



WRESTLING 2002-03

Presidents' Athletic Conference

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CURRENT REGULAR SEASON STANDINGS (through December 8, 2002)

<u>School</u>	<u>PAC Matches</u>			<u>All Matches</u>		
	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
Thiel College	0	0	.000	2	3	.400
Waynesburg College	0	0	.000	1	2	.333
Washington & Jefferson College	0	0	.000	0	1	.000

THIS WEEK'S RESULTS

Saturday, December 14

Ohio Northern Invitational - Ada, Ohio (13 teams)

Thiel - ninth place (37.5 points)

Waynesburg - 10th place (32.5 points)

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Saturday-Monday, December 28-30

Thiel at Citrus Classic Open (Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.) - 9 a.m.

Saturday, January 4

Washington & Jefferson, Waynesburg at Heidelberg Tournament (Tiffin, Ohio) - 9 a.m.

PAC WRESTLER OF THE WEEK

STEVE DEDRICK

Thiel College

Senior - 149 pounds

Erie, Pa./General McLane H.S.

Dedrick led the Tomcats to a ninth-place finish at the Ohio Northern Invitational this weekend, after placing fourth overall in the 149-pound division. He posted a 5-2 record on the day after entering the tournament as the #6 seed.

Also nominated was junior 141-pounder **Chris Vicente** of Waynesburg.

PAC WRESTLING NOTES

Thiel Tomcats

The Tomcats finished ninth (37.5 pts) at the Ohio Northern University Invitational in Ada, Ohio, on Saturday ... Senior 149-pound **Steve Dedrick** and freshman 141-pound **Matt Kirsopp** led the Tomcat performers with fourth-place finishes in their respective weight classes ... Dedrick entered the invitational as the sixth seed at 149 and opened with a 19-4 tech fall (5:55) win over Manchester's **Jonathon Polomchak**, then defeated the University of Indianapolis' **Wes Hall** 10-6 ... After the victory over Hall, he fell to third-seeded **Tony Patrizi** of Heidelberg 10-4 ... Dedrick battled back in the losers bracket with wins over eight-seeded **Ken Laird** of Waynesburg (16-6), seventh-seeded **Dan Irwin** of Manchester (17-6) and fourth-seeded **Jeremy Salyers** of Heidelberg (medical forfeit) ... In the third place match Dedrick fell to **Rocky Burkett**, the fifth seed from Manchester, 5-2 ... Kirsopp went in as the fifth seed at 141, earning a bye in the first round of action ... He wrestled to wins over **Tanner Yates** of the University of Indianapolis (6-4) and fourth-seeded **Nick Koons** of Manchester (medical forfeit) before losing to Indianapolis' **Josh Holden**, the class' first seed, 13-6 ... After a huge tech fall victory over Presidents' Athletic Conference (PAC) rival **Chris Vincente** of Waynesburg (16-0, 4:40), Kirsopp fell in the third place match to second-seeded **Sayre Wurh** of Baldwin-Wallace 11-6.

Wash. & Jeff. Presidents

Washington & Jefferson wrestling was off last week ... The Presidents return to the mats on Jan. 4, 2003 at the Heidelberg Tournament in Tiffin, Ohio.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

Three Yellow Jackets placed at the Ohio Northern University Invitational Saturday, as Waynesburg finished 10th in the 13-team field ... The Invitational featured three Division II squads and three nationally-ranked Division III squads ... Five Yellow Jackets were seeded, while three placed, including unseeded **Bryan Patnesky** at 174 ... Patnesky later captured seventh place with a win over Olivet's **Drew Graham** by a 8-6 decision. **Chris Vicente** took home fifth place in the 141-pound bracket ... After advancing with two wins in the losers' bracket, he lost to Thiel's **Matt Kirsopp** on a tech fall at 4:40 ... Vicente finished the day on a winning note with a 10-4 decision over Mount St. Joseph's **Tim Harrison** in the fifth-place bout ... **Chris Pierce** took eighth in the heavyweight bracket ... Pierce defeated Heidelberg's **Matt Coniglio**, 9-5, before two straight losses to end the tournament.

Past PAC Wrestlers of the Week

November 25: Matt Smith, 174 lbs., Wash. & Jeff.

December 9: Matt Kirsopp, 141 lbs., Thiel

December 16: Steve Dedrick, 149 lbs., Thiel

January 6:

January 13:

January 20:

January 27:

February 3:

February 10: