## 2009-10 PAC Wrestling Release Week 8 - January 19



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### 2009-10 PAC STANDINGS (through January 18)

	PAC	Con	tests	F	λШ	Conte	ests
School	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	Pct.	<u>V</u>	V	L	Pct.
Thiel	1	0	1.00	5	)	5	.500
Washington & Jefferson	0	0	.000	6	)	1	.857
Waynesburg	0	1	.000	4		7	.363

### **LAST WEEK**

Wednesday, January 13, 2010 McDaniel 17, Waynesburg 15

Friday, January 15, 2010 Wilkes 34, Thiel 4

Saturday, January 16, 2010

Messiah 23, Thiel 18

Washington & Lee Invitational (nine teams)

- 1. Waynesburg 97.0
- 2. Wash. & Jeff. 81.0

Sunday, January 17, 2010

Thiel at Purple Raider Open

**THIS WEEK** 

Friday, January 22, 2010

Waynesburg at Washington & Jefferson\* - 7 p.m.

Saturday January 23, 2010

Penn State-Dubois at Waynesburg - 2 p.m.

Thiel at Eastern Michigan Duals

### PAC Wrestling 2009-10 - Week 8 Conference Notes

CHAMPS AGAIN: After a heartbreaking loss against McDaniel, the Waynesburg grapplers bounced back in a big way with a first-place finish at the Washington & Lee Invitational ... Yellow Jacket junior Nick Garber was named the Outstanding Wrestler of the Tournament for the third straight year after rolling to the 141-pound title on three straight first-period pins ... Wash. & Jeff. also represented the PAC well, grabbing 2nd at the W&L Invite.

AROUND THE PAC: W&J's Dominick Demor (157) has won 13 consecutive matches and is seven wins away from becoming fifth wrestler in school history to win 30 matches in a season...Fellow President Zach Cecchetti (125) improved to 18-8 overall after posting two wins en route to his second consecutive W&L Invitational title...Garrett Johnston (149), Corbin Semple (184) and Melvin Warrick (285) also won individual titles for the Jackets.

### PAC Wrestler of the Week

NICK GARBER Waynesburg Junior 141 pounds Waynesburg Pa. Waynesburg Central H.S.



Garber enjoyed a 4-0 week that improved his overall season record to a team-best 19-3 with a team-high 10 wins by fall. After beating McDaniel's Mike Tancredi by decision, the nationally-ranked junior rolled to the 141-pound title at the Washington & Lee Invitational on the strength of three first-period falls. He pinned second-seeded Sam Campbell of Washington & Lee in 1:11 to clinch the title. He was named the Outstanding Wrestler of the Tournament.

Also nominated was sophomore 125-pounder **Zach Cecchetti** of Washington & Jefferson and sophomore 165-pounder **Alec Miller** of Thiel.

#### 2009-10 PAC Wrestlers of the Week

Nov. 9 - Nick Garber, 141-lbs., WAY

Nov. 16 - Tyler Berger, 141-lbs., W&J

Nov. 23 - Alex Crown, 125-lbs., WAY

Dec. 7 - Corbin Semple, 184-lbs., WAY

Dec. 14 - Nick Garber, 141-lbs., WAY

Jan. 4 - Dominick Demor, 157-lbs., W&J

Jan. 11 - Robbie Mies, 197-lbs., W&J

Jan. 18- Nick Garber, 141-lbs., WAY

Jan. 25

Feb. 1

Feb. 8

### Thiel Tomcats (5-5, 1-0 PAC)

Thiel College earned a resound-

ing, 50-5, victory over Rochester Institute of Technology on Saturday to wrap up its competition in the Budd Whitehill Duals at Lycoming College ... Thiel finished 1-3 at the event, bringing its season record to 5-5 ... The Tomcats fell to York College, 26-10, on Saturday and on Friday, fell to No. 16 Wilkes, 34-9, and Messiah, 23-18... Sophomore Alec Miller turned in a solid performance going 3-1 on the weekend ... The 165pounder earned a 4-41 decision, a technical fall (17-1) and an 8-2 decision ... Freshman Tommy Kozak also has a solid outing by winning two matches on Saturday – a pin and a 3-2 decision to up his record to 14-5 on the year... Thiel returns to action next Saturday when they participate in the Eastern Michigan Duals.

### Washington & Jefferson Presidents (6-1, 0-0 PAC)

The Presidents earned three individual champions at the Wash. & Lee Invita-



W&J

tional on Saturday in Virginia ... W&J placed second of seven teams at the tournament behind champion Waynesburg... The Presidents have three-straight runner-up finishes at the W&L Invitational ... Sophomores Zach Cecchetti (125) and Dominick Demor (157) and freshman Robbie Mies (197) all were crowned champions ... Demor has now won 13 consecutive matches and improved his season record to 23-6 overall, seven wins away from becoming only the fifth wrestler in school history to win 30 matches in a season ... Cecchetti improved to 18-8 overall after posting two wins en route to his second consecutive W&L Invitational title ... Mies has won six-straight matches after racking up three wins, including two by fall ... Mies is tied for second on the team behind Demor (8) and sophomore 133-pounder Brandon Samson (8) with seven falls.

### Waynesburg Yellow Jackets (4-7, 0-1 PAC)

After a disappointing start to the week, the



Waynesburg wrestling team finished strong by defending their team title at the Washington & Lee Invitational ... The Yellow Jackets scored 97 team points, which put them comfortably ahead of second-place Washington & Jefferson (81) ... Junior **Nick Garber** was named the Outstanding Wrestler of the Tournament after rolling to the 141-pound title on three straight first-period pins ... It was his third title in three years ... Sophomore **Garrett Johnston** (149), junior **Corbin Semple** (184) and senior **Melvin Warrick** (285) also won individual titles.

## Thiel Tomcats 5-5, 1-0 PAC

# Wash. & Jeff. Presidents 2-0, 0-0 PAC

## Waynesburg Yellow Jackets 2-3, 0-1 PAC

Nov. 7	Baldwin-Wallace Duals	3
	vs. Lycoming	L, 9-29
	at Baldwin-Wallace	W, 25-12
	vs. Mount St. Joseph	W, 36-7
Nov. 14	at Wash. & Jeff. Open	Ind. only
Nov. 17	at Mount Union	L, 14-22
Dec. 5	at RIT Invitational	8th/10
Dec. 11	WAYNESBURG*	W, 17-16
Jan. 9	at Case West. Reserve	W, 36-11
Jan. 15	at Lycoming Duals	
	Wilkes	L, 9-34
	Messiah	L, 18-23
	York	L, 10-26
	RIT	W, 50-5
Jan. 17	at Mount Union	9 a.m.
Jan. 23	at Eastern Michigan Dua	ls 10 a.m.
Jan. 30	MEL BERRY DUALS	1 p.m.
Feb. 5	WASH. & JEFF.*	7 p.m.
Feb. 6	at Baldwin-Wallace	10 a.m.
Feb. 12	PAC Championships	5 p.m.
Feb. 20	at NCAA Midwest Reg	. 9 a.m.
Mar. 5	at NCAA Championships	s 11 a.m.

Nov. 7	at Clarion Open	Ind. only
Nov. 13	WVU TECH	ccld
Nov. 14	WASH. & JEFF. OPEN	Ind. only
Nov. 19	at Scranton	W, 18-13
Nov. 21	at Springfield Invite	14th/18
Dec. 4	PENN STDUBOIS	W, 28-6
Dec. 29	at Citrus Invitational	8 a.m
Dec. 30	at Citrus Invitational	8 a.m
Jan. 9	vs. Penn State-DuBois	W, 30-13
	vs. Gettysburg	W, 37-12
	vs. Wash. & Lee	W, 42-6
Jan. 16	at Wash. and Lee Invit	e 2nd/9
Jan. 22	WAYNESBURG*	8 p.m
Jan. 29	SETON HILL	8 p.m
Feb. 5	at Thiel*	7 p.m
Feb. 12	PAC Championships	5 p.m
Feb. 20	at NCAA Midwest Reg	•
Mar. 5	at NCAA Championship	s 11 a.m

Nov. 9	Messiah Invitational	3rd/9
Nov. 13	SHIPPENSBURG	W, 20-15
Nov. 14	at Wash. & Jeff. Open	Ind. only
Nov. 21	WAYNESBURG QUAD	Ind. only
Dec. 5	RIT Invitational	4th/10
Dec. 11	at Thiel*	L, 16-17
Dec. 15	at Muskingum	W, 46-6
Dec. 18	APPRENTICE SCHOO	DLW, 29-16
Jan. 9	vs. Columbia	L, 15-31
	vs. Eastern Michigan	L, 11-36
	vs. Pitt	L, 3-39
Jan. 13	at McDaniel	L, 15-17
Jan. 16	Wash. & Lee Invite	1st/9
Jan. 22	at Wash. & Jeff.*	7 p.m.
Jan. 23	PENN STDUBOIS	6 p.m.
Jan. 30	at West Liberty State	7 p.m.
Feb. 3	at Gannon	7 p.m.
Feb. 6	at B-W Summa Tourne	y 10 a.m.
Feb. 12	PAC Championships	5 p.m.
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