaic County Tech), 8-6 SV. Amaya Legra (Morris Hills) Fall Mackenzie Finn (Bayonne), 2:34.

152 pounds

Jenna Filieri (Immaculate Conception) Fall Jocelyn Fredricks (Boonton), 1:06. Kamila Castro (Ridgewood) Fall Leanna Noel (Bloomfield), 5:49.

Ve'shae Polite (Elmwood Park) Fall Emma Kremper (Holy Cross), 0:49.

Emma Mees (Paramus) Fall Jayleen Barrett (Elizabeth), 1:44.

165 pounds

Kailin Lee (Newton) Fall Bakaima Kanabia (Bayonne), 2:32.

Sonia Bawlas (Paramus) Fall Christine Ahmad (Newton), 1:50.

Madelyn Schaper (Passaic County Tech) Fall Carina Rivera (Nutley), 4:58.

Michaela Callum (Southern Regional) Dec Marley Jackson (Immaculate Conception), 3-1 SV.

185 pounds

Evette Colon (Morris Hills) Fall Victoria Pereira (West Orange), 0:27.

Jade Hahn (Donovan Catholic) Fall Saharia Quamina (Bloomfield), 1:31. Reno Prochilo (Bloomfield) Fall Vaughnacia Cox (Ramsey), 3:27.

Ava Filieri (Immaculate Conception) Fall Kaitlyn Aguila (Nutley), 5:08.

235 pounds

Caroline Biegel (Lakeland) Fall Christine Pierre-louis (Union), 4:21.

Kelly Herrera (Passaic County Tech) Fall Evelyn Rivera (Passaic County Tech), 0:25. Ashanti William (Newark

Collegiate Academy) Fall Julissa Gil (Passaic), 0:30.

Alissa Alcindor (Union) Fall Jade Cruz torres (Passaic), 3:20.

Round of 16

100 pounds

Aitana Lozano (Lyndhurst) Maj-Dec Izzy Timonera (Nutley), 14-4.

Gretchen Quast (Ramsey) Fall Madison Rider (Morris Hills), 1:03.

Theresa Zeppetelli (Ridgefield Park/ Bogota) Fall Ava Novello (Mahwah), 0:51. Sophia Lentine-turner (DePaul Catholic) Fall Sophia Salazar (Morris Hills), 1:34. Isabella Santos (Elizabeth) Fall Maria Jose martinez (Clifton), 4:09.

Olivia McCormick (Lakeland) F Kailee Montanaro (Southern Regional), 0:26 Paige Weiss (Sparta) Fall Gianna Hernandez (Lakeland), 4:28.

Olivia Klein (Paramus) For Laila Henson (Immaculate Conception), 0-0.

107 pounds

Blair Rodriguez (Columbia) Fall Kiara Chac (Bound Brook), 1:03.

Annemarie Thompson (Hunterdon Central) Fall Kelly Marquez (Dwight Morrow), 4:45. Kate Machleder (Old Tappan) Fall Sidney Figueroa (Booton), 3:36.

Paige Kirk (Ramsey) Fall Allyson Palomino (Elizabeth), 0:36.

Masin Maugeri (Southern Regional) Fall Tavi Unnithan (Leonia/PP), 3:00.

Brianly Baez (Newark Collegiate Academy) Fall Daniela Hidalgo (Morris Hills), 0:47.

Gianna Simeone (Newton) Fall Ashley Hammerele (Lakeland), 1:17.

114 pounds

Reese Rotonde (Ramsey) Fall Kyara Olivera (Morris Hills), 3:15.

Jazzi Lopez (West Orange) Fall Alison Benitez (Lodi), 3:53.

Kameko Sibblies (Newton) Fall Jeanette Mejia (Elizabeth), 3:49.

Ava Krzykalski (Lyndhurst) Tec-Fall Havana Acevedo (Montclair), 16-1 5:21. Kristina Gerndt (Newton) For Fiona Gough (Wayne Valley).

Lennix Horsburgh (Bound Brook) Fall Drew Bonnet (Morris Hills), 0:59.

Amanda Connors (Northern Highlands) Fall Chelsie Dedios (Passaic), 0:17. Mariah Koster (Nutley) Fall Kailey Mount (Becton), 0:46.

120 pounds

Riley Lerner (Cedar Creek) Fall Sabikha Olimjanova (Fort Lee), 1:02.

Carly Poggio (Hunterdon Central) Fall Romina Sanchez (Elizabeth), 1:04.

Grace Riley (Becton) Def Abby Bloxham (Newton), 2-1 1:37.

Miranda Peralta (River Dell) Fall Diana Kowal (Montclair), 0:36.

Carmela Velasco (Immaculate Conception) Dec Emma Eigner (Newton), 9-4. Isabelle Yukselen (Paramus) No contest Olivia George (Depaul Catholic).

Kyara Montoya (Morris Hills) Fall Victoria Sabatelli (Lakeland), 0:50.

Kaylee Hughen (Booton) Fall Angelina Mejia (Elizabeth), 1:36.

126 pounds

Ava Hosonitz (Morris Hills) Fall Emma Reder (Sparta), 1:04
Amia Martinez (Elizabeth) Fall Sylvia Faragalla (Hunterdon Central), 3:32.

Catherine Weigel (Rutherford) Fall Silvia Gonzalez (North Bergen), 1:56.

Shea Aretz (Buena Regional) Fall Mariana Puzycki (Bayonne), 3:35.

Kylie Wright (Egg Harbor Twp) Fall Amahara Flores (Nutley), 0:12.

Kira Pipkins (Bloomfield) Fall Megan Risteski (Elmwood Park), 0:51.

Stacy Bloomfield (Glen Ridge) Fall Karley Perrini (Southern Regional), 0:42. Liliana Zaku-Ramos (Newton) Fall Adrien Carter (Columbia), 0:50.

132 pounds

Dalia Tsyrlin (Fair Lawn) Fall Samantha Goworek (Indian Hills), 0:35.

Maura White (Jefferson Twp) Fall Phoebe Abboud (Morris Hills), 1:30.

Eva Barry (Newton) Fall Jaelyn Karwoski (Hasbrouck Heights), 1:25.

Vanessa Feola (Passaic County Tech) Fall Angela Gjini (Ramsey), 4:39.

Julia Fongaro (Boonton) Fall Hannia Garcia (Southern Regional), 0:27.

Isabella Bobadilla (Nutley) Fall Madison Quince (Montclair), 1:10.

Pasley Fox (Hunterdon Central) Fall Jennifer Torres (Elmwood Park), 0:42. Kayla Vazquez (Kinnelon) Fall Leydi Maya (North Bergen), 1:59.

138 pounds

Marvely Fermin (Manchester Regional) Fall Miranda Barahona (Morris Hills), 0:16. Madelyn Mclaughlin (Bloomfield) Fall Aydibel Mejia (Elizabeth), 0:54.

Jackalyn Campos (Ramsey) Fall Alicia Julmisse (Passaic), 1:50.

Brisa Munoz (Passaic) Forfeit Linda Barrera (Passaic County Tech).

145 pounds

Samantha Henrich (Southern Regional) Dec Valeria Ramirez (Elizabeth), 6-0. Paige Decaro (Newton) Fall Cristina Pariona (West Orange), 0:45.

Mackenzie Finn (Bayonne) Fall Sofia Hernandez (Elmwood Park), 1:19 Olivia George (Depaul Catholic) Fall Yohail Taapia (Morris Hills), 0:40.

Kaylyn Juarez (Passaic County Tech) Dec Chloe Windsor (Holy Cross), 4-3.

Amaya Legra (Morris Hills) Fall Hillary Toro medina (Ridgefield Park), 3:23.

Samira Kupa (Boonton) Fall Celine Lantigua (Passaic), 0:09.

Ayesha Payne-parris (Newton) Fall Serena Wood (Fort Lee), 1:09.

152 pounds

Jocelyn Fredricks (Boonton) Fall Marian Ibrahim (Bayonne), 4:48.

Jayleen Barrett (Elizabeth) Fall Katelyn Sperry (Passaic County Tech), 1:08.

165 pounds

Michaela Callum (Southern Regional) Fall Luna Bayless (Morris Hills), 3:45. Bakaima Kanabia (Bayonne) Fall Mariangel Henriquez (Passaic), 2:52.

Madelyn Schaper (Passaic County Tech) Fall Khristine Torres (Lodi), 2:40.

185 pounds

Victoria Pereira (West Orange) Dec Leslet Rodriguez (Passaic County Tech), 7-4.

235 pounds

Christine Pierre-louis (Union) Fall Zamiya Wright (Newark Collegiate Academy), 2:43.

Evelyn Rivera (Passaic County Tech) Fall Aubrianna Mckinnis (Manchester Regional), 1:14. Kelly Herrera (Passaic County Tech) Fall Vivian Almiron (Passaic), 1:35.

Ashanti William (Newark Collegiate Academy) Dec Talisha Lewis (Bayonne), 1-0.

Julissa Gil (Passaic) Fall Ronicha Morvan (Elizabeth), 0:10.

Jade Cruz torres (Passaic) Fall Gabriella Guridy (Morris Hills), 0:55.

Alissa Alcindor (Union) Fall Tracy Najarro (Manchester Regional), 2:36.

Opening round

100 pounds

Laila Henson (Immaculate Conception) Dec Nyrona Crandol (Manchester Regional), 8-7.

Gianna Hernandez (Lakeland) Fall Isabella Santanocito (Ramsey), 4:49.

Sophia Salazar (Morris Hills) Fall Naomi Nachmias (Fair Lawn), 3:13.

Maria Jose Martinez (Clifton) Fall Aracelis Soto (Newark Collegiate Academy), 1:00.

Kailee Montanaro (Southern Regional) Dec Gianna Cedeno (Manchester Regional), 7-1. Ava Novello (Mahwah) Fall Sofia Antinora (Southern Regional), 3:23.

107

No matches

114 pounds

Chelsie Dedios (Passaic) Fall Alexa Sholtz (Jefferson Twp), 0:25.

Kristina Gerndt (Newton) Fall Roselyn Zometa (Dwight Morrow), 0:32. Havana Acevedo (Montclair) Fall Kylie Gianotto (Bound Brook), 1:36.

Drew Bonnet (Morris Hills) Fall Bella Tsang (Leonia/PP), 4:20.

Kailey Mount (Becton) Dec Kayla Janis (Lodi), 8-3.

120 pounds

Sabikha Olimjanova (Fort Lee) Dec Sahasra Shyam (New Milford), 6-2. Victoria Sabatelli (Lakeland) Fall Karlee Reid (Newton), 1:18.

Angelina Mejia (Elizabeth) Fall Syndey Ward (Southern Regional), 2:37.

126 pounds

Megan Risteski (Elmwood Park) Fall Kate Bello (Passaic County Tech), 3:06. Karley Perrini (Southern Regional) Fall Cindy Huezo (Elizabeth), 0:34.

Adrien Carter (Columbia) Fall Kimberly Leal (Passaic), 1:09.

132 pounds

Hannia Garcia (Southern Regional) Fall Emily O’Day (Booton), 1:08.

Madison Quince (Montclair) Fall Paige Berger (Ramsey), 2:19.

Jennifer Torres (Elmwood Park) Fall Gabriela Mulet (North Bergen), 0:39.

Leydi Maya (North Bergen) Fall Nilcoline Jelici (Passaic County Tech), 5:13.

138 pounds

No matches

145 pounds

Celine Lantigua (Passaic) F Natiya Carson (Newark Collegiate Academy), 1:47 Serena Wood (Fort Lee) Fall Clara Rodriguez (Columbia), 2:56.

Sofia Hernandez (Elmwood Park) Fall Ashna Patel (Hunterdon Central), 1:22.

152 pounds

No matches

165 pounds

No matches

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No matches

235 pounds

No matches

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Theresa Zeppetelli, of Bogota, is shown on top of Olivia Klein, of Paramus, en route to winning the 100-pound final on Sunday. KEVIN R. WEXLER/THE RECORD