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PENN STATE NITTANY LIONS (17-0, 8-0 B1G)

WT	NAME	EL	HT/HS	REC
125	#16 Drew Hildebrandt vs. 2022 field 2-3 // Career in NCAA tournament 5-4 <i>2X All-American (2020, 2021)</i>	Sr.+	Granger, Ind./Penn	9-3
133	#1 Roman Bravo-Young vs. 2022 field 10-0 // Career in NCAA tournament 9-3 <i>3X All-American (2019, 20, 21) // 2021 NCAA Champion // 2X Big Ten Champion (2021, 22)</i>	Sr.	Tucson, Ariz./Sunnyside	17-0
141	#1 Nick Lee vs. 2022 field 9-0 // Career in NCAA tournament 15-4 <i>4X All-American (2018, 19, 20, 21) // 2021 NCAA Champion // Big Ten Champion (2022)</i>	Sr.+	Evansville, Ind./Homeschooled	17-0
149	#13 Beau Bartlett vs. 2022 field 5-7 // Career in NCAA tournament 0-0	So.	Tempe, Ariz./Wyoming Seminary (Pa.)	14-8
157	#16 Brady Berge vs. 2022 field 4-1 // Career in NCAA tournament 4-3	Sr.	Mantorville, Minn./Kasson-Mantorville	9-2
174	#1 Carter Starocci vs. 2022 field 9-0 // Career in NCAA tournament 5-0 <i>All-American (2021) // 2021 NCAA Champion // Big Ten Champion (2022)</i>	So.	Erie, Pa./Cathedral Prep	18-0
184	#2 Aaron Brooks vs. 2022 field 11-1 // Career in NCAA tournament 5-0 <i>2X All-American (2020, 2021) // 2021 NCAA Champion // 2X Big Ten Champion (2020, 21)</i>	Jr.	Hagerstown, Md./North Hagerstown	16-1
197	#1 Max Dean vs. 2022 field 11-1 // Career in NCAA tournament 7-4 <i>2X All-American (2018, 2019) // Big Ten Champion (2022)</i>	Jr.	Lowell, Mich./Lowell	18-1
285	#4 Greg Kerkvliet vs. 2022 field 9-2 // Career in NCAA tournament 4-2 <i>All-American (2021)</i>	So.	Inver Grove Heights, Minn./Simley	18-2

Rankings listed are official tournament seed (3/9/22)

THIS WEEK

Penn State (17-0, 8-0 B1G) will take nine wrestlers to the 2022 NCAA Wrestling Championships on March 17-19, 2022, in Detroit, Mich. The three-day event runs Thursday through Saturday and will take place in Little Caesars Arena.

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2021-22 SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER

Sat.	13	vs. Sacred Heart (Manheim, Pa.)	W, 47-3
Sat.	13	vs. Oregon State (Manheim, Pa.)	W, 32-7
Thur.	18	ARMY WEST POINT (B1G+)	W, 32-7

DECEMBER

Fri.	3	at Penn	W, 20-16
Sun.	5	LEHIGH (B1G+)	W, 23-16
M-Tu.	20-21	Collegiate Wrestling Duals, Niceville, Fla.	
	20	vs. #22 Northern Iowa	W, 29-9
	20	vs. #9 Cornell	W, 21-16
	21	vs. #3 Arizona State	W, 29-10

JANUARY

Fri.	7	at Maryland* (B1G+)	W, 46-0
Sun.	9	INDIANA* (B1G+)	W, 29-11
Sun.	16	#14 RUTGERS* (ESPNU)	W, 27-11
Fri.	21	at #3 Michigan* (B1G)	W, 29-6
Sun.	23	at Michigan State* (B1G+)	W, 28-9
Fri.	28	at #3 Iowa* (B1G)	W, 19-13

FEBRUARY

Fri.	4	#6 OHIO STATE* (B1G)	W, 32-7
Sun.	6	#7 NEBRASKA* (B1G)	W, 21-13
Sun.	20	RIDER (B1G+)	W, 45-0

MARCH

Sa.-Sn.	5-6	B1G Championships	2nd - 141.5 pts. Lincoln, Neb.
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(Bravo-Young 1st, 133; Lee 1st, 141; Starocci 1st, 174; Dean 1st, 197; Brooks 2nd, 184; Berge 3rd, 157; Kerkvliet 3rd, 285; Bartlett 7th, 149; Hildebrandt 10th, 125; Edsell DNP, 165)

Th.-Sa.	17-19	2022 NCAA Championships, Detroit, Mich.	
Thur.	17	Session 1 (ESPNU)	12 p.m.
Thur.	17	Session 2 (ESPN)	7 p.m.
Fri.	18	Session 3 (ESPNU)	11 a.m.
Fri.	18	Session 4 (ESPN)	8 p.m.
Sat.	19	Session 5 (ESPNU)	11 a.m.
Sat.	19	Session 6 (ESPN)	7 p.m.

* Big Ten Dual -- Home events in CAPS
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THIS WEEK'S ACTION:

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.; March 10, 2022 -- The Penn State Nittany Lions, under the guidance of head coach Cael Sanderson, will be sending nine wrestlers to the 2022 NCAA Wrestling Championships on March 17-19 in Detroit, Mich. Penn State will have four No. 1 seeds at the event.

The NCAA is seeding all 33 wrestlers once again. Please note that the records vs. the field listed below include only results at the qualifying weight. Penn State is sending four seniors, two juniors and three sophomores to the event. The Nittany Lions' nine qualifiers are a combined 70-15 against the field at their respective weights.

Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.) will be the No. 16 seed at 125. Hildebrandt will take on No. 17 Anthony Noto of Lock Haven in the opening round. He earned a trip to NCAAs with a ninth-place finish at Big Tens. Hildebrandt is 9-3 overall and 2-3 vs. the field.

Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) will be the No. 1 seed at 133 and will face the winner of the 32/33 pigtail between Cornell's Dominic LaJoie and Campbell's Domenic Zaccone. Bravo-Young won his second straight Big Ten title on Sunday. He is 17-0 overall and 10-0 vs. the field.

Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) will be the No. 1 seed at 141 and will take on the winner of the 32/33 pigtail between Josh Mason of Bloomsburg and Dylan Cedeno of Virginia. Lee claimed his first Big Ten crown on Sunday in Nebraska. He is 17-0 overall and 9-0 vs. the field.

Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.) will be the No. 13 seed at 149 and will meet No. 20 Collin Realbuto of Northern Iowa in the first round. Bartlett qualified for his first NCAA tournament thanks to a seventh-place finish at Big Tens. He is 14-8 overall and 5-7 vs. the field.

Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) will be the No. 16 seed at 157 and will battle No. 17 Hunter Willits of Oregon State in the opening round. Berge took third place at Big Tens last weekend to earn a trip to Detroit. He is 9-2 overall and 4-1 vs. the field.

Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.) will be the No. 1 seed at 174 and will take on the winner of the 32/33 pigtail bout between Dominic Solis of Maryland and Connor O'Neill of Rutgers in the opening round. Starocci is coming off claiming his first Big Ten title in Lincoln on Sunday. He is 18-0 on the year and 9-0 vs. the field.

Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.) will be the No. 2 seed at 184 and will meet No. 31 A.J. Burkhart of Lehigh in the first round. Brooks lost a tough sudden victory decision in the Big Ten finals and took second at the event. He is 16-1 overall on the year and 11-1 vs. the field.

Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.) will be the No. 1 seed at 197 and will take on the winner of the 32/33 pigtail match between Will Feldkamp of Clarion and Matthew Waddell of Chattanooga the opening round. Dean won the Big Ten title in his first trip to the tournament on Sunday. He is 18-1 overall and 11-1 vs. the field.

Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.) will be the No. 4 seed at 285 and will face No. 29 Brandon Metz of North Dakota State in the first round. Kerkvliet took third at the Big Ten tournament on Sunday. He is 18-2 overall this season and is 9-2 vs. the field.

Penn State has won eight of the last ten contested NCAA Championships (all since Sanderson's arrival at Penn State and he is in his 13th season this year). The Nittany Lions have won nine NCAA titles overall, owning a championship from 1953. The Nittany Lions won four-straight titles in 2016, '17, '18 and '19 and again in 2011, '12, '13 and '14.

Penn State's qualifiers are headed to the 2022 NCAA Wrestling Championships on March 17-19 in Detroit, Mich. The three-day event will be held in Detroit's Little Caesars Arena. Thursday's sessions begin at 12 p.m. (ESPNU) and 7 p.m. (ESPN); Friday's at 11 a.m. (ESPNU) and 8 p.m. (ESPN); and Saturday's at 11 a.m. (ESPNU) and 7 p.m. (ESPN).

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2021-22 INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (as of 3/7/22)

Name, Wt.	Record
Donovon Ball, 184	9-3
Terrell Barraclough, 157	7-8
Beau Bartlett, 141/149	14-8
Michael Beard, 197	8-2
Brady Berge, 165/157	9-2
Joey Blumer, 141/149	1-2
Brian Borden, 165/174	11-6
Roman Bravo-Young, 133	17-0
Aaron Brooks, 184	16-1
Jake Campbell, 125/133	0-4
Lucas Cochran, 184/197	11-3
Max Dean, 197	18-1
Aurelius Dunbar, 157/165	6-3
Creighton Edsell, 165/174	11-5
David Evans, 133/141	11-4
Alex Facundo, 165	11-3
Paul Feite, 149	2-1
Imran Heard, 141/149	6-6
Levko Higgins, 184/197	4-6
Drew Hildebrandt, 125	9-3
Austin Hoopes, 285	4-3
Robert Howard, 125	0-0
Jack Kelly, 184	9-8
Greg Kerkvliet, 285	18-2
Konner Kraeszig, 165	0-0
Joe Lee, 157/165	2-3
Matt Lee, 149/157	4-3
Nick Lee, 141	17-0
Mason Manville, 165/174	0-2
Brandon Meredith, 125/133/141	5-5
Tony Negron, 157	5-5
Seth Nevills, 285	3-2
Baylor Shunk, 125/133	4-7
Eddie Smith, 285	0-2
Carter Starocci, 174	18-0
Gary Steen, 125	5-5
Shayne Van Ness, 149	2-0
Marco Vespa, 125/133	0-4
Sean Wang, 141	2-6

This includes records w/unattached results listed in current mark

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HEAD COACH CAEL SANDERSON

THE PENN STATE YEARS

Cael's first season at Penn State was solid. Sanderson led Penn State to a 13-6-1 dual meet record, much improved over the prior year's 8-12-2 mark. After a year outside the top 10, Sanderson led the Lions back to their place among the nation's elite with a ninth-place finish at the NCAA Championships and a No. 10 final dual meet ranking from the NWCA Coaches. Sanderson picked up three more All-Americans (including a national finalist) and a Big Ten Champion in younger brother, Cyler Sanderson.

In 2010-11, Sanderson reached the pinnacle of the collegiate coaching mountain by guiding Penn State through a stunning season filled with records, championships and memories that thrilled the Penn State faithful. Sanderson led the Nittany Lions to their first-ever Southern Scuffle Co-Championship and first Virginia Duals Championship since 1991. While guiding Penn State to a 6-1-1 conference mark, Sanderson equaled the highest Big Ten dual meet wins in Penn State history (1998). He led Penn State to the school's first ever Big Ten Championship and was named 2011 Big Ten Coach of the Year. He became the first coach in NCAA history to be named both the Big Ten and Big 12 Coach of the Year. Saving the best for last, he led the Nittany Lions to the 2011 NCAA National Championship in Philadelphia, Penn State's first since 1953 and Sanderson's first as a collegiate head coach.

During the 2011-12 season, the nation watched as Sanderson led Penn State to a 13-1 dual mark, including a school record 7-1 Big Ten dual record to earn a share of the 2012 Big Ten dual meet championship. Sanderson then made it two in a row by leading Penn State to the 2012 Big Ten Championship at Purdue. He was named 2012 Big Ten Coach of the Year, earning the honor for the second-straight season. Two weeks later, Sanderson led Penn State to a second-straight NCAA crown, helping Penn State to become the fifth team in NCAA history to win back-to-back titles. He was named NWCA National Coach of the Year for the second time in his career at the conclusion of the championships in Des Moines.

In 2012-13, Penn State posted an identical 13-1 mark, 7-1 Big Ten dual record and won its third-straight Big Ten Championship in Illinois in March. Sanderson earned his third-straight Big Ten Coach of the Year honor (co) in the process. Two weeks after that, Sanderson guided Penn State to a thrilling third-straight NCAA crown, helping Penn State to become just the third team in NCAA history to win three-straight team titles. At the tournament's end, he was named NWCA National Coach of the Year.

In 2013-14, Penn State went 15-1 overall and won a share of the Big Ten dual meet title with a 7-1 record. The Nittany Lions won their fourth-straight Big Ten Championship in Madison, Wisconsin, helping Sanderson win his fourth-straight Big Ten Coach of the Year honor. Two weekends later, the Nittany Lions won their fourth-straight NCAA title, becoming the third team in NCAA history to win four-straight NCAA titles.

In 2014-15, Sanderson led Penn State to an 11-4 dual meet record, a fifth-straight Southern Scuffle title, garnering five All-Americans and another individual National Champion at the NCAA Championships.

In 2015-16, he added a sixth-straight Southern Scuffle championships, a third Big Ten dual meet title (co-) and the 2016 NWCA National Dual Series championship. He led Penn State to its fifth Big Ten Championship in six years in Iowa City and followed that up with his fifth NCAA National Championship in six years in New York City's Madison Square Garden.

In 2016-17, Sanderson led Penn State to its second-straight NCAA title and sixth in seven years. Penn State posted a perfect 14-0 dual meet record, won the 2017 Big Ten regular season (dual meet) title and the NWCA Dual Championship Series crown for the second-straight season. Sanderson's team posted a gaudy 35-6 record at NCAAs and won five-straight individual championships to close out the national finals.

In 2017-18, Sanderson led Penn State to its seventh NCAA title in eight years and third-straight. Penn State posted a perfect 14-0 dual meet record and won the Big Ten regular season (dual meet) title yet again. Sanderson's team posted a superb 39-9 record at NCAAs. Penn State ended the season riding a 45-dual win streak and set an NCAA record for attendance at an indoor dual meet with 15,998 in the BJC for a win over Iowa.

In 2018-19, Sanderson closed out a decade as Penn State's mentor by leading Penn State to its eighth NCAA title in nine years and fourth-straight for the second time in his first ten years as head coach. Penn State posted a perfect 14-0 dual meet record for the fourth-straight year, won the Big Ten regular season (dual meet) and Big Ten tournament championship. Sanderson's team posted a 35-11 record at NCAAs and had the team title clinched before the finals began Saturday night. Penn State ended the season riding a 59-dual win streak. Sanderson was named Big Ten Coach of the Year and InterMat National Coach of the Year.

In 2019-20, the Lion mentor led the team to a 12-2 overall record and a near-perfect 8-1 Big Ten dual meet mark. Penn State crowned two more Big Ten Champions in true freshman Aaron Brooks and senior Mark Hall. Brooks was named Big Ten Freshman of the Year. The Nittany Lions advanced seven wrestlers to the 2020 NCAA Championships before the NCAA canceled the event in reaction to a virus. The NWCA named the top eight seeds at each weight First Team All-Americans after the tournament was canceled, giving Sanderson five more All-Americans.

In 2020-21, Sanderson guided Penn State through a season that was shortened and altered by the NCAA's reaction to a virus. The Nittany Lions went a perfect 6-0 in dual meets (all in the Big Ten) and earned a share of their seventh Big Ten dual meet title. Roman Bravo-Young and Aaron Brooks won Big Ten titles in the BJC and Carter Starocci was named Big Ten Freshman of the Year. Penn State took nine wrestlers to nationals and the Nittany Lions went a perfect 4-0 in the NCAA finalist in St. Louis, with Bravo-Young, Nick Lee, Starocci and Brooks all claiming their first individual titles. Freshmen Michael Beard and Greg Kerkvliet each placed seventh to give Sanderson six All-Americans for the year.

Heading into this season, in 12 years as Penn State's coach, Sanderson led the Nittany Lions to eight Southern Scuffle titles, seven B1G dual meet titles, six Big Ten Championships, eight NCAA Championships, collected 64 All-Americans, 27 National Champions, including an NCAA record-tying five in 2017, four Gorriaran winners, five NCAA Tournament Outstanding Wrestlers, one CoSIDA Academic All-American of the Year, one NCAA Elite 89 winner, one NCAA Top 10 Award winner and five Hodge Trophy winners. Sanderson, who has coached 84 total All-Americans and 29 total National Champions (including his three years at Iowa State), grabbed his 100th win as Penn State's head coach in its 36-6 victory over Stanford in Rec Hall on 11/13/16.

Sanderson's Career Coaching Record

Season	Record	%	B1G Dual	B1G Trn.	NCAA	Qual.	AA	NC
2006-07	13-3-0	.813	---	1st	2nd	10	4	1
2007-08	16-4-0	.800	---	1st	5th	10	7	0
2008-09	15-3-0	.833	---	1st	3rd	10	4	1
2009-10	13-6-1	.675	5-3-0	5th	9th	6	3	0
2010-11	17-1-1	.921	6-1-1	1st	1st	8	5	1
2011-12	13-1-0	.929	7-1-0	1st	1st	9	6	3
2012-13	13-1-0	.929	7-1-0	1st	1st	10	5	2
2013-14	15-1-0	.938	7-1-0	1st	1st	10	7	2
2014-15	11-4-0	.733	6-3-0	5th	6th	7	5	1
2015-16	16-0-0	1.000	9-0-0	1st	1st	9	6	2
2016-17	14-0-0	1.000	9-0-0	2nd	1st	9	6	5
2017-18	14-0-0	1.000	9-0-0	2nd	1st	9	8	4
2018-19	14-0-0	1.000	9-0-0	1st	1st	9	7	3
2019-20	12-2-0	.857	8-1-0	4th	#	7	5	#
2020-21	6-0-0	1.000	6-0-0	2nd	2nd	9	6	4
2021-22	17-0-0	1.000	8-0-0	2nd	--	9	-	-
Career	219-26-2	.891	96-11-1	---	---	141	84	29

Italics are at Iowa State // # 2020 NCAA Championship was cancelled in reaction to a virus

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#FUNSTATS

// Most Individual NCAA Titles Since 2011 -- PENN STATE 27, Cornell 10, Oklahoma State 10, Ohio State 9, Iowa 7
 // Penn State National Finalists Since 2011 -- 40
 // Penn State in NCAA Finals Since 2011 -- 27-13 (Penn State's winning percentage in NCAA finals is .675)
 // Penn State in NCAA Semifinals Since 2011 -- 40-4 (Penn State's winning percentage in NCAA semis is .901)
 // Penn State Team Championships Since 2011 -- 8 (of 10, no NCAA tournament in 2020)
 // Penn State Percentage of Team Titles Won Since 2011 - .800 (no NCAA tournament in 2020)

BRAVO-YOUNG WINS SECOND STRAIGHT BIG TEN TITLE

Senior Roman Bravo-Young won his second straight Big Ten title, claiming the 133-pound crown in Lincoln, Neb. Bravo-Young went 3-0 with a major. He majored #23 Matt Ramos of Purdue 11-3, then beat #8 Dylan Ragusin of Michigan 4-0 to advance to the finals. In the title bout, Bravo-Young beat #3 Austin DeSanto of Iowa 3-1 in the first of five finals for the Nittany Lions.

NICK LEE WINS FIRST BIG TEN TITLE

Senior Nick Lee won his first Big Ten title, winning the 141-pound championship at the 2022 Big Ten tournament hosted by Nebraska. Lee went 3-0 with two tech falls to win. He posted a 16-0 technical fall over #22 Joe Zargo of Wisconsin (5:06) and a 16-1 technical fall over #18 Jake Bergeland of Minnesota (5:06) in the semifinals to earn a trip to the conference title bout. He won by medical forfeit over #2 Jaydin Eierman of Iowa in the finals.

CARTER STAROCCI WINS FIRST BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Sophomore Carter Starocci rolled through the field at 174 to win his first conference title at the Big Ten Championships in Lincoln, Neb. Starocci went 3-0 with a pin to claim the crown. He pinned Maryland's Dominic Solis (2:13) in his first match and then won by medical forfeit over #4 Michael Kemerer of Iowa in the semifinals. He then beat #5 Logan Massa of Michigan in the finals, posting a 5-1 decision.

MAX DEAN CLAIMS BIG TEN TITLE IN FIRST TRIP TO CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT

Junior Max Dean, making his first trip to the Big Ten Championships, won the 197-pound title at Nebraska. Dean went 3-0 to win the crown. He beat #12 Greg Bulsak of Rutgers 6-2 in his first bout and then downed #5 Cameron Caffey of Michigan State 5-2 in the semifinals. Dean capped off his perfect run with a 4-2 win over #2 Eric Schultz of host-school Nebraska in the finals.

BERGE AND KERKVLIT TAKE THIRD AT B1G'S, BARTLETT 7TH, ALL EARN AUTOMATIC BIDS TO NCAAS

Senior Brady Berge went 4-1 at the 2022 Big Ten Championship to take third place at 157, with his lone loss a sudden victory setback to #10 Will Lewan of Michigan in the semifinals, to place third and earn a trip to NCAAs. Berge majored #31 Garrett Model of Wisconsin (10-2), beat #9 Kaleb Young of Iowa 5-3, pinned #12 Kendall Coleman of Purdue (2:59) and beat Young again, 3-1 (sv), for third. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet also went 4-1 at 285, with his lone setback also a sudden victory loss in the semis to #4 Tony Cassioppi of Iowa. Kerkvliet pinned Maryland's Zach Schrader (2:13), beat #11 Christian Lance of Nebraska 7-1, #10 Lucas Davison of Northwestern 5-3 and #3 Mason Parris of Michigan 5-3 for third place, grabbing an AQ slot to Detroit. Sophomore Beau Bartlett went 3-2 at 149 and placed seventh to earn a trip to the NCAA tournament for the first time. Bartlett picked up a 3-2 win over #30 Michael Blockhus of Minnesota and pinned #29 Christian Kanzler of Illinois (3:40) before posting a 3-1 win over Michigan's Kanen Storr to earn the AQ to nationals. Junior Creighton Edsell went 1-2 at 165 and did not place for Penn State.

PENN STATE WITH 10 RANKED WRESTLERS IN FINAL INTERMAT REGULAR SEASON RANKINGS

Penn State has all 10 of its Big Ten tournament starters ranked in the final (2/22) InterMat rankings after the Nittany Lions completed their regular season. Drew Hildebrandt is #5 at 125, Roman Bravo-Young is #1 at 133, Nick Lee is #1 at 141, Beau Bartlett is #17 at 149, Brady Berge is #13 at 157, Creighton Edsell is #23 at 165, Carter Starocci is #1 at 174, Aaron Brooks is #1 at 184, Max Dean is #1 at 197 and Greg Kerkvliet is #5 at 285.

LEE DOWNS #25 KINNER AS PENN STATE SHUTS OUT RIDER IN DUAL SEASON FINALE

Senior Nick Lee notched the bout's only three takedowns to post a hard-fought 6-3 win over #25 Quinn Kinner of Rider in Penn State's 45-0 shutout victory over the Broncs in Rec Hall. Penn State won all ten bouts, eight of which were for bonus. The Lions got decisions from Lee (141) and Creighton Edsell (165), majors from Beau Bartlett (149), Brady Berge (157), Carter Starocci (174) and Donovan Ball (184), a tech from Roman Bravo-Young (133) and three straight pins from Max Dean (197), Greg Kerkvliet (285) and Drew Hildebrandt (125). The Nittany Lions ended the unbeaten season with a 17-0 record.

PENN STATE WINS 8TH B1G REGULAR SEASON (DUAL) TITLE

Head coach Cael Sanderson and the Penn State Nittany Lions capped off a perfect Big Ten dual meet season with a rousing 32-7 win over #6 Ohio State in the 2022 BJC Dual on Feb. 4 and a 21-13 victory over #7 Nebraska two days later on Feb. 6. The weekend sweep allowed the Nittany Lions to finish the Big Ten portion of its dual meet schedule with a perfect 8-0 mark and earned the team its eighth Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) Championship. Penn State won or shared the dual crown in 2012, 2014, 2016, 107, 2018, 2019, 2021 and 2022.

2021-22 BIG TEN STANDINGS (FINAL -- as of 2/21/22)

Pl. Team	Big Ten		Overall	
	W-L-T	PCT	W-L-T	PCT
1 PENN STATE#	8-0-0	1.000	17-0-0	1.000
2 Iowa	7-1-0	.875	14-1-0	.973
Michigan	7-1-0	.875	12-1-0	.923
4 Wisconsin	6-2-0	.750	12-2-0	.857
5 Ohio State	5-3-0	.625	9-3-0	.750
6 Michigan State	4-4-0	.500	10-4-0	.714
Northwestern	4-4-0	.500	7-4-0	.636
Purdue	4-4-0	.500	10-5-0	.667
9 Minnesota	3-5-0	.375	4-6-0	.400
Nebraska	3-5-0	.375	6-5-0	.545
Rutgers	3-5-0	.375	16-5-0	.762
12 Illinois	1-7-0	.125	3-7-0	.300
Indiana	1-7-0	.125	3-8-0	.273
14 Maryland	0-8-0	.000	7-12-0	.368

2022 B1G Dual Meet Champions

BIG TEN WRESTLERS OF THE WEEK

- 1/9 Lucas Davison, Northwestern
- 1/16 GREG KERKVLIT, PENN STATE**
- 1/23 Malik Heinselman, Ohio State
- 1/30 Michial Foy, Minnesota
- 12/8 Mikey Labriola, Nebraska
- 12/15 Carson Kharchla, Ohio State
- 12/29 AARON BROOKS, PENN STATE**
Spencer Lee, Iowa
- 1/4 Kyle Cochran, Maryland
Greg Bulsak, Rutgers
- 1/11 AARON BROOKS, PENN STATE**
- 1/18 Garrett Model, Wisconsin
- 1/25 Cameron Caffey, Michigan State
- 2/1 MAX DEAN, PENN STATE**
- 2/8 NICK LEE, PENN STATE**
Alex Marinelli, Iowa
- 2/15 Rayvon Foley, Michigan State
- 2/22 Mikey Labriola, Nebraska

HONORS WON

ROMAN BRAVO-YOUNG, 133

Big Ten Champion (1/33)
 First Team All-Big Ten (1/33)
 Penn State Male Athlete of the Week (3/8)

AARON BROOKS, 184

Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (1/11)
 Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (12/29)
 Penn State Male Athlete of the Week (12/23)

MAX DEAN, 197

Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (2/1)
 Penn State Male Athlete of the Week (2/1)
 Big Ten Champion (1/97)
 First Team All-Big Ten (1/97)

CREIGHTON EDSSELL, 165

Penn State Male Athlete of the Week (12/7)

GREG KERKVLIT, 285

Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (11/16)
 Penn State Male Athlete of the Week (1/26)

NICK LEE, 141

Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (2/8)
 Penn State Male Athlete of the Week (2/8)
 Big Ten Champion (141)
 First Team All-Big Ten (141)

CARTER STAROCCI, 174

Big Ten Champion (174)
 First Team All-Big Ten (174)

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NICK LEE DOWNS #8 CHAD RED TO LEAD PENN STATE OVER #7 NEBRASKA; NAMED B1G W.O.W. (2/8)

Senior Nick Lee dominated #6 Chad Red Jr. at 141 to lead Penn State to a 21-13 victory over Nebraska in sold out Rec Hall on Feb. 6. Lee notched the bout's only takedown in the first period and added an escape and 1:20 in riding time to post a 4-1 win. The victory came two days after Lee majored #20 Dylan D'Emilio of Ohio State 13-3 in the BJC Dual. Aaron Brooks was also impressive in the win, majoring #9 Taylor Venz 14-4 at 184. Lee's weekend sweep earned him Big Ten Wrestler of the Week honors for the week ending 2/6/22.

NITTANY LIONS DISMANTLE #6 OHIO STATE 32-17 IN 2022 BJC DUAL

Penn State dismantled No. 6 Ohio State on Feb. 4 in the 2022 BJC Dual. Wrestled in front of nearly 16,000 fans in the sold out venue, the Nittany Lions won eight of ten bouts over the Buckeyes. Drew Hildebrandt (125), Roman Bravo-Young (133), Nick Lee (141), Terrell Barraclough (157), Creighton Edsell (165), Aaron Brooks (184), Max Dean (197) and Greg Kerkvliet (285) all grabbed victories. Hildebrandt, Lee, Brooks, Dean and Kerkvliet downed ranked opponents.

NEARLY 16,000 FANS PACK SOLD OUT JORDAN CENTER FOR 2022 BJC DUAL VICTORY OVER OHIO STATE

For the seventh time, Penn State sold out the near-16,000 seat Bryce Jordan Center for its annual BJC Dual. 15,991 people packed the building to see Penn State's 32-7 victory over No. 6 Ohio State on Feb. 4. The crowd is the fourth largest indoor crowd for an NCAA wrestling dual meet. The top six indoor crowds all occurred in the BJC at Penn State and eight of the top ten. The top two crowds for an NCAA dual meet both occurred outside at football stadiums. The indoor record is 15,998, set on Feb. 10, 2018, when Penn State hosted Iowa.

TONY NEGRON WINS EDINBORO OPEN TITLE

Junior Tony Negron moved up to 165 for the Edinboro Open on Feb. 6 and rolled to the class' title. Negron went 4-0 overall, plus a win vs. a non-collegiate foe, with a major. He downed Iowa State's Austin Kraisser 10-6 in the finals. Imran Heard also competed at 149, going 2-2 with a major.

PENN STATE TAKES OUT HAWKEYES IN IOWA CITY, WINNING THIRD ROAD DUAL IN SEVEN DAYS

Penn State closed out a rugged road swing of three B1G road duals in seven days by beating #3 Iowa in Iowa City, 19-13, on Jan. 28. Penn State, wrestling at Iowa for the fifth time in the last seven meetings between the teams, won six of ten bouts to post the victory in the dual between the Big Ten's last two unbeaten teams at the time. Penn State won the dual's first three bouts (Drew Hildebrandt at 125, Roman Bravo-Young at 133, Nick Lee at 141) and then three in row in the back half (Carter Starocci at 174, Aaron Brooks at 184, Max Dean at 197) to claim victory. Seven days earlier, Penn State won at #3 Michigan and five days earlier the Lions won at Michigan State.

MAX DEAN'S WIN AT 197 CLINCHES VICTORY AT IOWA; NAMED B1G WRESTLER OF THE WEEK

Junior Max Dean scored eight unanswered points in the third period to roll to an 8-3 win over #4 Jacob Warner to clinch Penn State's 19-13 victory at Iowa on Jan. 28. Dean used an escape, a stall point, a takedown and four back points to overcome a 3-0 deficit against Warner. Drew Hildebrandt majored Jesse Ybarra 9-0 at 125, Roman Bravo-Young beat #3 Austin DeSanto 3-2 at 133, Nick Lee posted a 6-4 (sv) win over #2 Jaydin Eierman at 141, Carter Starocci notched a 2-1 (tb) win over #2 Michael Kemmerer at 174 and Aaron Brooks downed #17 Abe Assad 8-3 at 184 as Penn State won six of ten bouts in the road victory. Dean was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (2/1) for his efforts.

COCHRAN AND FACUNDO WIN MAT-TOWN II TITLES

The Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team sent 12 wrestlers to Lock Haven University's Mat-Town Open II on Saturday, Jan. 29. Two Nittany Lions won individual titles at the event while three others placed in the top four. Freshman Lucas Cochran won the title at 184. He went 3-0 overall with a technical fall and a major decision. Freshman Alex Facundo won the crown at 165. Facundo posted a 4-0 overall record, all for bonus. Facundo had three majors and a pin to claim the title. Freshman Brian Borden finished second at 165, dropping a bout to teammate Facundo in the finals. Borden went 3-1 overall. Freshman Gary Steen placed third at 125, posting a 4-1 overall record at the tournament. Junior Imran Heard took fourth 149. Heard went 4-2 with two pins.

KERKVLIT'S PIN AT 285 CAPS OFF 28-9 WIN AT MSU

The Penn State Nittany Lions finished off a two-dual sweep in the state of Michigan on Sunday, Jan. 23, by rolling over homestanding Michigan State 28-9 in East Lansing. Penn State picked up major decisions from Drew Hildebrandt at 125 and Nick Lee at 141, a tech fall from Carter Starocci at 174 and a pin from Greg Kerkvliet at 285 as part of the Lions' seven wins in the dual.

BROOKS, KERKVLIT GRAB TOP-2 WINS AS LIONS DOMINATE #3 MICHIGAN 29-6 IN ANN ARBOR

Penn State won eight of ten bouts in a dominating 29-6 win at #3 Michigan on Friday, Jan. 21, in Crisler Arena. Both Aaron Brooks and Greg Kerkvliet grabbed impressive wins over second-ranked foes as Penn State tallied six ranked wins overall. Brooks used a third period takedown to notch a 3-1 win over #2 Myles Amine at 184. Kerkvliet rolled up three takedowns in an impressive 8-5 win over #2 Mason Parris at 285. Other ranked wins included Roman Bravo-Young's 8-1 victory over #8 Dylan Ragusin at 133, Brady Berge's win 3-1 win over #10 Cameron Amine at 165, Carter Starocci's 3-2 victory over #6 Logan Massa at 174 and Max Dean's 6-4 (sv) win over #8 Patrick Brucki at 197. The Nittany Lions gave up only five takedowns as a team in the victory.

NATIONAL RANKINGS

TEAM RANKINGS

INTERMAT TPI

(3/8/22)

1. PENN STATE
2. Michigan
3. Iowa
4. Arizona State
5. North Carolina State
6. Cornell
7. Wisconsin
8. Ohio State
9. Nebraska
10. Iowa State
11. Cal Poly
12. Minnesota
13. Missouri
14. Virginia Tech
15. Oklahoma State
16. Pittsburgh
17. Northwestern
18. Princeton
19. Stanford
20. North Carolina
21. Wyoming
22. Oregon State
- 23t. Northern Iowa
- 23t. Rutgers
25. Purdue

NWCA COACHES

POLL (DUAL)

(2/23/22)

1. PENN STATE
2. Iowa
3. Michigan
4. North Carolina State
5. Iowa State
6. Ohio State
7. Wisconsin
8. Virginia Tech
9. Missouri
10. Cornell
11. Nebraska
12. Arizona State
13. Oklahoma State
14. Rutgers
15. Michigan State
16. Purdue
17. Northern Iowa
18. Penn
19. Minnesota
20. Northwestern
21. Central Michigan
22. Princeton
23. North Carolina
24. Oklahoma
25. South Dakota State

INTERMAT

(3/8/22)

Drew Hildebrandt	10th/125
Roman Bravo-Young	1st/133
Nick Lee	1st/141
Beau Bartlett	17th/149
Brady Berge	10th/157
Carter Starocci	1st/174
Aaron Brooks	2nd/184
Max Dean	1st/197
Greg Kerkvliet	4th/285

2021-22 RIDGE RILEY AWARD WINNERS (home)

11/18	Army	Beau Bartlett, 149
12/5	Lehigh	Max Dean, 197
1/9	Indiana	Aaron Brooks, 184
1/16	Rutgers	Aaron Brooks, 184
2/4	Ohio State	Terrell Barraclough, 157
2/6	Nebraska	Nick Lee, 141
2/20	Rider	Roman Bravo-Young, 133

2021-22 ERNIE LUCAS AWARD WINNERS (away)

11/13	Sacred Heart	Baylor Shunk, 125
11/13	Oregon State	Greg Kerkvliet, 285
12/3	Penn	Carter Starocci, 174
12/20	Northern Iowa	Aaron Brooks, 184
12/20	Cornell	Greg Kerkvliet, 285
12/21	Arizona State	Beau Bartlett, 149
1/7	Maryland	Tony Negron, 157
1/21	Michigan	Greg Kerkvliet, 285
1/23	Michigan State	Drew Hildebrandt, 125
1/28	Iowa	Max Dean, 197

vs. RANKED FOES

Check here throughout the season for Penn State's dual meet results against foes ranked in the InterMat Top 25 Team TPI.

12/20	vs. #22 Northern Iowa (Niceville, Fla.)	W, 29-9
12/20	vs. #9 Cornell (Niceville, Fla.)	W, 21-16
12/21	vs. #3 Arizona State (Niceville, Fla.)	W, 29-10
1/16	vs. #14 Rutgers	W, 27-11
1/21	at #3 Michigan	W, 29-6
1/28	at #3 Iowa	W, 19-13
2/4	vs. #6 Ohio State	W, 32-7
2/6	vs. #7 Nebraska	W, 21-13

NOTES

BROOKS' MAJOR HIGHLIGHTS PSU'S WIN OVER INDIANA; NAMED BIG WRESTLER OF THE WEEK

Junior Aaron Brooks majored #8 D.J. Washington 13-4 in the marquee match-up in Penn State's 29-11 victory over Indiana. Brooks' win was one of five straight to close out the dual for the Nittany Lions in Rec Hall. Drew Hildebrandt took down #25 Jacob Moran in his Rec Hall debut at 125 as well. He was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week for the week ending Jan. 11, his second honor of the season to that date.

DREW HILDEBRANDT'S DEBUT PIN STARTS PENN STATE'S RUN IN 46-0 SHUTOUT AT MARYLAND

All-American transfer Drew Hildebrandt pinned Maryland's Zach Spence in the first period (1:38) in his debut match for Penn State at 125. Hildebrandt's initial win started a perfect run for the Nittany Lions in a 46-0 shutout victory on the road in College Park. Aaron Brooks majored #12 Kyle Cochran 19-7 at 184 and Greg Kerkvliet teched #26 Zach Schrader at 285 in bouts between ranked opponents.

LUCAS COCHRAN TAKES 4TH AT F&M OPEN

Freshman Lucas Cochran went 3-2 at the Lehman/F&M Open on Friday, Jan. 7. Cochran picked up three wins with a major and advanced to the semifinals. Gary Steen (125), Brian Borden (165) and Levko Higgins (197) all picked up solo wins at the event as well.

BEARD TAKES SECOND AT SOUTHERN SCUFFLE TO LEAD 10-MAN PENN STATE CONTINGENT

Sophomore Michael Beard was the No. 2 seed at 197 at the Southern Scuffle and took second at the two-day event. Beard began the tournament with three wins on Saturday. He posted technical falls over Duke's Kaden Russell (18-2; 2:36) and Eli Sheeren of Buffalo (17-2; 5:36) to begin the tournament and closed out Saturday with a 9-2 win over Navy's XJaxon Smith in the quarterfinals. Beard beat No. 20 Cameron Caffey of Michigan State in the semifinals and then took an injury default loss during the first period of the finals to No. 4 Rocky Elam of Missouri. Junior Brandon Meredith competed at 133 and advanced to the quarterfinals before losing his first match. He went 3-1 overall plus one loss to a non-collegiate wrestler. Sophomore Joe Lee wrestled at 157 and won his first two matches to advance to the quarterfinals. He ended the tournament with a 2-2 mark overall. Junior Seth Nevills took to the mat at 285 for the first time this year. Nevills went 3-2 overall with a pin in his first action of the season.

BARTLETT'S WIN OVER #5 PARCO HIGHLIGHTS LOPSIDED 29-10 WIN OVER #3 ARIZONA STATE

Sophomore Beau Bartlett posted a thrilling 3-1 sudden victory decision over #5 Kyle Parco to spark Penn State in a 29-10 win over #3 Arizona State in the Blue Pool Final of the Collegiate Duals in Niceville, Fla. Bartlett's takedown in extra time was one of many highlights as Penn State dominated the Sun Devils, winning seven of ten bouts. Roman Bravo-Young beat #14 Michael McGee 6-2 at 133, Nick Lee majored #15 Jesse Vasquez 14-3 at 141, and Max Dean majored #8 Kordell Norfleet at 197 in other ranked victories for Penn State.

NITTANY LIONS OUTLAST #9 CORNELL IN FLORIDA

Penn State won six of ten bouts to outlast #9 Cornell 26-11 at the Collegiate Duals in Niceville, Fla. Penn State got four straight wins over ranked wrestlers to close out the dual for the victory. Carter Starocci beat #12 Chris Foca 3-2 at 174, Aaron Brooks majored #15 Jonathan Loew 15-3 at 184, Max Dean downed #19 Jacob Cardenas 4-2 at 197 and Greg Kerkvliet shutout #18 Lewis Fernandes 5-0 at 285.

BROOKS TAKES DOWN #4 KECKEISEN AS LIONS TOP UNI; NAMED BIG WRESTLER OF THE WEEK (12/29)

Junior Aaron Brooks downed #4 Parker Keckeisen to lead Penn State to a 29-9 win over #22 Northern Iowa in the first of three duals for Penn State at the Collegiate Duals in Niceville, Fla. Brooks' win was one of seven for Penn State in the win, which included Roman Bravo-Young pinning #31 Kyle Biscaglia, Nick Lee majoring #26 Cael Happel and Beau Bartlett beating #28 Triston Lara. Brooks won three matches in Florida overall and was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (12/29).

LEE'S 100TH CAREER WIN SPARKS WIN OVER LEHIGH

Senior Nick Lee dominated Lehigh's Connor McGonagle, rolling to a 13-6 win with 3:36 in riding time to earn the 100th victory of his illustrious Nittany Lion career. Lee's win helped spark a short-handed Penn State team to a 23-16 victory over the visiting Mountain Hawks in sold out Rec Hall on Dec. 5.

EDSELL, BALL COME UP BIG IN WIN OVER LEHIGH

With multiple starters out in Penn State's dual vs. Lehigh on Dec. 5, junior Creighton Edsell and sophomore Donovan Ball came up with big wins as Penn State outlasted visiting Lehigh 23-16 in Rec Hall. Edsell used a riding time point to notch a 2-1 win over No. 27 Brian Meyer at 165 and Ball downed J.T. Burkhart 5-3 at 184 for his second win in three days.

STAROCCI AND BARTLETT GRAB RANKED WINS AS LIONS WIN AT PENN

With three starters out in Penn State's dual at Penn on Dec. 3, Sophomores Carter Starocci and Beau Bartlett notched big ranked wins to lead Penn State to a hard-fought 20-16 win in Philadelphia. Starocci dominated #21 Nick Incontrera 13-3, adding 2:53 in riding time during his major decision victory at 174. Bartlett used an escape in extra time to notch a 4-3 (TB) win over #23 Anthony Artalona at 149 as well.

2021-22 ATTENDANCE

Please note that Penn State did not allow fan into dual meets and did not allow or track attendance in the 2020-21 season due to not being allowed to have fans and/or sell tickets. Our attendance records resume in 2021-22.

11/18	ARMY	6,472
612/5	LEHIGH	6,496
1/9	INDIANA	6,265
1/16	RUTGERS	6,246
2/4	OHIO STATE (BJC)	15,991
2/6	NEBRASKA	6,520
2/20	RIDER	6,442
TOTAL		54,432
AVG.		7,776

(Penn State has wrestled in front of 68 of 70 sell-outs at home, including 61-straight in Rec Hall and 7 of 9 in the Bryce Jordan Center)

FALL LEADERS SINCE 2009-10

YEAR	TOTAL	WRESTLER
2009-10	9	Quentin Wright
2010-11	18	Andrew Alton
	13	Ed Ruth
2011-12	15	David Taylor
	14	Quentin Wright
	11	Cameron Wade
2012-13	10	Ed Ruth
	14	David Taylor
	12	Andrew Alton
2013-14	12	Ed Ruth
	11	Quentin Wright
	16	David Taylor
2014-15	11	Ed Ruth
	8	Matt Brown
	15	Jason Nolf
2015-16	15	Zain Retherford
	10	Morgan McIntosh
	17	Bo Nickal
2016-17	17	Zain Retherford
	14	Jason Nolf
	12	Mark Hall
2017-18	17	Zain Retherford
	16	Bo Nickal
	16	Jason Nolf
2018-19	13	Mark Hall
	12	Shakur Rasheed
	18	Bo Nickal
2019-20	15	Jason Nolf
	14	Vincenzo Joseph
	10	Mark Hall
2020-21	5	Greg Kerkvliet
	5	Nick Lee
	5	Vincenzo Joseph
2021-22	2	Beau Bartlett
	2	Greg Kerkvliet
	2	Joe Lee
	5	Jack Kelly
	5	Greg Kerkvliet
	4	Aaron Brooks

BEAU BARTLETT DOWNS #20 P.J. OGUNSANYA TO LEAD LIONS TO 32-7 WIN OVER ARMY WEST POINT

Sophomore Beau Bartlett posted a thrilling 3-1 (sv) win over #20 P.J. Ogunsanya to help lead Penn State to a rousing 32-7 win over Army West Point on Nov. 18 in sold out Rec Hall. The dual meet was wrestled in front of nearly 6,500 fans in a sold-out Rec Hall. The Nittany Lions have wrestled in front of 56 straight sellouts in Rec Hall and 62 of 64 including six of eight sellouts at the 16,000-seat Bryce Jordan Center. The dual also marked the first time Penn State wrestled in front of its home fans since Feb. 23, 2020, when Penn State beat American in Rec Hall.

GREG KERKVIET NAMED BIG TEN W.O.W. (11/16)

Sophomore Greg Kerkviet was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week for the week ending Nov. 14, 2021. Kerkviet went 2-0 in Penn State's season-opening action at Spooky Nook in Manheim, Pa., on Nov. 13. The Lion heavyweight picked up a pin in Penn State's 47-3 win over Sacred Heart and then dominated No. 24 Gary Traub of Oregon State, rolling to a 16-0 tech fall (4:15) in Penn State's 32-7 victory over the Beavers.

LEE, BARTLETT, KERKVIET NOTCH RANKED WINS IN 32-7 WIN OVER OREGON STATE

Senior Nick Lee dominated #10 Grant Willits in Penn State's 32-7 win over Oregon State on Nov. 13, rolling to an 11-4 victory at 141. Lee's win was one of three ranked victories for the Lions in the win. Sophomore Beau Bartlett posted a 1-0 win over #24 Cory Crooks at 149 and sophomore Greg Kerkviet rolled to a 16-0 tech fall (5:58) over #24 Gary Traub at 285. Penn State won eight bouts in the dual. Aaron Brooks had a pin and Max Dean had a major as well.

SHUNK, DEAN WIN PENN STATE DEBUTS IN 47-3 SEASON-OPENING WIN OVER SACRED HEART

Sophomore Baylor Shunk and junior Max Dean each won their Penn State dual meet debuts in Penn State's 47-3 win over Sacred Heart on Nov. 13, the dual opener for the Lions. Shunk posted an 18-0 tech fall (4:15) over Kyle Randall and Dean rolled to an identical 18-0 tech fall (3:00) over Dante Del Bonis. Penn State won nine of ten bouts in the victory. Roman Bravo-Young, Nick Lee, Carter Starocci, and Greg Kerkviet all had pins; Shunk, Dean, and Aaron Brooks had tech falls; and Beau Bartlett and Creighton Edsell had majors.

BEARD GOES 3-0 AT JOURNEYMEN COLLEGIATE

Sophomore Michael Beard posted a 3-0 record to win his round-robin pool at the Journeyman Collegiate in Manheim, Pa., on Nov. 14. Beard majored JT Davis of Lehigh 22-8, teched Lock Haven's Parker McClellan 15-0 and majored #20 JT Brown of Army.

MATT LEE RUNNER-UP AT BEARCAT OPEN

Freshman Matt Lee led a contingent of seven wrestlers at the Bearcat Open in Binghamton, N.Y., on Nov. 14. Lee went 3-1 (plus one victory over a non-collegiate wrestler) with a tech fall to place second at 165. David Evans went 3-0 at 133 and placed fourth while Jack Kelly posted a 4-2 mark to finish sixth at 174. Aurelius Dunbar went 4-2 at 157, Brian Borden with 2-2 at 165 and Levko Higgins went 2-2 at 197.

EVANS TAKES 2ND AT CLARION OPEN; THREE OTHER LIONS PLACE

Eight members the Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team took part in the Clarion Open on Nov. 6 in the first open tournament of the 2021-22 season. For Penn State, the Clarion Open is the first open tournament in almost two years after last season's abbreviated campaign. Redshirt freshman David Evans led the way with a second-place finish at 133. Evans went 3-1 with a pin, advancing to the finals before dropping his first match. True freshman Alex Facundo rolled up five wins with three majors and two pins and placed fifth. The true freshman's only loss was a tie-breaker defeat. Classmate Brian Borden placed sixth at 165, going 5-1 as well with a pin and three majors. True freshman Lucas Cochran finished fifth at 197, posting a 5-1 record with two majors and a pin. True freshman Shayne Van Ness began the tournament with two wins at 149. Van Ness picked up a major and a pin in just :54 before taking a medical forfeit (not a loss) and ending his action with a 2-0 mark. True freshman Sean Wang went 2-2 with a major at 141. True freshman Jack Kelly went 1-2 at 174. True freshman Gary Steen also competed at 125.

MILESTONES

Individual records and milestones that are in play as of now:

- * 100 Career victories
Nick Lee, 113
- * 200 Career coaching wins (overall career)
Cael Sanderson, 219
- * 100 Career Big Ten coaching wins
Cael Sanderson, 96
- * 175 Career coaching wins at Penn State
Cael Sanderson, 175

FUN WITH FAN FIGURES

PENN STATE OWNS THE TOP FIVE NCAA INDOOR DUAL MEET MARKS, ALL IN THE BJC!

The top two NCAA dual meet attendance figures of all-time come in outdoor venues in football stadiums at Iowa City and Piscataway:

11/14/15	Iowa v. Oklahoma St.	42,287
11/18/16	Princeton v. Rutgers	16,178

TOP 10 INDOOR ATTENDANCE FIGURES, NCAA ALL-TIME RECORDS:

1:	Iowa at PENN STATE (2/10/18)	15,998
2:	Pittsburgh at PENN STATE (12/8/13)	15,996
3:	Ohio St. at PENN STATE (2/15/20)	15,995
4:	Ohio St. at PENN STATE (2/4/22)	15,991
5:	Ohio St. at PENN STATE (2/5/16)	15,983
6:	Iowa at PENN STATE (2/8/15)	15,967
7:	Iowa State at Iowa (12/6/08)	15,955
8:	Michigan at PENN STATE (2/1/19)	15,703
9:	Minnesota at Iowa (2/1/02)	15,646
10:	Lehigh at PENN STATE (12/4/16)	15,424

Of the top ten indoor dual meets in NCAA history, Penn State has hosted and been a part of eight! All have come since head coach Cael Sanderson's arrival at Penn State. Iowa has hosted the other three and been part of four.

THE TOP 10 REC HALL ATTENDANCE FIGURES IN THE SANDERSON ERA!

While Rec Hall held many more fans in decades past, recent renovations and updated fire safety regulations/SRO guidelines at the end of the 2013-14 season have the venerable venue's attendance capped at 6,202 (not including SROs, media, staff, etc.).

Since Cael Sanderson took the helm of the Nittany Lions, Rec Hall has essentially been sold out. Penn State is riding a multi-year streak of Rec Hall sellouts and has also sold out six of eight duals in the near-16K seat BJC.

The following are the top 10 Rec Hall attendance marks since Sanderson's arrival in 2009-10:

Rk.	Date	Opponent (Res.)	Att.
1.	1/22/12	Iowa (W, 22-12)	6,796
2.	2/19/12	Pitt (W, 33-6)	6,755
3.	1/29/12	Ohio State (W, 34-9)	6,728
4.	2/3/18	Ohio State (W, 19-18)	6,699
5.	1/30/11	Iowa (L, 13-22)	6,686
6.	12/14/18	Arizona St. (W, 41-3)	6,676
7.	2/5/12	Michigan (W, 34-7)	6,671
8.	2/12/17	Maryland (W, 45-6)	6,661
9.	2/10/17	Illinois (W, 34-7)	6,645
10.	2/15/19	Michigan State (W, 37-10)	6,643

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE SINCE 2009-10 UNDER CAEL

YEAR	AVG	Best
2009-10	4,343	4,833 vs. Illinois, 1/22/10
2010-11	5,455	6,686 vs. Iowa, 1/30/11
2011-12	6,481	6,796 vs. Iowa, 1/22/12
2012-13	6,411	6,618 vs. Nebraska, 1/27/13
2013-14	7,646	15,996 vs. Pitt, 12/8/13
2014-15	7,747	15,967 vs. Iowa, 2/8/15
2015-16	8,756*	15,983 vs. Ohio St., 2/15/16
2016-17	7,833	15,424 vs. Lehigh, 12/4/16
2017-18	7,693	+15,998 vs. Iowa, 2/10/18
2018-19	7,715	15,703 vs. Michigan, 2/1/19
2019-20	7,604	15,995 vs. Ohio State, 2/15/20
2020-21	N/A	No public attendance allowed
2020-21	7,776	15,991 vs. Ohio State, 2/4/22

* all-time Penn State record
+ all-time Penn State record, all-time NCAA indoor dual meet record

PENN STATE WRESTLING 2021-22 ROSTER

Penn State Athletics chose to advance classes as though 2020-21 was a normal year of eligibility. Student-athletes listed as redshirt freshmen in 2021-22 did not officially redshirt in 2020-21, but would have in any other normal year. Extra years of eligibility will be marked on the back end of student-athletes' career (a "+" symbol will be added on the end of "Sr." to indicate the extra year of eligibility being used).

NAME	Wt.	YR./EL.	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL
Donovon Ball	184	Jr./So.	New Cumberland, Pa./Cedar Cliff
Terrell Barraclough	149	Jr./So.	Kaysville, Utah/Layton
Beau Bartlett	141/149	So./So.	Tempe, Ariz./Wyoming Seminary (Pa.)
Michael Beard	197	Jr./So.	Pottstown, Pa./Malvern Prep
Brady Berge	157/165	Sr./Sr.	Mantorville, Minn./Kasson-Mantorville
Joey Blumer	141/149	Sr./Sr.	Leechburg, Pa./Kiski Area
Brian Borden	165/174	Fr./Fr.	Rupert, Idaho/Minico
Roman Bravo-Young	133	Sr./Sr.	Tucson, Ariz./Sunnyside
Aaron Brooks	184	Jr./Jr.	Hagerstown, Md./North Hagerstown
Jake Campbell	125/133	Sr./Gr.	Pottstown, Pa./Boyetown
Lucas Cochran	184/197	Fr./Fr.	Perry, Utah/Box Elder
Max Dean	197	Sr./Jr.	Lowell, Mich./Lowell
Aurelius Dunbar	157/165	So./Fr.	Greencastle, Pa./Mercersburg Academy
Creighton Edsell	165/174	Sr./Jr.	Wyalusing, Pa./Wyalusing
David Evans	133/141	So./Fr.	Tunkhannock, Pa./Tunkhannock
Alex Facundo	165	Fr./Fr.	Essexville, Mich./Davison
Paul Feite	149	Sr./Jr.	Dillsburg, Pa./Northern
Imran Heard	141/149	Sr./Jr.	Pittsburgh, Pa./St. Paul's School (Md.)
Levko Higgins	184/197	Sr./Sr.	Palmyra, Pa./Palmyra
Drew Hildebrandt	125	Sr./Sr.	Granger, Ind./Penn
Austin Hoopes	285	Sr./Sr.	Afton, Wyo./Star Valley
Robert Howard	125	So./So.	Cranford, N.J./Bergen Catholic
Jack Kelly	184	Fr./Fr.	Little Silver, N.J./Rumson-Fair Haven
Greg Kerkvliet	285	Jr./So.	Inver Grove Heights, Minn./Simley
Konner Kraeszig	165	Sr./Jr.	Louisville, Ky./St. Xavier
Joe Lee	157/165	Jr./So.	Evansville, Ind./Evansville Mater Dei
Matt Lee	149/157	So./Fr.	Evansville, Ind./Evansville Mater Dei
Nick Lee	141	Sr./Sr+.	Evansville, Ind./Home School
Mason Manville	165/174	Jr./Jr.	Lorton, Va./Wyoming Seminary
Brandon Meredith	125/133	Sr./Jr.	Limerick, Pa./Spring-Ford
Tony Negron	157	Sr./Jr.	North Babylon, N.Y./North Babylon
Seth Nevills	285	Jr./Jr.	Clovis, Calif./Clovis
Baylor Shunk	125	Jr./So.	Centre Hall, Pa./Penns Valley
Eddie Smith	285	Jr./So.	Scotch Plains, N.J./Scotch Plains Fanwood
Carter Starocci	174	Jr./So.	Erie, Pa./Cathedral Prep
Gary Steen	125	Fr./Fr.	Hermitage, Pa./Reynolds
Shayne Van Ness	149	Fr./Fr.	Somerville, N.J./Blair Academy
Marco Vespa	125/133	So./Fr.	Monroe, N.Y./Monroe Woodbury
Sean Wang	141	Fr./Fr.	Great Neck, N.Y./Great Neck South

Head Coach: Cael Sanderson (Iowa State '02)

Associate Head Coach: Cody Sanderson (Iowa State '00)

Head Assistant Coach: Casey Cunningham (Central Michigan '99)

Assistant Coach: Jimmy Kennedy (Illinois, '11)

Director of Operations: Adam Lynch (Penn State '10)



2021-22 PENN STATE WRESTLING INDIVIDUAL RECORDS & STATS

17-0 OVERALL, 8-0 B1G, 7-0 HOME, 5-0 ROAD, 5-0 NEUTRAL

Wrestler, Wt.	Overall Record	Collegiate Record	Dual Record	Big 10 Dual Record	Dual Pts. For/Against	SV W-L	TB W-L	MD W-L	TF W-L	Pins W-L	Fastest Fall
Donovan Ball, 184	9-3	9-3	3-0	0-0	10/0	0-0	0-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	---
Terrell Barraclough, 157	7-8	7-8	1-6	1-4	3/19	1-1	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-0	6:16
Beau Bartlett, 141/149	14-8	14-8	11-6	4-4	44/19	2-0	1-2	2-2	0-0	2-0	4:12
Michael Beard, 197	8-2	8-2	0-1	0-1	0/3	0-0	0-0	1-0	4-0	0-0	---
Brady Berge, 165/157	9-2	9-2	4-1	3-1	13/4	1-1	0-0	3-1	0-0	1-0	2:59
Joey Blumer, 141/149	1-2	1-2	0-2	0-0	0/7	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	---
Brian Borden, 165/174	11-6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	4-1	0-0	2-1	6:19
Roman Bravo-Young, 133	17-0	17-0	14-0	6-0	61/0	0-0	0-0	3-0	4-0	3-0	3:40
Aaron Brooks, 184	16-1	16-1	14-0	8-0	59/0	0-1	0-0	6-0	1-0	4-0	1:03
Jake Campbell, 125/133	0-4	0-4	0-4	0-0	0/17	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-1	---
Lucas Cochran, 184/197	11-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	4-0	1-0	1-1	3:47
Max Dean, 197	18-1	18-1	15-1	6-1	63/3	2-0	0-0	4-0	4-0	2-0	0:54
Aurelius Dunbar, 157/165	6-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1	---
Creighton Edsell, 165/174	11-5	11-5	10-3	5-0	32/9	3-0	0-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	---
David Evans, 133/141	11-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	3-0	4:32
Alex Facundo, 165	11-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	1-0	0-1	6-0	0-0	3-0	4:49
Paul Feite, 149	2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	2-0	2:00
Imran Heard, 141/149	6-6	6-6	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	2-0	5:31
Levko Higgins, 184/197	4-6	4-6	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	---
Drew Hildebrandt, 125	9-3	9-3	8-1	7-1	32/3	0-1	0-0	2-0	0-0	2-0	1:38
Austin Hoopes, 285	4-3	4-3	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-1	1:41
Robert Howard, 125	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
Jack Kelly, 184	9-8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-1	5-1	0:54
Greg Kerkviet, 285	18-2	18-2	14-1	7-1	64/3	0-1	0-0	4-0	3-0	5-0	1:11
Konner Kraeszig, 165	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	---
Joe Lee, 157/165	2-3	2-3	0-1	0-0	0/3	1-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	---
Matt Lee, 149/157	4-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-1	1-0	0-0	---
Nick Lee, 141	17-0	17-0	14-0	6-0	53/0	1-0	0-0	5-0	4-0	1-0	0:54
Mason Manville, 165/174	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0/8	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	---
Brandon Meredith, 125/133/141	5-5	5-5	0-4	0-2	0/15	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-0	---
Tony Negron, 157	5-5	5-5	1-5	1-2	4/15	0-1	0-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	---
Seth Nevills, 285	3-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	6:01
Baylor Shunk, 125/133	4-7	4-7	2-4	0-2	8/14	0-0	0-0	0-2	2-2	0-0	---
Eddie Smith, 285	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-0	---
Carter Starocci, 174	18-0	18-0	15-0	6-0	65/0	0-0	1-0	4-0	5-0	3-0	2:07
Gary Steen, 125	5-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	---
Shayne Van Ness, 149	2-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	0:54
Marco Vespa, 125/133	0-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2	---
Sean Wang, 141	2-6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0/0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-1	0-2	---
Dual Forfeit losses			0-2	0-0	0/12						
TOTALS	277-127	202-79	126-44	59-21	509/154	13-5	2-4	63-22	29-6	44-10	0:54

SV - sudden victory • TB - tiebreak • MD - major decision • TF - technical fall

SEASON LEADERS -- OVERALL*

DUAL TAKEDOWNS

WINS		FALLS		MAJOR DECISIONS		(numbers listed FOR - AGAINST)									
						Wt.	Wrestler	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total			
1.	Max Dean, 197	18	1.	Jack Kelly, 174	5	1.	Alex Facundo, 165	5	125	Drew Hildebrandt	5-1	2-0	2-0	0-0	9-1
	Greg Kerkviet, 285	18		Greg Kerkviet, 285	5		Nick Lee, 141	5							
	Carter Starocci, 174	18	3.	Aaron Brooks, 184	4	3.	Brian Borden, 165	4	125/133	Baylor Shunk	3-7	1-3	3-2	0-0	7-12
4.	Roman Bravo-Young, 133	17	4.	Roman Bravo-Young, 133	3		Aaron Brooks, 184	5	125	Jake Campbell	0-7	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-9
	Nick Lee, 141	17		David Evans, 133	3		Lucas Cochran, 197	4	133	Roman Bravo-Young	36-1	22-0	23-0	0-0	81-1
6.	Aaron Brooks, 184	16		Alex Facundo, 165	3		Max Dean, 197	4	141/133	Brandon Meredith	1-4	0-3	1-4	0-0	2-11
7.	Beau Bartlett, 149	14		Carter Starocci, 197	3		Greg Kerkviet, 285	4	141	Nick Lee	24-0	12-0	12-2	1-0	49-2
8.	Brian Borden, 165	11	8.	Beau Bartlett, 149	2		Carter Starocci, 174	4	149	Beau Bartlett	8-5	7-3	5-5	2-0	22-13
	Lucas Cochran, 197	11		Brian Borden, 197	2	9.	Donovan Ball, 184	3	157	Terrell Barraclough	0-1	0-2	0-2	1-1	1-6
	Creighton Edsell, 165	11		Max Dean, 197	2		Brady Berge, 165/157	3	157	Tony Negron	4-2	0-3	2-4	0-1	6-10
	David Evans, 133	11		Imran Heard, 149	2		Roman Bravo-Young, 133	3	157	Joe Lee	1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	1-1
	Alex Facundo, 165	11		Drew Hildebrandt, 125	2	12.	Beau Bartlett, 149	2	157	Joey Blumer	0-2	0-3	0-5	0-0	0-10
13.	Donovan Ball, 184	9		Paul Feite, 149	2		Creighton Edsell, 165	2	165/157	Brady Berge	2-1	3-0	3-2	0-0	8-3
	Brady Berge, 165	9	14.	Terrell Barraclough, 157	1		Levko Higgins, 197	2	165	Creighton Edsell	9-5	1-5	6-2	2-0	18-12
	Drew Hildebrandt, 125	9		Brady Berge, 157	1		Drew Hildebrandt, 125	2	174	Carter Starocci	32-1	16-0	10-0	0-0	58-1
	Jack Kelly, 174	9		Lucas Cochran, 197	1		Tony Negron, 157/165	2	184	Mason Manville	0-5	0-4	0-3	0-0	0-12
17.	Michael Beard, 197	8		Austin Hoopes, 285	1	17.	Terrell Barraclough, 157	1	184	Aaron Brooks	21-1	17-0	18-0	0-0	57-1
18.	Terrell Barraclough, 157	7		Nick Lee, 141	1		Michael Beard, 197	1	184	Donovan Ball	5-0	3-0	2-1	0-0	10-1
19.	Aurelius Dunbar, 157	6		Seth Nevills, 285	1		David Evans, 141	1	197	Max Dean	13-3	13-3	11-0	2-0	39-6
	Imran Heard, 149	6		Shayne Van Ness, 149	1		Imran Heard, 149	1	197	Michael Beard	1-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	2-0
21.	Brandon Meredith, 125/133	5					Austin Hoopes, 197	1	285	Greg Kerkviet	26-2	11-0	7-1	0-0	44-3
	Gary Steen, 125	5					Shayne Van Ness, 149	1							
	Tony Negron, 157	5					Shawn Wang, 141	1							
24.	Levko Higgins, 197	4													
	Austin Hoopes, 285	4		1.	Carter Starocci, 174	5									
	Matt Lee, 165	4		2.	Michael Beard, 197	4									
	Baylor Shunk, 125	4			Roman Bravo-Young, 133	4									
28.	Seth Nevills, 285	3			Max Dean, 197	4									
29.	Paul Feite, 149	2			Nick Lee, 141	4									
	Joe Lee, 157	2		6.	Greg Kerkviet, 285	3									
	Shayne Van Ness, 149	2			Baylor Shunk, 125	2									
	Shawn Wang, 141	2		8.	Aaron Brooks, 184	1									
33.	Joey Blumer, 149	1			Lucas Cochran, 184	1									
					Matt Lee, 165	1									

* Includes wrestlers w/unattached wins and red-shirts.

TOTAL 192-48 109-32 108-34 8-2 417-116

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2021-22 DUAL MEET TEAM POINTS SCORED BY WEIGHT/FINAL SCORES

Opponent	125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	FINAL
11/13: vs. Sacred Heart+	5-0	6-0	6-0	4-0	0-3	4-0	6-0	5-0	5-0	6-0	47-3
11/13: vs. Oregon State	0-3	3-0	3-0	3-0	0-4	3-0	5-0	6-0	4-0	5-0	32-7
11/18: ARMY	3-0	5-0	0-3	3-0	0-4	3-0	5-0	4-0	5-0	4-0	32-7
12/3: at Penn	0-3	0-4	3-0	3-0	0-3	3-0	4-0	3-0	4-0	0-6	20-16
12/5: LEHIGH	0-4	4-0	3-0	0-3	0-3	3-0	4-0	3-0	6-0	0-6	23-16
12/20: vs. #22 Northern Iowa \$	0-3	6-0	4-0	3-0	0-3	0-3	4-0	3-0	5-0	4-0	29-9
12/20: vs. #9 Cornell \$	0-6	4-0	4-0	0-4	0-3	0-3	3-0	4-0	3-0	3-0	21-16
12/21: vs. #3 Arizona State \$	0-4	3-0	4-0	3-0	0-3	0-3	5-0	6-0	4-0	4-0	29-10
1/7: at Maryland*	6-0	5-0	5-0	6-0	4-0	3-0	3-0	4-0	5-0	5-0	46-0
1/9: INDIANA*	3-0	0-5	0-3	3-0	0-3	4-0	6-0	4-0	4-0	5-0	29-11
1/16: #14 RUTGERS*	3-0	3-0	0-5	0-3	0-3	3-0	5-0	4-0	3-0	6-0	27-11
1/21: at #3 Michigan*	0-3	3-0	5-0	6-0	0-3	3-0	3-0	3-0	3-0	3-0	29-6
1/23: at Michigan State*	4-0	0-3	4-0	3-0	0-3	3-0	5-0	3-0	0-3	6-0	28-9
1/28: at Iowa*	4-0	3-0	3-0	0-3	0-3	0-4	3-0	3-0	3-0	0-3	19-13
2/4: #6 OHIO STATE*	3-0	6-0	4-0	0-3	3-0	3-0	0-4	6-0	3-0	4-0	32-7
2/6: #7 NEBRASKA*	3-0	5-0	3-0	0-3	0-3	3-0	0-4	4-0	0-3	3-0	21-13
2/20: RIDER	6-0	5-0	3-0	4-0	4-0	3-0	4-0	4-0	6-0	6-0	45-0
TEAM TOTALS	40-26	61-7	54-8	41-19	11-41	41-13	65-8	69-0	63-6	64-15	509-154

* Big Ten Dual // + at Manheim, Pa. // \$ at Niceville, Fla.

INDIVIDUAL DUAL RECORD BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
10-7	14-3	14-3	11-6	3-14	13-4	15-2	17-0	15-2	14-3	126-44

DUAL PINS BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
2-1	3-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	2-0	3-0	2-0	4-0	18-1

DUAL TECHNICAL FALLS BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
1-0	4-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	5-0	1-0	4-0	3-0	20-2

DUAL MAJOR DECISIONS BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
2-2	2-1	5-0	2-1	2-2	2-1	4-2	6-0	4-0	4-1	33-10

DUAL FORFEITS/DQs/INJURY DEFAULTS BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2	1-2

DUAL DECISIONS BY WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
5-4	5-1	6-2	7-5	1-12	11-3	4-0	6-0	6-1	3-1	54-29

TEAM RECORD AT DUAL'S STARTING WEIGHT

125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285	TOTAL
9-7	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	10-7

SEASON LEADERS -- DUAL MEETS

DUAL POINTS

1. Carter Starocci, 174	65
2. Greg Kerkvliet, 285	64
3. Max Dean, 197	63
4. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	61
5. Aaron Brooks, 184	59
6. Nick Lee, 141	54
7. Beau Bartlett, 149	41
8. Creighton Edsell, 165	32
9. Drew Hildebrandt, 125	32
10. Brady Berge, 165	13
11. Donovan Ball, 184	10
12. Baylor Shunk, 125	8
13. Tony Negron, 157	4
14. Terrell Barraclough, 157	3

DUAL BONUS POINTS

1. Greg Kerkvliet, 285	22
2. Carter Starocci, 174	20
3. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	19
4. Max Dean, 197	18
5. Aaron Brooks, 184	17
6. Nick Lee, 141	12
7. Beau Bartlett, 149	8
8. Drew Hildebrandt, 125	8
9. Creighton Edsell, 165	2
10. Baylor Shunk, 125	2
11. Donovan Ball, 184	1
12. Brady Berge, 165/157	1
13. Tony Negron, 157	1

DUAL TECH FALLS

1. Carter Starocci, 174	5
2. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	4
3. Max Dean, 197	4
4. Greg Kerkvliet, 285	3
5. Nick Lee, 141	2
6. Aaron Brooks, 184	1
7. Baylor Shunk, 125	1

DUAL MAJOR DECISIONS

1. Aaron Brooks, 184	6
2. Nick Lee, 141	5
3. Max Dean, 197	4
4. Greg Kerkvliet, 285	4
5. Carter Starocci, 174	4
6. Beau Bartlett, 149	2
7. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	2
8. Creighton Edsell, 165	2
9. Drew Hildebrandt, 125	2
10. Donovan Ball, 184	1
11. Brady Berge, 165/157	1
12. Tony Negron, 157	1

DUAL PINS

1. Greg Kerkvliet, 285	4
2. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	3
3. Aaron Brooks, 184	3
4. Max Dean, 197	2
5. Drew Hildebrandt, 125	2
6. Carter Starocci, 174	2
7. Beau Bartlett, 149	1
8. Nick Lee, 141	1

DUAL FORFEIT/INJ. DEF/DQ WINS

1. Beau Bartlett, 149	1
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DUAL TAKEDOWNS

1. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	81
2. Carter Starocci, 174	54
3. Aaron Brooks, 184	53
4. Nick Lee, 141	49
5. Greg Kerkvliet, 285	42
6. Max Dean, 197	36
7. Beau Bartlett, 149	22
8. Creighton Edsell, 165	18
9. Brady Berge, 165/157	11
10. Donovan Ball, 184	10
11. Drew Hildebrandt, 125	9
12. Baylor Shunk, 125	7
13. Tony Negron, 157	6
14. Michael Beard, 197	2
15. Brandon Meredith, 141	2
16. Terrell Barraclough, 157	1
17. Joe Lee, 157	1

DUAL REVERSALS

1. Nick Lee, 141	4
2. Beau Bartlett, 149	3
3. Creighton Edsell, 165	2
4. Drew Hildebrandt, 125	2
5. Baylor Shunk, 125	2
6. Terrell Barraclough, 157	1
7. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	1
8. Aaron Brooks, 184	1
9. Jake Campbell, 125	1
10. Max Dean, 197	1
11. Greg Kerkvliet, 285	1
12. Carter Starocci, 174	1

DUAL NEAR FALL 2

1. Nick Lee, 141	4
2. Creighton Edsell, 165	3
3. Greg Kerkvliet, 285	2
4. Carter Starocci, 174	2
5. Donovan Ball, 184	1
6. Beau Bartlett, 149	1
7. Max Dean, 197	1
8. Baylor Shunk, 125	1

DUAL NEAR FALL 4

1. Max Dean, 197	12
2. Carter Starocci, 174	12
3. Greg Kerkvliet, 285	8
4. Nick Lee, 141	5
5. Roman Bravo-Young, 133	3
6. Drew Hildebrandt, 125	3
7. Baylor Shunk, 125	3
8. Aaron Brooks, 184	2
9. Beau Bartlett, 149	1
10. Creighton Edsell, 165	1
11. Tony Negron, 157	1

DUAL STALLS FORCED/TAKEN

125: Drew Hildebrandt	4	3
125: Baylor Shunk	0	1
125: Jake Campbell	0	3
133: Roman Bravo-Young	6	2
133: Brandon Meredith	0	1
141: Nick Lee	17	1
149: Beau Bartlett	3	4
157: Terrell Barraclough	2	0
157: Tony Negron	3	1
157: Joey Blumer	1	1
165: Brady Berge	1	3
165: Creighton Edsell	3	3
174: Carter Starocci	10	3
184: Aaron Brooks	13	4
184: Donovan Ball	3	1
197: Max Dean	14	3
197: Michael Beard	1	4
285: Greg Kerkvliet	8	0
TOTALS	89	38

DUAL RIDING TIME POINTS FOR/AGAINST

125: Drew Hildebrandt	5	1
125/133: Baylor Shunk	2	2
125: Jake Campbell	0	3
133: Roman Bravo-Young	5	0
133/141: Brandon Meredith	0	2
141: Nick Lee	8	0
149: Beau Bartlett	3	3
157: Tony Negron	1	2
157: Terrell Barraclough	0	3
157: Joey Blumer	0	2
165: Brady Berge	1	1
165: Creighton Edsell	7	2
174: Carter Starocci	6	0
174: Mason Manville	0	2
184: Aaron Brooks	9	0
184: Donovan Ball	1	0
197: Max Dean	8	0
285: Greg Kerkvliet	7	1
TOTALS	63	24

RECORD WATCH

SINGLE SEASON

VICTORIES

1.	54	Scott Moore, 2003
2.	47	Kerry McCoy, 1994
3.	44	Josh Moore, 2004
4.	43	Mark Becks, 2003
		Jim Martin, 1989
		Kerry McCoy, 1995
7.	41	Jim Martin, 1988
		Kerry McCoy, 1997
9.	40	Josh Moore, 2003
10.	39	Carl DeStefanis, 1984
		Bob Truby, 1991
		Ed Ruth, 2011
12.	38	David Taylor, 2011
		Pat Cummins, 2004
		Pat Cummins, 2003
		Greg Elinsky, 1987
		Cary Kolat, 1994
16.	37	Phil Davis, 2005
		Jim Martin, 1986
		Greg Elinsky, 1986
19.	36	John Hughes, 1994
20.	35	Sanshiro Abe, 1994
		Bill Marino, 1983
		Greg Elinsky, 1984
		Ken Chertow, 1987, 88
		Jamarr Billman, 1998

FALLS

1.	24	Josh Moore, '03-04
2.	22	Scott Moore, '02-03
3.	20	Cary Kolat, '93-94
4.	18	Bo Nickal, '18-19
	18	Andrew Alton, '10-11
6.	17	Zain Retherford, '17-18
	17	Bo Nickal, '16-17
	17	Zain Retherford, '16-17
9.	16	Bo Nickal, '17-18
	16	Jason Nolf, '17-18
	16	David Taylor, '13-14
	16	Josh Moore, '02-03
13.	15	Jason Nolf, '18-19
	15	Jason Nolf, '15-16
	15	Zain Retherford, '15-16
	15	David Taylor, '11-12
	15	Bill Marino, '82-83

SHUTOUS (32 SINCE 81-82)

45-0	vs. Cornell, 12/3/81, Rec Hall
54-0	vs. Millersville, 1/25/83, Rec Hall
39-0	vs. Virginia, 12/1/87, Rec Hall
45-0	vs. Maryland, 1/18/92, Rec Hall
38-0	vs. Minnesota, 2/8/92, Ann Arbor
39-0	vs. Bloomsburg, 2/10/93, Rec Hall
39-0	vs. Lehigh, 2/13/93, Rec Hall
40(-1)	vs. Wartburg, 1/22/00, BJC
38-0	vs. Appalachian State, 1/11/02, Hampton, Va.
47-0	vs. Clarion, 11/19/06, Lock Haven, Pa.
41-0	vs. Rider, 1/13/07, Hampton, Va.
33-0	vs. Lehigh, 12/7/07, Easton, Pa.
45-0	vs. Harvard, 11/21/10, Binghamton
48-0	vs. Lock Haven, 12/12/10, Rec Hall
50-0	vs. Lock Haven, 12/18/11, Lock Haven,
43-0	vs. Wisconsin, 1/15/12, Madison
52-0	vs. Indiana, 12/9/12, Rec Hall
41-0	vs. Michigan State, 1/13/13, Rec Hall
37-0	vs. Illinois, 2/3/13, Champaign, Ill.
48-0	vs. Rider, 2/17/13, Rec Hall
34-0	vs. Rutgers, 2/24/13, New Brunswick
44-0	vs. Clarion, 11/22/14, Clarion, Pa.
35-0	vs. Michigan State, 2/1/15, East Lansing
50-0	vs. Lock Haven, 11/13/15, Rec Hall
45-0	vs. Army, 11/11/16, West Point, N.Y.
46-0	vs. Binghamton, 12/11/16, Rec Hall
55-0	vs. Buffalo, 2/18/18, Rec Hall
42-0	vs. Lehigh, 12/2/18, Rec Hall
45-0	vs. Navy, 11/10/19, Rec Hall
44-0	vs. Maryland, 2/22/21, Rec Hall
46-0	vs. Maryland, 1/7/22, College Park, Md.

CAREER

MATCHES WRESTLED

1.	184	Josh Moore, '01-04
2.	168	Jim Martin, '86-89
	168	Kerry McCoy, '92-97
4.	162	Greg Elinsky, '83-87
5.	158	Doc Vecchio, '00-03
		Clint Musser, '94, 96-99
7.	154	Ken Chertow, '85, 87-89
		Jason Suter, '88-91
		Adam Smith, '02-05
9.	151	Scott Moore, '00, '02-03
	151	Frank Molinaro, '09-12
11.	150	Mark Becks, '00-03
12.	149	Eric Brugel, '82-84, 86
		John Hughes, '92, 94-96
		Andy Voit, '85, 87-89
15.	144	Dan Vallimont, '07-10
16.	143	John Hanrahan, '79-82
17.	142	Jeremy Hunter, '96-00
19.	140	Sanshiro Abe, '93-96
		Tim Flynn, '83, 85-87
20.	139	Quentin Wright, '09, 11-13
	139	Ed Ruth, '11-13

VICTORIES

1.	155	Jim Martin, '86-89
2.	150	Kerry McCoy, '92-97
3.	146	Josh Moore, '01-04
4.	138	Greg Elinsky, '83-87
5.	136	Ed Ruth, 2011-14
6.	134	David Taylor, 2011-14
7.	126	Zain Retherford, '14-18
8.	125	Sanshiro Abe, '93-96
9.	123	Jeremy Hunter, '96-00
	123	Clint Musser, '94, 96-99
	123	Frank Molinaro, '09-12
11.	121	John Hughes, '92, 94-96
	121	Nico Megaludis, '12-16
13.	119	Matt Brown, '12-15
14.	118	Mark Hall, 2017-20
15.	116	Quentin Wright, '09-13
	116	Phil Davis, '05-08
18.	115	Ken Chertow, '85, 87-89
19.	114	Morgan McIntosh, '12-16
	114	Carl DeStefanis, '81-84

-- 113

Nick Lee, '18-Prsnt.

OVERALL WINNING % (MINIMUM 30 MATCHES)

1.	97.84	Ed Ruth (136-3), 2011-14
2.	97.81	David Taylor (134-3), 2011-14
3.	97.6	Zain Retherford (126-3), 2014-18
4.	97.5	Bo Nickal (120-3), 2016-19
5.	96.7	Andy Matter (59-2), 1970-72
6.	97.5	Jason Nolf (117-3), 2016-19
7.	95.1	Mark Hall (116-6), 2017-20
8.	93.4	Jim Martin (155-9-4), 1986-89
9.	92.9	Dick Lemyre (39-3), 1952-54
10.	90.8	Vincenzo Joseph (89-9), 2017-20

-- 89.7

Nick Lee (113-13), 2018-Prsnt.

FALLS

1.	60	Jason Nolf, '16-19
2.	59	Bo Nickal, '16-19
3.	53	Zain Retherford, '14-18
	53	David Taylor, '11-14
	53	Josh Moore, '01-04
6.	46	Ed Ruth, '11-14
7.	41	Mark Hall, '17-20
	38	Quentin Wright, '09-13
9.	34	Scott Moore, '00, '02-03
	34	Kerry McCoy, '92-97
11.	32	Cameron Wade, 2009-12
	32	Josh Walker, '02-05
13.	31	Andrew Alton, '11-15
	31	Biff Walizer, '95-99
15.	30	Shakur Rasheed, '16-20
	30	Matt Brown, '12-15
	30	Phil Davis, '05-08
	30	Pat Cummins, '01-04
19	29	Jeremy Hunter, '96-00
20.	28	Cary Kolat, '93-94

DUAL MEET VICTORIES

1.	73	Jim Martin, '86-89
2.	71	Kerry McCoy, '92-97
3.	63	David Taylor, '11-14
4.	62	Jeremy Hunter, '96-00
5.	59	Zain Retherford, '14-18
	58	Phil Davis, 05-08
7.	57	Bo Nickal, 2016-19
	57	Sanshiro Abe, '93-96
	57	Dan Vallimont, '07-10
10.	55	Nick Lee, '18-Prsnt.
	55	Ed Ruth, '11-14
	55	Frank Molinaro, '09-12
	55	Greg Elinsky, '83-87
	54	Jason Nolf, 2016-19
	54	Glenn Pritzlaff, '94, 96-99
16.	53	Morgan McIntosh, '12-16
	53	Clint Musser, '94, 96-99
18.	52	Nico Megaludis, '12-16
	52	Troy Sunderland, '89, 91-93
20.	51	Jeff Prescott, '89-92

DUAL MEET WINNING % (MINIMUM 20 MATCHES)

1.	100.0	David Taylor (63-0), 2011-14
		Zain Retherford (59-0), 2014-18
		Ed Ruth (55-0), 2011-14
		Andy Matter (33-0), 1970-72
5.	98.3	Bo Nickal (57-1), 2016-19
6.	98.2	Jason Nolf (54-1), 2016-19
7.	97.4	Jim Martin (73-1-2), 1986-89

--	96.5	Nick Lee (55-2), 2018-Prsnt.

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NCAA HIGHLIGHTS

National Champions (48)

1935 Howard Johnston, 165
 1952 Joe Lemyre, 167
 1953 Hud Samson, 191
 1955 Larry Fomicola, 137
 1955 Bill Oberly, Hwt.
 1957 John Johnston, 130
 1971 Andy Matter, 167
 1972 Andy Matter, 167
 1975 John Fritz, 126
 1984 Carl DeStefanis, 118
 Scott Lynch, 134
 1988 Jim Martin, 126
 1991 Jeff Prescott, 118
 1992 Jeff Prescott, 118
 1994 Kerry McCoy, Hwt.
 1995 John Hughes, 142
 1996 Sanshiro Abe, 126
 1997 Kerry McCoy, Hwt.
 1999 Glenn Pritzlaff, 174
 2000 Jeremy Hunter, 125
 2008 Phil Davis, 197
 2011 Quentin Wright, 184
 2012 Frank Molinaro, 149
 David Taylor, 165
 Ed Ruth, 174
 2013 Ed Ruth, 184
 Quentin Wright, 197
 2014 David Taylor, 165
 Ed Ruth, 184
 2015 Matt Brown, 174
 2016 Nico Megaludis, 125
 Zain Retherford, 149
 2017 Zain Retherford, 149
 Jason Nolf, 157
 Vincenzo Joseph, 165
 Mark Hall, 174
 Bo Nickal, 184
 2018 Zain Retherford, 149
 Jason Nolf, 157
 Vincenzo Joseph, 165
 Bo Nickal, 184
 2019 Jason Nolf, 157
 Bo Nickal, 197
 Anthony Cassar, 285
 2020 *event cancelled by NCAA*
 *in reaction to a virus*
 2021 Roman Bravo-Young, 133
 Nick Lee, 141
 Carter Starocci, 174
 Aaron Brooks, 184

Top NCAA Finishes

118 1st: Carl DeStefanis, 1984
 Jeff Prescott, 1991-92
 125 1st: Jeremy Hunter, 2000
 1st: Nico Megaludis, 2016
 2nd: Nico Megaludis, 2012
 2nd: Nico Megaludis, 2013
 3rd: Nico Megaludis, 2014
 126 1st: John Fritz, 1975
 Jim Martin, 1988
 Sanshiro Abe, 1996
 130 1st: John Johnston, 1957
 133 1st: Roman Bravo-Young, 2021
 2nd: Josh Moore, 2004
 3rd: Andrew Long, 2011
 134 1st: Scott Lynch, 1984
 137 1st: Larry Fomicola, 1955
 141 1st: Nick Lee, 141
 4th: Scott Moore, 2003
 5th: Nick Lee, 2018
 5th: Nick Lee, 2019
 5th: Zain Retherford, 2014
 142 1st: John Hughes, 1995
 149 1st: Frank Molinaro, 2012
 1st: Zain Retherford, 2016
 1st: Zain Retherford, 2017
 1st: Zain Retherford, 2018
 2nd: Frank Molinaro, 2011
 2nd: Bubba Jenkins, 2008
 5th: Frank Molinaro, 2010
 150 2nd: Troy Sunderland, 1992 & 93
 157 1st: Jason Nolf, 2018
 1st: Jason Nolf, 2017
 2nd: Jason Nolf, 2016
 2nd: David Taylor, 2011
 2nd: Clint Musser, 1999
 3rd: Dylan Alton, 2012
 3rd: Dan Vallimont, 2008
 158 2nd: Greg Elinsky, 1985-86
 Josh Robbins, 1993
 165 1st: David Taylor, 2012
 1st: David Taylor, 2013
 1st: Vincenzo Joseph, 2017
 1st: Vincenzo Joseph, 2018
 1st: Howard Johnson, 1935
 2nd: David Taylor, 2013
 2nd: Dan Vallimont, 2010
 2nd: Vincenzo Joseph, 2019
 167 1st: Joe Lemyre, 1952
 Andy Matter, 1971-72
 174 1st: Glenn Pritzlaff, 1999
 1st: Ed Ruth, 2012
 1st: Matt Brown, 2015
 1st: Mark Hall, 2017
 1st: Carter Starocci, 2021
 2nd: Mark Hall, 2019
 2nd: Mark Hall, 2018
 2nd: Matt Brown, 2013
 2nd: Bo Nickal, 2016
 3rd: Ed Ruth, 2011
 177 2nd: Mike Rubino, 1951
 Joe Krufka, 1955
 Dan Mayo, 1988

184 1st: Quentin Wright, 2011
 1st: Ed Ruth, 2013
 1st: Ed Ruth, 2014
 1st: Bo Nickal, 2017
 1st: Bo Nickal, 2018
 1st: Aaron Brooks, 2021
 2nd: Quentin Wright, 2012
 190 4th: Andy Voit, 1987
 191 1st: Hud Samson, 1953
 197 1st: Quentin Wright, 197
 1st: Phil Davis, 2008
 2nd: Phil Davis, 2006
 2nd: Morgan McIntosh, 2016
 3rd: Morgan McIntosh, 2015
 Hwt 1st: Bill Oberly, 1955
 Kerry McCoy, 1994 & 97
 2nd: Aaron Anspach, 2007

National Runners-Up (40)

1939 Joe Scalzo, 145
 1951 Don Frey, 147
 Mike Rubino, 177
 Homer Barr, Hwt.
 1953 Dick Lemyre, 130
 1955 Joe Krufka, 177
 1956 Dave Adams, 147
 1957 John Pepe, 137
 1961 Ron Pifer, 147
 1971 Dave Joyner, Hwt.
 1985 Greg Elinsky, 158
 1986 Greg Elinsky, 158
 1987 Jim Martin, 118
 1988 Dan Mayo, 177
 1990 Greg Haladay, Hwt.
 1992 Troy Sunderland, 150
 1993 Cary Kolat, 134
 Troy Sunderland, 150
 Josh Robbins, 158
 1995 Sanshiro Abe, 126
 1996 John Hughes, 142
 1999 Jeremy Hunter, 125
 Clint Musser, 157
 2004 Josh Moore, 133
 Pat Cummins, Hwt.
 2006 Phil Davis, 197
 2007 Aaron Anspach, HWT
 2008 Bubba Jenkins, 149
 2010 Dan Vallimont, 165
 2011 Frank Molinaro, 149
 David Taylor, 157
 2012 Nico Megaludis, 125
 Quentin Wright, 184
 2013 Nico Megaludis, 125
 David Taylor, 165
 Matt Brown, 174
 2016 Jason Nolf, 157
 Bo Nickal, 174
 Morgan McIntosh, 197
 2018 Mark Hall, 174
 2019 Vincenzo Joseph, 165
 Mark Hall, 174

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PENN STATE IN THE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

NCAA Tournament Wins

1. Ed Ruth, 2010-14 21-1
2. **Bo Nickal, 2016-19..... 19-1**
Jason Nolf, 2016-19..... 19-1
4. Zain Retherford, 2014-18 19-2
5. David Taylor, 2011-14 18-2
Nico Megaludis, 2012-16 18-3
Quentin Wright, 2009-13 18-4
Jim Martin, 1986-89 18-4
Sanshiro Abe, 1993-96 18-4
Greg Elinsky, 1984-87 18-5
11. John Fritz, 1972-75 17-3
Phil Davis, 2005-08 17-5
Frank Molinaro, 2009-12 17-6
Ken Chertow, 1985, 1987-89 17-6
15. Kerry McCoy, 1992-97 16-3
John Hughes, 1992, 1994-96 16-5
Morgan McIntosh, 2012-16 16-6
18. Jeff Prescott, 1990-92 15-2
Nick Lee, 2018-Prsnt. 15-4
Dan Vallimont, 2007-11 15-6
20. Vincenzo Joseph, 2017-19 14-1
Matt Brown, 2012-15 14-3
Jeremy Hunter, 1998-2000 14-5
Andy Voit, 1985, 1987-89 14-7
Tim Wittman, 1988, 1990-92 14-9
25. Mark Hall, 2017-19 13-2

NCAA Tournament Win % (Minimum 10 matches)

1. Ed Ruth, 2011-14 95.5....21-1
2. **Bo Nickal, 2016-19 95.0....19-1**
Jason Nolf, 2016-19 95.0....19-1
4. **Vincenzo Joseph, 2017-19 93.3.....14-1**
5. Andy Matter, 1970-72 91.7....11-1
6. Zain Retherford, 2014-18 90.5....19-2
7. David Taylor, 2011-14 90.0....18-2
8. Jeff Prescott, 1990-92 88.2....15-2
9. **Mark Hall, 2017-19 86.7....13-2**
10. Nico Megaludis 85.7....18-3

TEAM RECORDS

Top Ten Finishes (53)

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|------|---|
| 1st | 1953, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014
2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 |
| 2nd | 1955, 1993, 2021 |
| 3rd | 1942, 1951, 1954, 1984,
1987, 1991, 1992, 1994, 2008 |
| 4th | 1971 (tie), 1996, 1998, 1999 |
| 5th | 1935 (tie), 1952, 1956,
1957, 1986, 1988, 1995 |
| 6th | 1981, 1990, 2003, 2015 |
| 7th | 1960, 1961, 1974, 1983, 1985 |
| 8th | 1939, 1964, 1972 |
| 9th | 1946 (tie), 1950, 2006 (tie), 2010 |
| 10th | 1973 (tie), 1975,
1976, 1989, 1997 |

Highest Point Totals

1. 146.5..... 2017 (1st)
2. 143.0..... 2012 (1st)
3. 141.5..... 2018 (1st)
4. 140.5..... 2014 (1st)
5. 137.5..... 2019 (1st)
6. 123.5..... 2013 (1st)
7. 123.0..... 2016 (1st)
8. 113.5..... 2021 (2nd)
9. 107.5..... 2011 (1st)
10. 97.75..... 1987 (3rd)
11. 89.25..... 1992 (3rd)
12. 87.50 1993 (2nd)
13. 78.50..... 1999 (4th)
14. 75.00..... 2008 (3rd)
15. 71.50..... 1988 (5th)
16. 70.50..... 1984 (3rd)
17. 70.50..... 1998 (4th)
18. 67.50..... 2015 (6th)
19. 67.50..... 1991 (3rd)
20. 65.00..... 1996 (4th)

ALL-AMERICANS (232)

All-Americans under Sanderson (69)

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|------|---|---------------------------|-----|
| 2010 | 3 | Dan Vallimont 165 | 2nd |
| | | Frank Molinaro 149 | 5th |
| | | Cyler Sanderson 157 | 6th |
| 2011 | 5 | Quentin Wright 184 | 1st |
| | | Frank Molinaro 149 | 2nd |
| | | David Taylor 157 | 2nd |
| | | Andrew Long 133 | 3rd |
| | | Ed Ruth..... 174 | 3rd |
| 2012 | 6 | Frank Molinaro 149 | 1st |
| | | Ed Ruth..... 174 | 1st |
| | | David Taylor 165 | 1st |
| | | Nico Megaludis 125 | 2nd |
| | | Quentin Wright 184 | 2nd |
| | | Dylan Alton..... 157 | 3rd |
| 2013 | 5 | Ed Ruth..... 184 | 1st |
| | | Quentin Wright 197 | 1st |
| | | Nico Megaludis 125 | 2nd |
| | | David Taylor 165 | 2nd |
| | | Matt Brown 174 | 2nd |
| 2014 | 7 | David Taylor 165 | 1st |
| | | Ed Ruth..... 184 | 1st |
| | | Nico Megaludis 125 | 3rd |
| | | Zain Retherford 141 | 5th |
| | | Matt Brown 174 | 5th |
| | | James English..... 149 | 7th |
| | | Morgan McIntosh..... 197 | 7th |
| 2015 | 5 | Matt Brown 174 | 1st |
| | | Morgan McIntosh..... 197 | 3rd |
| | | Jimmy Gulibon 133 | 5th |
| | | Jimmy Lawson 285 | 6th |
| | | Jordan Conaway..... 125 | 8th |
| 2016 | 6 | Nico Megaludis 125 | 1st |
| | | Zain Retherford 149 | 1st |
| | | Jason Nolf..... 157 | 2nd |
| | | Bo Nickal 174 | 2nd |
| | | Morgan McIntosh..... 197 | 2nd |
| | | Jordan Conaway..... 133 | 6th |

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|------|---|----------------------------|-------|
| 2017 | 6 | Zain Retherford 149 | 1st |
| | | Jason Nolf..... 157 | 1st |
| | | Vincenzo Josephn..... 165 | 1st |
| | | Mark Hall..... 174 | 1st |
| | | Bo Nickal 184 | 1st |
| | | Nick Nevills 285 | 5th |
| 2018 | 8 | Zain Retherford 149 | 1st |
| | | Jason Nolf..... 157 | 1st |
| | | Vincenzo Josephn..... 165 | 1st |
| | | Bo Nickal 184 | 1st |
| | | Mark Hall..... 174 | 2nd |
| | | Nick Lee..... 141 | 5th |
| | | Shakur Rasheed 197 | 7th |
| | | Nick Nevills 285 | 7th |
| 2019 | 7 | Jason Nolf..... 157 | 1st |
| | | Bo Nickal 197 | 1st |
| | | Anthony Cassar..... 285 | 1st |
| | | Vincenzo Joseph..... 165 | 2nd |
| | | Mark Hall..... 174 | 2nd |
| | | Nick Lee..... 141 | 5th |
| | | Roman Bravo-Young. 133 | 8th |
| 2020 | 5 | Roman Bravo-Young133 | 1st-T |
| | | Nick Lee..... 141 | 1st-T |
| | | Vincenzo Joseph..... 165 | 1st-T |
| | | Mark Hall..... 174 | 1st-T |
| | | Aaron Brooks 184 | 1st-T |

* The 2020 tournament was canceled by the NCAA in reaction to a virus, the top eight seeds at each weight were named First Team All-Americans by the NWCA.

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|------|---|----------------------------|-----|
| 2021 | 6 | Roman Bravo-Young133 | 1st |
| | | Nick Lee..... 141 | 1st |
| | | Carter Starocci..... 174 | 1st |
| | | Aaron Brooks 184 | 1st |
| | | Michael Beard 197 | 7th |
| | | Greg Kerkvliet 197 | 7th |

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DREW HILDEBRANDT
GRANGER, IND.
PENN

2x All-American (4th, 2021;
1st Tm, 2020)

Sr.+/Sr.+ = 125

PARENTS: NANCY AND CHRIS HILDEBRANDT
MAJOR: BUSINESS MANAGEMENT FOUNDATIONS

MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
1/7	125	WBF	Zach Spence, Maryland (1:38)	dual	1-0
1/9	125	W, 6-2	#25 Zach Moran, Indiana	dual	2-0
1/16	125	W, 4-2	#31 Dylan Shawver, Rutgers	dual	3-0
1/21	125	L, 1-2	#1 Nick Suriano, Michigan	dual	3-1
1/23	125	W, 8-0	Tristan Lujan, Michigan State (major)	dual	4-1
1/28	125	W, 9-0	Jesse Ybarra, Iowa (major)	dual	5-1
2/4	125	W, 2-0	#10 Malik Heinselman, Ohio State	dual	6-1
2/6	125	W, 4-0	Jeremiah Reno, Nebraska	dual	7-1
2/20	125	WBF	Tyler Klinsky, Rider (2:59)	dual	8-1
3/5	125	L, 3-5 (sv)	#13 Michael DeAugustino, Northwestern	B1G	8-2
3/5	125	L, 3-6	#10 Patrick McKee, Minnesota	B1G	8-3
3/6	125	W, 4-0	Jacob Moran, Indiana	B1G (10th)	9-3

NOTES: Two-Time All-American (4th last year), transfer from Central Michigan.

Maryland (1/7): Made Penn State and season debut by pinning Maryland's Zach Spence to open up Big Ten action. **Indiana (1/9):** Downed #25 Zach Moran in Rec Hall debut in a 6-2 decision.

Rutgers (2/16): Used late takedown to post 4-2 win over #31 Dylan Shawver.

Michigan (1/21): Lost tough 2-1 decision to #1 Nick Suriano on riding time.

Michigan State (1/23): Posted an 8-0 major over Tristan Lujan. **Iowa (1/28):** Majored Jesse Ybarra 9-0 to start off Penn State's win over the Hawkeyes.

Ohio State (2/4): Strong 2-0 win over #10 Malik Heinselman with 1:53 in RT.

Nebraska (2/6): Dominated Jeremiah Reno 4-0 with 2:41 RT. **Rider (2/20):**

Pinned Rider's Tyler Klinsky late in the first period (2:59). **Big Ten Championship (3/5-6):**

Went 1-2, earned AQ with 10th place finish.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (BIG)	TRN (BIG/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2017-18	18-18	5-9 (0-0)	13-9 (0-0/0-0)	0-0	1-0	1-3	18
2018-19	20-10	10-1 (0-0)	10-9 (0-0/1-2)	3-0	1-1	1-1	38
2019-20	31-3	12-0 (0-0)	19-3 (0-0/0-0)	8-0	0-0	7-0	54
2020-21	14-2	7-0 (0-0)	7-2 (0-0/4-2)	1-0	2-0	3-1	28
2021-22	9-3	8-1 (7-1)	1-2 (1-2/0-0)	2-0	0-0	2-0	32
Career	92-36	42-11 (7-1)	50-25 (1-2/5-4)	14-0	4-1	14-5	170

VS. THE FIELD THIS YEAR

1/16	125	W, 4-2	#31 Dylan Shawver, Rutgers	dual	1-0
1/21	125	L, 1-2	#1 Nick Suriano, Michigan	dual	1-1
2/4	125	W, 2-0	#10 Malik Heinselman, Ohio State	dual	2-1
3/5	125	L, 3-5 (sv)	#13 Michael DeAugustino, Northwestern	B1G	2-2
3/5	125	L, 3-6	#10 Patrick McKee, Minnesota	B1G	2-3

CAREER IN NCAA TOURNAMENT

Year	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
2019	125	W, 6-0	Gabe Townsell, Stanford,	NCAA	1-0
2019	125	L, 3-5	#6 Ronnie Bresser, Oregon State	NCAA	1-1
2019	125	L, 4-7	#24 Alex Mackall, Iowa State	NCAA	1-2
2021	125	W, 3-0	#25 Zurich Storm, Campbell	NCAA	2-2
2021	125	W, 2-1	#14 Liam Cronin, Nebraska	NCAA	3-2
2021	125	W, 4-2 (sv)	#10 Brody Teske, Northern Iowa	NCAA	4-2
2021	125	L, 0-11	#1 Spencer Lee, Iowa	NCAA	4-3
2021	125	W, 5-4	#8 Sam Latnoa, Virginia Tech	NCAA	5-3
2021	125	L, 3-5	#5 Patrick McKee, Minnesota	NCAA (4th)	5-4



ROMAN BRAVO-YOUNG
 TUCSON, ARIZ./SUNNYSIDE
 National Champion (2021)
 3x All-American
 (8th, 2019; 1st Tm, 2020;
 1st, 2021)

Sr./Sr. = 133

PARENTS: SARAH BRAVO AND MELISSA CRUZ
MAJOR: RECREATION, PARK AND TOURISM MANAGEMENT

MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	133	WBF	Anthony Petrillo, Sacred Heart (3:40)	dual	1-0
11/13	133	W, 8-3	Jason Shaner, Oregon State	dual	2-0
11/18	133	W, 26-11	Dominic Carone, Army (TF; 6:36)	dual	3-0
12/5	133	W, 19-7	Sheldon Seymour, Lehigh (major)	dual	4-0
12/20	133	WBF	#31 Kyle Biscoglia, Northern Iowa (4:34)	dual	5-0
12/20	133	W, 21-9	Dominic LaJoie, Cornell	dual	6-0
12/21	133	W, 6-2	#14 Michael McGee, Arizona State (major)	dual	7-0
1/7	133	W, 16-1	King Sandoval, Maryland (TF; 3:25)	dual	8-0
1/16	133	W, 11-5	#20 Joe Olivieri, Rutgers	dual	9-0
1/21	133	W, 8-1	#8 Dylan Ragusin, Michigan	dual	10-0
1/28	133	W, 3-2	#3 Austin DeSanto, Iowa	dual	11-0
2/4	133	WBF	Brady Koontz, Ohio State (5:24)	dual	12-0
2/6	133	W, 23-8	Dominick Serrano, Nebraska (TF; 7:00)	dual	13-0
2/20	133	W, 26-11	Richie Koehler, Rider (TF; 6:08)	dual	14-0
3/5	133	W, 11-3	#23 Matt Ramos, Purdue (major)	B1G	15-0
3/5	133	W, 4-0	#8 Dylan Ragusin, Michigan	B1G	16-0
3/6	133	W, 3-1	#3 Austin DeSanto, Iowa	B1G (1st)	17-0

NOTES: Ranked #1 by InterMat. **Sacred Heart (11/13):** Pinned Anthony Petrillo (3:40). **Oregon State (11/13):** 8-3 win over Jason Shaner. **Army West Point (11/18):** Posted 26-11 tech fall over Dominic Carone. **Lehigh (12/5):** Notched a 19-7 major over Lehigh's Sheldon Seymour. **Collegiate Duals (12-20-21):** Went 3-0 in Florida, including wins over #31 Kyle Biscoglia and #14 Michael McGee. **Maryland (1/7):** Opened up Big Ten action with a 16-1 tech over King Sandoval. **Rutgers (2/16):** Downed #20 Joe Olivieri 11-wth 2:01 RT. **Michigan (1/21):** Handled #8 Dylan Ragusin 8-1 in Ann Arbor. **Iowa (1/28):** Used a second period takedown and a third period escape to beat #3 Austin DeSanto 3-2 in Iowa City. **Ohio State (2/4):** Pinned Brady Koontz (5:24) the BJC Dual victory for Penn State. **Nebraska (2/6):** Posted 23-8 tech fall (7:00) over Dominick Serrano. **Rider (2/20):** Tallied 13 take-downs in a 26-11 tech fall (6:08) over Richie Koehler. **Big Ten Championship (3/5-6):** Won second straight Big Ten title at 133, going 3-0 in Lincoln; beat #23 Matt Ramos of Purdue, #8 Dylan Ragusin of Michigan and #3 Austin DeSanto of Iowa 3-1 in the finals.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (BIG)	TRN (BIG/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2018-19	25-7	9-1 (4-1)	16-6 (4-2/4-3)	2-1	1-0	9-1	36
2019-20	19-2	12-1 (7-1)	7-1 (2-1/0-0)	1-0	3-0	6-0	51
2020-21	14-0	6-0 (6-0)	8-0 (3-0/5-0)	1-0	2-0	2-0	24
2021-22	17-0	14-0 (6-0)	3-0 (3-0/0-0)	3-0	4-0	3-0	61
Career	75-9	41-2 (23-2)	34-7 (12-3/9-3)	7-1	10-0	20-1	172

VS. THE FIELD THIS YEAR

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
12/20	133	WBF	#31 Kyle Biscoglia, Northern Iowa (4:34)	dual	1-0
12/20	133	W, 21-9	Dominic LaJoie, Cornell	dual	2-0
12/21	133	W, 6-2	#14 Michael McGee, Arizona State (major)	dual	3-0
1/16	133	W, 11-5	#20 Joe Olivieri, Rutgers	dual	4-0
1/21	133	W, 8-1	#8 Dylan Ragusin, Michigan	dual	5-0
1/28	133	W, 3-2	#3 Austin DeSanto, Iowa	dual	6-0
2/20	133	W, 26-11	Richie Koehler, Rider (TF; 6:08)	dual	7-0
3/5	133	W, 11-3	#23 Matt Ramos, Purdue (major)	B1G	8-0
3/5	133	W, 4-0	#8 Dylan Ragusin, Michigan	B1G	9-0
3/6	133	W, 3-1	#3 Austin DeSanto, Iowa	B1G (1st)	10-0

CAREER IN NCAA TOURNAMENT

Year	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
2019	133	W, 8-2	#23 Mario Guillen, Ohio	NCAA	1-0
2019	133	L, 2-7	#7 Austin DeSanto, Iowa	NCAA	1-1
2019	133	W, 6-3	#9 Charles Tucker, Cornell	NCAA	2-1
2019	133	W, 3-1	#15 Ben Thornton, Purdue	NCAA	3-1
2019	133	W, 4-3	#4 Micky Phillippi, Pitt	NCAA	4-1
2019	133	L, 0-10	#8 John Ernest, Missouri	NCAA	4-2
2019	133	L, 5-8	#6 Ethan Lizak, Minnesota	NCAA (8th)	4-3
2021	133	W, 20-5	#31 Sean Carter, Appalachian St. (TF)	NCAA	5-3
2021	133	W, 11-3	#18 Kyle Burwick, Wisconsin (major)	NCAA	6-3
2021	133	W, 4-1	#10 Louie Hayes, Virginia	NCAA	7-3
2021	133	W, 5-3	#3 Korbin Myers, Virginia Tech	NCAA	8-3
2021	133	W, 4-2 (sv)	#1 Daton Fix, Oklahoma State	NCAA (1st)	9-3

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NICK LEE
 EVANSVILLE, IND.
 HOME-SCHOOLED
 National Champion (2021)
 4x All-American (5th, 2019;
 5th, 2018; 1st Tm, 2020;
 1st, 2021)
Sr./Sr.+ = 141

PARENTS: LAURA AND CHRISTOPHER LEE
MAJOR: POLITICAL SCIENCE

MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	141	WBF	Jordan Carlucci, Sacred Heart (0:54)	dual	1-0
11/13	141	W, 11-4	#10 Grant Willits, Oregon State	dual	2-0
12/3	141	W, 6-3	#28 Carmen Ferrante, Penn	dual	3-0
12/5	141	W, 13-6	Connor McGonagle, Lehigh	dual	4-0
12/20	141	W, 18-4	#26 Cael Happel, Northern Iowa (major)	dual	5-0
12/20	141	W, 13-3	Cole Handlovic, Cornell (major)	dual	6-0
12/21	141	W, 14-3	#15 Jesse Vasquez, Arizona State (major)	dual	7-0
1/7	141	W, 18-1	Danny Bertoni, Maryland (TF; 4:14)	dual	8-0
1/21	141	W, 21-6	Drew Mattin, Michigan (TF; 6:36)	dual	9-0
1/23	141	W, 13-1	Matt Santos, Michigan State (major)	dual	10-0
1/28	141	W, 6-4 (sv)	#2 Jaydin Eierman, Iowa	dual	11-0
2/4	141	W, 13-3	#20 Dylan D'Emilio, Ohio State (major)	dual	12-0
2/6	141	W, 4-1	#8 Chad Red Jr., Nebraska	dual	13-0
2/20	141	W, 6-3	#25 Quinn Kinner, Rider	dual	14-0
3/5	141	W, 16-0	#22 Joe Zargo, Wisconsin (TF; 5:06)	B1G	15-0
3/5	141	W, 16-1	#18 Jake Bergeland, Minnesota (TF; 5:06)	B1G	16-0
3/6	141	W, md.frf.	#2 Jaydin Eierman, Iowa	B1G	17-0

NOTES: Ranked #1 by InterMat. **Sacred Heart (11/13):** Pinned Jordan Carlucci (0:54). **Oregon State (11/13):** Dominated #10 Grant Willits 11-4. **Penn:** Returned after missing two weeks with a 6-3 win over #28 Carmen Ferrante. **Lehigh (12/5):** Rolled to 13-6 win over Connor McGonagle in Rec Hall, picking up 100th victory of his career. **Collegiate Duals (12-20-21):** Posted 3-0 mark at Collegiate duals, all by major, including wins over #26 Cael Happel and #15 Jesse Vasquez. **Maryland (1/7):** Posted an 18-1 tech over Danny Bertoni in Big Ten action. **Michigan (1/21):** Rolled to a 21-6 tech fall over Drew Mattin (6:36). **Michigan State (1/23):** Dominated Matt Santos in a 13-1 major. **Iowa (1/28):** Takedown in first nine seconds of extra time to post thrilling 6-4 (sv) win over #2 Jaydin Eierman in Iowa city. **Ohio State (2/4):** Majored #20 Dylan D'Emilio 13-3 in BJC dual victory. **Nebraska (2/6):** Rolled to a 4-1 win over #8 Chad Red Jr. with 1:20 in riding time. **Rider (2/20):** Got the only three takedowns in an impressive 6-3 win over #25 Quinn Kinner. **Big Ten Championship (3/5-6):** Won first Big Ten Championship with 3-0 run in Lincoln, Neb.; teched #22 Joe Zargo of Wisconsin and #18 Jake Bergeland of Minnesota then won by forfeit over #3 Jaydin Eierman of Iowa in finals.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (BIG)	TRN (BIG/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2017-18	32-7	8-1 (7-1)	24-6 (4-1/6-2)	5-1	7-0	12-1	32
2018-19	31-4	13-1 (8-1)	18-3 (3-1/4-2)	6-0	5-0	13-0	51
2019-20	20-1	14-0 (9-0)	6-1 (0-0/0-0)	5-0	7-0	4-0	64
2020-21	13-1	6-0 (6-0)	7-1 (2-1/5-0)	0-0	4-0	5-0	25
2021-22	17-0	14-0 (6-0)	3-0 (3-0/0-0)	1-0	4-0	5-0	54
Career	113-13	55-2 (35-2)	58-11 (14-4/15-4)	17-1	27-0	39-1	226

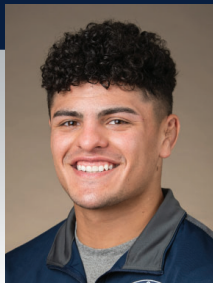
VS. THE FIELD THIS YEAR

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	141	W, 11-4	#10 Grant Willits, Oregon State	dual	1-0
12/5	141	W, 13-6	Connor McGonagle, Lehigh	dual	2-0
1/28	141	W, 6-4 (sv)	#2 Jaydin Eierman, Iowa	dual	3-0
2/4	141	W, 13-3	#20 Dylan D'Emilio, Ohio State (major)	dual	4-0
2/6	141	W, 4-1	#8 Chad Red Jr., Nebraska	dual	5-0
2/20	141	W, 6-3	#25 Quinn Kinner, Rider	dual	6-0
3/5	141	W, 16-0	#22 Joe Zargo, Wisconsin (TF; 5:06)	B1G	7-0
3/5	141	W, 16-1	#18 Jake Bergeland, Minnesota (TF; 5:06)	B1G	8-0
3/6	141	W, md.frf.	#2 Jaydin Eierman, Iowa	B1G	9-0

CAREER IN NCAA TOURNAMENT

Year	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
2018	141	LBF	Ryan Diehl, Maryland (2:12)	NCAA	0-1
2018	141	W, 7-3	#9 Josh Alber, Northern Iowa	NCAA	1-1
2018	141	W, 5-0	#10 Mason Smith, Central Michigan	NCAA	2-1
2018	141	W, 13-5	#16 Cole Weaver, Indiana (major)	NCAA	3-1
2018	141	W, 13-6	#12 Tyler Smith, Bucknell	NCAA	4-1
2018	141	W, 12-4	SaDarian Perry, E. Michigan (major)	NCAA	5-1
2018	141	L, 4-12	#2 Jaydin Eierman, Missouri	NCAA	5-2
2018	141	W, 9-7 (sv)	#5 Kevin Jack, NC State	NCAA (5th)	6-2
2019	141	WBF	#30 Nate Limmex, Purdue (3:38)	NCAA	7-2
2019	141	WBF	#19 Sa'Derian Perry, Old Dominion (3:42)	NCAA	8-2
2019	141	W, 4-1	#22 Max Murin, Iowa	NCAA	9-2
2019	141	L, 3-4	#2 Joey McKenna, Ohio State	NCAA	9-3
2019	141	L, 9-13	#9 Dom Demas, Oklahoma	NCAA	9-4
2019	141	WBF	#7 Mitch McKee, Minnesota (3:22)	NCAA (5th)	10-4
2021	141	W, 18-0	#31 Julian Flores, Drexel (TF; 2:33)	NCAA	11-4
2021	141	W, 14-3	#15 Clay Carlson, S. Dakota St.(maj.)	NCAA	12-4
2021	141	W, 11-3	#10 Zach Sherman, North Carolina	NCAA	13-4
2021	141	W, 9-3	#3 Sebastian Rivera, Rutgers	NCAA	14-4
2021	141	W, 4-2 (sv)	#1 Jaydin Eierman, Iowa	NCAA (1st)	15-4

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**BEAU
BARTLETT**
TEMPE, ARIZ.
WYOMING SEMINARY (PA.)

So./So. = 141/149

PARENTS: RENEE AND ANDRE BARTLETT
MAJOR: UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	149	W, 12-3	Shaun Williams, Sacred Heart (major)	dual	1-0
11/13	149	W, 1-0	#24 Cory Crooks, Oregon State	dual	2-0
11/18	149	W, 3-1 (sv)	#20 P.J. Ogunsanya, Army West Point	dual	3-0
12/3	149	W, 4-3 (tb)	#23 Anthony Artalona, Penn	dual	4-0
12/5	149	L, 5-6	Manzona Bryant, Lehigh	dual	4-1
12/20	149	W, 4-3	#28 Triston Lara, Northern Iowa	dual	5-1
12/20	149	L, 3-11	#1 Yianna Diakomihalis, Cornell	dual	5-2
12/21	149	W, 3-1 (sv)	#5 Kyle Parco, Arizona State	dual	6-2
1/7	149	WBF	Michael North, Maryland (4:48)	dual	7-2
1/9	149	W, 6-4	Graham Rooks, Indiana	dual	8-2
1/16	149	L, 3-4 (tb2)	#18 Michael VanBrill, Rutgers	dual	8-3
1/21	149	W, inj.def.	Cole Mattin, Michigan (0:13)	dual	9-3
1/23	149	W, 5-2	Peyton Omania, Michigan State	dual	10-3
1/28	149	L, 1-4	#10 Max Murin, Iowa	dual	10-4
2/4	149	L, 2-4	#2 Sammy Sasso, Ohio State	dual	10-5
2/6	149	L, 0-6	#8 Ridge Lovett, Nebraska	dual	10-6
2/20	149	W, 12-4	Bryan Miraglia, Rider (major)	dual	11-6
3/5	149	W, 3-2	#30 Michael Blockhus, Minnesota	B1G	12-6
3/5	149	L, 4-12	#5 Austin Gomez, Wisconsin	B1G	12-7
3/5	149	WBF	#29 Christian Kanzler, Illinois (3:40)	B1G	13-7
3/5	149	L, 1-2 (tb)	#15 Mike VanBrill, Rutgers	B1G	13-8
3/6	149	W, 3-1	Kanen Storr, Michigan	B1G (7th)	14-8

NOTES: Rained #17 by InterMat. **Sacred Heart (11/13):** Majored Shaun Williams 12-3. **Oregon State (11/13):** Posted 1-0 win over #24 Cory Crooks. **Army West Point (11/18):** Used takedown in extra time to beat #20 P.J.Ogunsanya 3-1 (sv). **Penn:** Downed #23 Anthony Artalona in a 4-3 tie-breaker. **Collegiate Duals (12-20-21):** Went 2-1 at Collegiate Duals in Florida with win over #28 Triston Lara of Northern Iowa and a 3-1 (sv) win over #5 Kyle Parco of Arizona State; lone loss was to #1 Yianni Diahomihalis of Cornell. **Maryland (1/7):** Pinned Michael North in Big Ten opener. **Rutgers (2/16):** Tough 4-3 tie-breaker 2 loss to #18 Michael VanBrill. **Michigan (1/21):** Up 6-0 on Cole Martin, then won by injury default (0:13). **Michigan State (1/23):** Posted 5-2 win over Peyton Omania. **Ohio State (2/4):** Tough last second loss to #2 Sammy Sasso, 4-2 in the BJC. **Rider (2/20):** 12-4 major over Bryan Maraglia in season dual finale. **Big Ten Championship (3/5-6):** Went 3-2 to place seventh and earn an AQ at Big Tens; wins over #30 Michael Blockhus of Minnesota and #29 Christian Kanzler of Illinois.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2020-21	8-3	1-1 (1-1)	7-2 (1-2/0-0)	2-0	0-0	1-0	3
2021-22	14-8	11-6 (4-4)	3-2 (3-2/0-0)	2-0	0-0	2-2	41
Career	22-11	12-7 (5-5)	10-4 (4-4/0-0)	4-0	0-0	3-2	44

VS. THE FIELD THIS YEAR

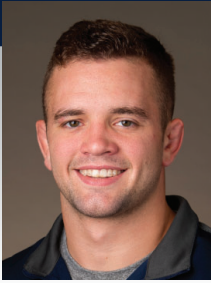
Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	149	W, 1-0	#24 Cory Crooks, Oregon State	dual	1-0
11/18	149	W, 3-1 (sv)	#20 P.J. Ogunsanya, Army West Point	dual	2-0
12/3	149	W, 4-3 (tb)	#23 Anthony Artalona, Penn	dual	3-0
12/20	149	L, 3-11	#1 Yianna Diakomihalis, Cornell	dual	3-1
12/21	149	W, 3-1 (sv)	#5 Kyle Parco, Arizona State	dual	4-1
1/16	149	L, 3-4 (tb2)	#18 Michael VanBrill, Rutgers	dual	4-2
1/28	149	L, 1-4	#10 Max Murin, Iowa	dual	4-3
2/4	149	L, 2-4	#2 Sammy Sasso, Ohio State	dual	4-4
2/6	149	L, 0-6	#8 Ridge Lovett, Nebraska	dual	4-5
3/5	149	W, 3-2	#30 Michael Blockhus, Minnesota	B1G	5-5
3/5	149	L, 4-12	#5 Austin Gomez, Wisconsin	B1G	5-6
3/5	149	L, 1-2 (tb)	#15 Mike VanBrill, Rutgers	B1G	5-7

CAREER IN NCAA TOURNAMENT

Year	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record

First appearance in NCAA tournament

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**BRADY
BERGE**
MANTORVILLE, MINN.
KASSON-MANTORVILLE
2X NCAA Qualifier
(2019, 2021)

Sr./Sr. = 157

PARENTS: CHERI AND KEVIN BERGE
MAJOR: TELECOMMUNICATIONS

MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
1/16	165	W, 5-1	Andrew Clark, Rutgers	dual	1-0
1/21	165	W, 3-1	#10 Cameron Amine, Michigan	dual	2-0
1/23	165	W, 7-4	Caleb Fish, Michigan State	dual	3-0
1/28	165	L, 2-10	#5 Alex Marinelli, Iowa	dual	3-1
2/20	157	W, 14-4	Cole McComas, Rider (major)	dual	4-1
2/20	157	W, 16-5	Cole McComas, Rider (major)	extras	5-1
3/5	157	W, 10-2	#31 Garrett Model, Wisconsin (major)	B1G	6-1
3/5	157	W, 5-3	#9 Kaleb Young, Iowa	B1G	7-1
3/5	157	L, 1-3 (sv)	#10 Will Lewan, Michigan	B1G	7-2
3/6	157	WBF	#12 Kendall Coleman, Purdue (2:59)	B1G	8-2
3/6	157	W, 3-1 (sv)	#9 Kaleb Young, Iowa	B1G (3rd)	9-2

NOTES: Ranked #13 by InterMat. Returned to Penn State for final semester after injury ended his NCAA tournament run last March, was 2-0 when lost by injury default. **Rutgers (2/16):** Returned to Penn State line-up with a 5-1 win over Andrew Clark. **Michigan (1/21):** Beat #10 Cameron Amine 3-1 in dual in Ann Arbor. **Michigan State (1/23):** Strong 7-4 win over Caleb Fish in East Lansing. **Rider (2/20):** Made the move down to 157 and won two bouts, both over Cole McComas; majored McComas 14-4 in the dual meet and 16-5 in an extra bout. **Big Ten Championship (3/5-6):** Outstanding Big Ten Championship tournament, placed third as the 10th seed; majored #31 Garrett Model of Wisconsin, beat #9 Kaleb Young of Iowa 5-3, lost 3-1 in sudden victory to #10 Will Lewan of Michigan, pinned #12 Kendall Coleman of Purdue and beat #9 Young of Iowa again for third place.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (BIG/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2017-18			Redshirt season				
2018-19	20-5	6-1 (4-1)	14-4 (2-1/2-2)	0-0	3-0	6-1	22
2019-20	1-1	1-1 (0-1)	0-0 (0-0/0-0)	0-0	0-0	0-0	3
2020-21	10-3	5-0 (5-0)	5-3 (3-2/2-1)	0-0	0-0	5-0	16
2021-22	9-2	4-1 (3-1)	4-1 (4-1/0-0)	1-0	0-0	3-0	13
Career	40-11	16-3 (12-3)	23-8 (9-4/4-3)	1-0	3-0	14-1	54

VS. THE FIELD THIS YEAR

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
3/5	157	W, 10-2	#31 Garrett Model, Wisconsin (major)	B1G	1-0
3/5	157	W, 5-3	#9 Kaleb Young, Iowa	B1G	2-0
3/5	157	L, 1-3 (sv)	#10 Will Lewan, Michigan	B1G	2-1
3/6	157	WBF	#12 Kendall Coleman, Purdue (2:59)	B1G	3-1
3/6	157	W, 3-1 (sv)	#9 Kaleb Young, Iowa	B1G (3rd)	4-1

CAREER IN NCAA TOURNAMENT

Year	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
2019	149	W, 6-3	#21 Khristian Olivas, Fresno State	NCAA	1-0
2019	149	L, 5-8	#5 Matt Kolodzik, Princeton	NCAA	1-1
2019	149	W, 6-2	#27 Tejon Anthony, George Mason	NCAA	2-1
2019	149	L, 2-4 (sv)	#20 Thomas Thorn, Minnesota	NCAA	2-2
2021	157	W, 12-4	#26 Andrew Cerniglia, Navy	NCAA	3-2
2021	157	W, 3-2	#7 Kaleb Young, Iowa	NCAA	4-2
2021	157	L, inj.def.	#4 Jesse Dellavecchia, Rider	NCAA	4-3



CARTER STAROCCI
 ERIE, PA.
 CATHEDRAL PREP
 National Champion (2021)
 All-American (1st, 2021)

Jr./So. = 174

PARENTS: STARLA AND CHRIS STAROCCI
MAJOR: RECREATION, PARK AND TOURISM MGMNT.

MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	174	WBF	Alex Marciniak, Sacred Heart (2:12)	dual	1-0
11/13	174	W, 17-2	Mateo Olmos, Oregon State (TF; 4:49)	dual	2-0
11/18	174	W, 23-5	Clayton Fielden, Army (TF; 6:56)	dual	3-0
12/3	174	W, 13-3	#21 Nick Incontrera, Penn (major)	dual	4-0
12/5	174	W, 13-3	Jake Logan, Lehigh (major)	dual	5-0
12/20	174	W, 13-4	Pat Schoenfelder, Northern Iowa (major)	dual	6-0
12/20	174	W, 3-2	#12 Chris Foca, Cornell	dual	7-0
12/21	174	W, 17-2	Zen Coleman, Arizona State (TF; 4:50)	dual	8-0
1/7	174	W, 8-3	Dominic Solis, Maryland	dual	9-0
1/9	174	WBF	Sean Grim, Indiana (2:07)	dual	10-0
1/16	174	W, 19-2	Connor O'Neill, Rutgers (TF; 4:25)	dual	11-0
1/21	174	W, 3-2	#6 Logan Massa, Michigan	dual	12-0
1/23	174	W, 19-3	Marty Larkin, Michigan State (TF; 3:32)	dual	13-0
1/28	174	W, 2-1 (tb)	#2 Michael Kemerer, Iowa	dual	14-0
2/20	174	W, 22-9	Shane Reitsma, Rider (major)	dual	15-0
3/5	174	WBF	Dominic Solis, Maryland (2:13)	B1G	16-0
3/5	174	W, md.frf.	#4 Michael Kemerer, Iowa	B1G	17-0
3/6	174	W, 5-1	#5 Logan Massa, Michigan	B1G (1st)	18-0

NOTES: Ranked #1 by InterMat. **Sacred Heart (11/13):** Pinned Alex Marciniak (2:12). **Oregon State (11/13):** Rolled to a 17-2 tech fall over Mateo Olmos (4:49). **Army West Point (11/18):** Rolled to 23-5 tech fall over Army's Clayton Feilden (6:56). **Penn:** Rolled over #21 Nick Incontrera, posting a 13-3 major. **Lehigh (12/5):** Notched 13-3 major with 3:36 in RT over Jake Logan. **Collegiate Duals (12-20-21):** Went 3-0 in Florida, including a major, a tech and a decision over #12 Chris Foca of Cornell. **Indiana (1/9):** Pinned Sean Grim (2:07) in Rec Hall. **Rutgers (2/16):** Tech fall over Connor O'Neill (19-2 at 4:25). **Michigan (1/21):** Hard-fought 2-1 win over #6 Logan Massa. **Michigan State (1/23):** Rolled to a 19-3 tech fall over Marty Larkin (3:32). **Iowa (1/28):** Used escape in tie-breaker and rideout to beat #2 Michael Kemerer 2-1 (tb) in Iowa City. **Rider (2/20):** Majored Shane Reitsma 22-9 in dual finale. **Big Ten Championship (3/5-6):** Won first Big Ten title in Lincoln, Neb.; Went 3-0 with a fall; pinned Dominic Solis of Maryland, got forfeit win over #4 Michael Kemerer of Iowa, and downed #5 Logan Massa of Michigan 5-1 in the finals.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (B1G)	TRN (B1G/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2019-20							
			Redshirt season				
2020-21	14-2	5-1 (5-1)	9-1 (3-1/5-0)	1-0	1-0	2-0	16
2021-22	18-0	15-0 (6-0)	3-0 (3-0/0-0)	3-0	5-0	4-0	65
Career	32-2	20-1 (11-1)	12-1 (6-1/5-0)	4-0	6-0	6-0	81

VS. THE FIELD THIS YEAR

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
12/3	174	W, 13-3	#21 Nick Incontrera, Penn (major)	dual	1-0
12/20	174	W, 3-2	#12 Chris Foca, Cornell	dual	2-0
1/7	174	W, 8-3	Dominic Solis, Maryland	dual	3-0
1/16	174	W, 19-2	Connor O'Neill, Rutgers (TF; 4:25)	dual	4-0
1/21	174	W, 3-2	#6 Logan Massa, Michigan	dual	5-0
1/28	174	W, 2-1 (tb)	#2 Michael Kemerer, Iowa	dual	6-0
3/5	174	WBF	Dominic Solis, Maryland (2:13)	B1G	7-0
3/5	174	W, md.frf.	#4 Michael Kemerer, Iowa	B1G	8-0
3/6	174	W, 5-1	#5 Logan Massa, Michigan	B1G (1st)	9-0

CAREER IN NCAA TOURNAMENT

Year	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
2021	174	W, 10-2	#30 Victor Marcelli, Virginia (major)	NCAA	1-0
2021	174	W, 8-2	#14 Hayden Hastings, Wyoming	NCAA	2-0
2021	174	W, 6-3	#6 Andrew McNally, Kent State	NCAA	3-0
2021	174	W, 2-0	#2 Demetrius Romero, Utah Valley	NCAA	4-0
2021	174	W, 3-1 (sv)	#1 Michael Kemerer, Iowa	NCAA (1st)	5-0

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AARON BROOKS
 HAGERSTOWN, MD.
 NORTH HAGERSTOWN
 National Champion (2021)
 2X All-American (1st, 2021
 1st Tm, 2020)
Jr./Jr. = 184

**PARENTS: JOHN BROOKS, RANELLE BOYD,
 ADRIENNE BROOKS**
MAJOR: RECREATION, PARK AND TOURISM MGMT.

MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	184	W, 23-8	Joe Accousti, Sacred Heart (TF; 7:00)	dual	1-0
11/13	184	WBF	Jackson McKinney, Oregon State (1:03)	dual	2-0
11/18	184	W, 21-7	#28 Brad Laughlin, Army (major)	dual	3-0
12/20	184	W, 3-2	#4 Parker Keckeisen, Northern Iowa	dual	4-0
12/20	184	W, 15-3	#15 Jonathan Loew, Cornell (major)	dual	5-0
12/21	184	WBF	Josh Nummer, Arizona State (1:48)	dual	6-0
1/7	184	W, 19-7	#12 Kyle Cochran, Maryland (major)	dual	7-0
1/9	184	W, 13-4	#8 D.J. Washington, Indiana (major)	dual	8-0
1/16	184	W, 10-2	#5 John Poznanski, Rutgers (major)	dual	9-0
1/21	184	W, 3-1	#2 Myles Amine, Michigan	dual	10-0
1/23	184	W, 4-0	#27 Layne Malczewski, Michigan State	dual	11-0
1/28	184	W, 8-3	#17 Abe Assad, Iowa	dual	12-0
2/4	184	WBF	Rocky Jordan, Ohio State (3:20)	dual	13-0
2/6	184	W, 14-4	#9 Taylor Venz, Nebraska (major)	dual	14-0
3/5	184	WBF	#8 Kyle Cochran, Maryland (1:40)	B1G	15-0
3/5	184	W, 7-2	#19 Taylor Venz, Nebraska	B1G	16-0
3/6	184	L, 4-6 (sv)	#2 Myles Amine, Michigan	B1G (2nd)	16-1

NOTES: Ranked #1 by InterMat. **Sacred Heart (11/13):** Began season with 23-8 tech fall over Joe Accousti (7:00). **Oregon State (11/13):** Pinned Jackson McKinney (1:03). **Army West Point (11/18):** Impressive 21-7 major over #28 Brad Laughlin. **Collegiate Duals (12-20-21):** Went 3-0 at Collegiate duals, including win over #4 Parker Keckeisen of Northern Iowa, a major over #15 Jonathan Loew of Cornell and a pin in PSU's win over #3 Arizona State, was named *Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (12/29)* and *Penn State Male Athlete of the Week (12/23)*. **Maryland (1/7):** Majored Kyle Cochran 19-7 with nine takedowns. **Indiana (1/9):** Dominated #8 D.J. Washington in 13-4 major. **Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (1/11)**. **Rutgers (2/16):** Majored #5 John Poznanski 10-2. **Michigan (1/21):** Beat #2 Myles Amine 3-1 in Crisler Arena. **Michigan State (1/23):** Posted 4-0 win over #27 Layne Malczewski. **Iowa (1/28):** Dominated #17 Abe Assad in an 8-3 win in Iowa City. **Ohio State (2/4):** Pinned Rocky Jordan (3:20) in the BJC Dual. **Nebraska (2/6):** Majored #9 Taylor Venz, notching six takedowns in 14-4 win. **Big Ten Championship (3/5-6):** Went 2-1 at Big Tens, taking second; pinned #8 Kyle Cochran of Maryland (1:40) and beat #19 Taylor Venz of Nebraska; suffered first career post-season loss (in Big Tens or NCAAs), 6-4 in sudden victory, to #2 Myles Amine of Michigan in the finals.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (BIG)	TRN (BIG/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2019-20	15-1	9-1 (6-1)	6-0 (3-0/0-0)	3-0	1-0	3-0	34
2020-21	14-0	6-0 (6-0)	8-0 (3-0/5-0)	0-0	2-0	5-0	24
2021-22	16-1	14-0 (8-0)	2-1 (2-1/0-0)	4-0	1-0	6-0	58
Career	45-2	29-1 (20-1)	16-1 (8-1/5-0)	7-0	4-0	14-0	116

VS. THE FIELD THIS YEAR

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
12/20	184	W, 3-2	#4 Parker Keckeisen, Northern Iowa	dual	1-0
12/20	184	W, 15-3	#15 Jonathan Loew, Cornell (major)	dual	2-0
1/7	184	W, 19-7	#12 Kyle Cochran, Maryland (major)	dual	3-0
1/9	184	W, 13-4	#8 D.J. Washington, Indiana (major)	dual	4-0
1/16	184	W, 10-2	#5 John Poznanski, Rutgers (major)	dual	5-0
1/21	184	W, 3-1	#2 Myles Amine, Michigan	dual	6-0
1/23	184	W, 4-0	#27 Layne Malczewski, Michigan State	dual	7-0
1/28	184	W, 8-3	#17 Abe Assad, Iowa	dual	8-0
2/6	184	W, 14-4	#9 Taylor Venz, Nebraska (major)	dual	9-0
3/5	184	WBF	#8 Kyle Cochran, Maryland (1:40)	B1G	10-0
3/5	184	W, 7-2	#19 Taylor Venz, Nebraska	B1G	11-0
3/6	184	L, 4-6 (sv)	#2 Myles Amine, Michigan	B1G (2nd)	11-1

CAREER IN NCAA TOURNAMENT

Year	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
2021	184	W, 17-1	#32 Jhaquan Anderson, Gardner-Webb	NCAA	1-0
2021	184	W, 5-0	#17 Owen Webster, Minnesota	NCAA	2-0
2021	184	W, 9-4	#8 Taylor Venz, Nebraska	NCAA	3-0
2021	184	W, 6-4	#4 Parker Keckeisen, Northern Iowa	NCAA	4-0
2021	184	W, 3-2	#2 Trent Hilday, North Carolina St.	NCAA (1st)	5-0



MAX DEAN
 LOWELL, MICH.
 LOWELL
 2X All-American (2nd,
 2019/184; 8th, 2018/184)

Sr./Jr. = 197

PARENTS: BETHNY AND DAVID DEAN
MAJOR: ECONOMICS

MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	197	W, 18-0	Dante Del Bonis, Sacred Heart (3:00)	dual	1-0
11/13	197	W, 16-3	J.J. Dixon, Oregon State (major)	dual	2-0
11/18	197	W, 17-1	#21 J.T. Brown, Army (TF; 6:49)	dual	3-0
12/3	197	W, 10-0	Cole Urbas, Penn (major)	dual	4-0
12/5	197	WBF	J.T. Davis, Lehigh (2:58)	dual	5-0
12/20	197	W, 19-3	Noah Glasser, Northern Iowa (TF; 5:21)	dual	6-0
12/20	197	W, 4-2	#19 Jacob Cardenas, Cornell	dual	7-0
12/21	197	W, 10-1	#8 Kordell Norfleet, Arizona State (major)	dual	8-0
1/7	197	W, 20-5	Kevin Makosy, Maryland (TF; 7:00)	dual	9-0
1/9	197	W, 9-1	Nick Willham, Indiana (major)	dual	10-0
1/16	197	W, 9-6	#7 Greg Bulsak, Rutgers	dual	11-0
1/21	197	W, 6-4 (sv)	#8 Patrick Brucki, Michigan	dual	12-0
1/23	197	L, 2-3	#15 Cameron Caffey, Michigan State	dual	12-1
1/28	197	W, 8-3	#4 Jacob Warner, Iowa	dual	13-1
2/4	197	W, 5-3 (sv)	#21 Gavin Hoffman, Ohio State	dual	14-1
2/20	197	WBF	Azeem Bell, Rider (0:54)	dual	15-1
3/5	197	W, 6-2	#12 Greg Bulsak, Rutgers	B1G	16-1
3/5	197	W, 5-2	#5 Cameron Caffey, Michigan State	B1G	17-1
3/6	197	W, 4-2	#2 Eric Schultz, Nebraska	B1G (1st)	18-1

NOTES: Ranked #1 by InterMat. **Sacred Heart (11/13):** Superb Penn State debut with an 18-0 tech fall over Dante Del Bonis (3:00). **Oregon State (11/13):** Dominated J.J. Dixon 16-3 for major decision. **Army West Point (11/18):** Dominated #21 J.T. Brown, posting 17-1 tech (6:49). **Penn:** Majored Cole Urbas 10-0 in Philadelphia to clinch dual win over the Quakers. **Lehigh (12/5):** Picked up first pin as a Nittany Lion, with a first period fall over J.T. Davis (2:58) in Rec Hall. **Collegiate Duals (12-20-21):** Perfect 3-0 mark at Collegiate Duals, including win over #19 Jacob Cardenas of Cornell and a major over #8 Kordell Norfleet of Arizona State. **Maryland (1/7):** Posted a 20-5 tech fall over Kevin Makosy in Big Ten opener. **Indiana (1/9):** Majored Nick Willham 9-1. **Rutgers (2/16):** Impressive 9-6 win over #7 Greg Bulsak. **Michigan (1/21):** Takedown in sudden victory for a 6-4 win over #8 Patrick Brucki. **Iowa (1/28):** Scored eight unanswered points in the third period to down #4 Jacob Warner of Iowa and clinch Penn State's dual meet win in Iowa City. **Named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (2/1).** **Ohio State (2/4):** Posted 5-3 (sv) win over #21 Gavin Hoffman in the BJC Dual. **Rider (2/20):** Pinned Azeem Bell early in the first period (0:54). **Big Ten Championship (3/5-6):** Won first Big Ten title with 3-0 run in Lincoln, Neb.; beat #12 Greg Bulsak of Rutgers, #5 Cameron Caffey of Michigan State and #2 Eric Schultz of Nebraska 4-2 in the finals.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (BIG)	TRN (BIG/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
*2017-18	32-6	13-2 (0-0)	19-4 (0-0/4-1)	6-0	5-0	3-1	59
*2018-19	25-6	15-0 (0-0)	10-6 (0-0/3-3)	3-1	4-0	8-0	52
*2019-20	Redshirt season						
*2020-21	Cornell cancelled season						
2021-22	18-1	15-1 (6-1)	3-0 (3-0/0-0)	2-0	4-0	4-0	63
Career	75-13	43-3 (6-1)	32-10 (3-0/7-4)	11-1	15-0	15-1	174
* at Cornell							

VS. THE FIELD THIS YEAR

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/18	197	W, 17-1	#21 J.T. Brown, Army (TF; 6:49)	dual	1-0
12/3	197	W, 10-0	Cole Urbas, Penn (major)	dual	2-0
12/20	197	W, 4-2	#19 Jacob Cardenas, Cornell	dual	3-0
12/21	197	W, 10-1	#8 Kordell Norfleet, Arizona State (major)	dual	4-0
1/16	197	W, 9-6	#7 Greg Bulsak, Rutgers	dual	5-0
1/21	197	W, 6-4 (sv)	#8 Patrick Brucki, Michigan	dual	6-0
1/23	197	L, 2-3	#15 Cameron Caffey, Michigan State	dual	6-1
1/28	197	W, 8-3	#4 Jacob Warner, Iowa	dual	7-1
2/4	197	W, 5-3 (sv)	#21 Gavin Hoffman, Ohio State	dual	8-1
3/5	197	W, 6-2	#12 Greg Bulsak, Rutgers	B1G	9-1
3/5	197	W, 5-2	#5 Cameron Caffey, Michigan State	B1G	10-1
3/6	197	W, 4-2	#2 Eric Schultz, Nebraska	B1G (1st)	11-1

CAREER IN NCAA TOURNAMENT

Year	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
2018	184	W, 11-3	#32 Dylan GAbel, No. Colorado (maj.)	NCAA	1-0
2018	184	W, 6-0	#9 Drew Foster, Northern Iowa	NCAA	2-0
2018	184	L, 7-13	#1 Bo Nickal, Penn State	NCAA	2-1
2018	184	W, 6-4	#13 Bryce Carr, Chattanooga	NCAA	3-1
2018	184	L, 6-11	#6 Taylor Venz, Nebraska	NCAA	3-2
2018	184	L, 3-6	#11 Chip Ness, North Carolina	NCAA (8th)	3-3
2019	184	W, 13-2	#26 Noah Stewart, Army (major)	NCAA	4-3
2019	184	W, 6-4 (sv)	#15 Cash Wilke, Iowa	NCAA	5-3
2019	184	W, 6-0	Nino Bonaccorsi, Pittsburgh	NCAA	6-3
2019	184	W, 5-4	#1 Myles Martin, Ohio State	NCAA	7-3
2019	184	L, 4-6	Drew Foster, Northern Iowa	NCAA (2nd)	7-4

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GREG KERKVLJET
 INVER GROVE HEIGHTS,
 MINN. // SIMLEY
 All-Americann, (7th, 2021)

So./Fr. = 285

PARENTS: KRYSTAL AND GREG KERKVLJET
MAJOR: COMMUNICATIONS

MATCH-BY-MATCH

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	285	WBF	Mark Blokh, Sacred Heart (3:57)	dual	1-0
11/13	285	W, 16-0	#24 Gary Traub, Oregon State (5:58)	dual	2-0
11/18	285	W, 14-3	Brandon Phillips, Army (major)	dual	3-0
12/20	285	W, 12-1	Tyrell Gordon, Northern Iowa (major)	dual	4-0
12/20	285	W, 5-0	#19 Lewis Fernandes, Cornell	dual	5-0
12/21	285	W, 9-0	Chad Porter, Arizona State (major)	dual	6-0
1/7	285	W, 18-3	#26 Zach Schrader, Maryland (TF; 4:42)	dual	7-0
1/9	285	W, 20-3	Jacob Bullock, Indiana (TF; 4:59)	dual	8-0
1/16	285	WBF	Alex Esposito, Rutgers (1:45)	dual	9-0
1/21	285	W, 8-5	#2 Mason Parris, Michigan	dual	10-0
1/23	285	WBF	Brad Wilton, Michigan State (1:58)	dual	11-0
1/28	285	L, 2-7	#5 Tony Cassioppi, Iowa	dual	11-1
2/4	285	W, 10-2	#13 Tate Orndorff, Ohio State (major)	dual	12-1
2/6	285	W, 8-2	#12 Christian Lance, Nebraska	dual	13-1
2/20	285	WBF	David Szuba, Rider (1:11)	dual	14-1
3/5	285	WBF	Zach Schrader, Maryland (2:13)	B1G	15-1
3/5	285	W, 7-1	#11 Christian Lance, Nebraska	B1G	16-1
3/5	285	L, 4-6 (sv)	#4 Tony Cassioppi, Iowa	B1G	16-2
3/6	285	W, 5-3	#10 Lucas Davison, Northwestern	B1G	17-2
3/6	285	W, 5-3	#3 Mason Parris, Michigan	B1G (3rd)	18-2

NOTES: Ranked #5 by InterMat. **Sacred Heart (11/13):** Pinned Mark Blokh (3:57) in first action of the season. **Oregon State (11/13):** Dominated #24 Gary Traub, rolling to a 16-0 tech fall (5:58)...**Named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week (11/16).** **Army West Point (11/18):** Posted 14-3 major over Brandon Phillips. **Collegiate Duals (12-20-21):** Went 3-0 at Collegiate Duals, including a major over UNI's Tyrell Gordon, a win over #19 Lewis Fernandes of Cornell and a major over Arizona State's Chad Porter. **Maryland (1/7):** Rolled to an 18-3 tech fall (4:42) over #26 Zach Schrader in Big Ten opener at Maryland. **Indiana (1/9):** Posted 20-3 tech fall (4:59) against Jacob Bullock in Rec Hall. **Rutgers (2/16):** First period pin of Alex Esposito (1:45). **Michigan (1/21):** Posted impressive 8-5 win over #2 Mason Parris. **Michigan State (1/23):** Pinned MSU's Brad Wilton in the first period (1:58). **Ohio State (2/4):** Majored #13 Tate Orndorff 10-2 with 2:52 in riding time to cap off Penn State's BJC Dual win over the Buckeyes. **Nebraska (2/6):** Strong 8-2 win over #12 Colton Schultz. **Rider (2/20):** Pinned David Szuba early in the first period (1:11) of the dual finale. **Big Ten Championship (3/5-6):** Went 4-1 at Big Ten tournament to place third, only loss a sudden victory defeat in the semis; pinned Maryland's Zach Schrader (2:13), beat #11 Christian Lance of Nebraska before 6-4 (sv) loss to #3 Tony Cassioppi of Iowa in semis, then beat #10 Lucas Davison of Northwestern and #3 Mason Parris of Michigan 5-3 for third place.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Overall	Duals (BIG)	TRN (BIG/NCAA)	F	TF	M	PTS
2019-20			Redshirt season				
2020-21	10-4	1-0 (1-0)	9-4 (4-2/4-2)	2-0	1-0	6-0	6
2021-22	18-2	14-1 (7-1)	4-1 (4-1/0-0)	5-0	3-0	4-0	64
Career	28-6	15-1 (8-1)	13-5 (8-3/4-2)	7-0	4-0	10-0	70

VS. THE FIELD THIS YEAR

Date	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
11/13	285	W, 16-0	#24 Gary Traub, Oregon State (5:58)	dual	1-0
12/20	285	W, 12-1	Tyrell Gordon, Northern Iowa (major)	dual	2-0
12/20	285	W, 5-0	#19 Lewis Fernandes, Cornell	dual	3-0
1/21	285	W, 8-5	#2 Mason Parris, Michigan	dual	4-0
1/28	285	L, 2-7	#5 Tony Cassioppi, Iowa	dual	4-1
2/4	285	W, 10-2	#13 Tate Orndorff, Ohio State (major)	dual	5-1
2/6	285	W, 8-2	#12 Christian Lance, Nebraska	dual	6-1
3/5	285	W, 7-1	#11 Christian Lance, Nebraska	B1G	7-1
3/5	285	L, 4-6 (sv)	#4 Tony Cassioppi, Iowa	B1G	7-2
3/6	285	W, 5-3	#10 Lucas Davison, Northwestern	B1G	8-2
3/6	285	W, 5-3	#3 Mason Parris, Michigan	B1G (3rd)	9-2

CAREER IN NCAA TOURNAMENT

Year	Wt.	Result	Opponent	Place	Record
2021	285	W, 18-0	#24 Jonathan Birchmeier, Navy (TF; 2:17)	NCAA	1-0
2021	285	W, 12-2	#8 Jordan Wood, Lehigh (major)	NCAA	2-0
2021	285	L, 4-7	#1 Gable Steveson, Minnesota	NCAA	2-1
2021	285	W, 13-5	#29 Austin Harris, Oklahoma St. (major)	NCAA	3-1
2021	285	L, 8-14	#4 Cohlton Schultz, Arizona State	NCAA	3-2
2021	285	W, 13-1	#21 Tate Orndorff, Ohio State (major)	NCAA (7th)	4-2

#2 PENN STATE 47, SACRED HEART 3 Saturday, Nov. 13, 2021 -- Manheim, Pa. -- Spooky Nook

125: Baylor Shunk PSU tech fall Kyle Randall SHU, 18-0 (TF; 4:15)	5-0
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU pinned Anthony Petrillo SHU, WBF (3:40)	11-0
141: #2 Nick Lee PSU pinned Jordan Carlucci SHU, WBF (0:54)	17-0
149: Beau Bartlett PSU maj. Dec. Shaun Williams SHU, 12-3	21-0
157: Nick Palumbo SHU dec. Joey Blumer PSU, 8-3	21-3
165: Creighton Edsell PSU maj. Dec. Scotty Jarosz SHU, 11-3	25-3
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU pinned Alex Marciniak SHU, WBF (2:12)	31-3
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU tech fall Joe Accousti SHU, 23-8 (TF; 7:00)	36-3
197: #4 Max Dean PSU tech fall Dante Del Bonis SHU, 18-0 (TF; 3:00)	41-3
285: #5 Greg Kerkvliet PSU pinned Mark Blokh, WBF (3:57)	47-3
Attendance: 1,350 (sold out)	

The Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team (1-0, 0-0 B1G), ranked No. 2 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), dominated Sacred Heart (1-1) by a score of 47-3 in the season opening dual for the Nittany Lions. The dual was the first of two consecutive for the Lions at the Spooky Nook Sports Complex in Manheim, Pa. The Nittany Lions won nine bouts, including four by fall. Penn State immediately got back on the mat to take on Oregon State right after the SHU dual.

The dual began at 125 where sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) made his Penn State dual meet debut. Shunk dominated the action in his first Penn State dual. He dominated Kyle Randall on his way to an 18-0 technical fall at the 4:15 mark to put Penn State up 5-0 early. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, took care of business with a second period fall over SHU's Anthony Petrillo. Bravo-Young got the pin at the 3:40 mark. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, also made quick work of his Sacred Heart opponent, taking Jordan Carlucci down early in the first and ending the match with a fast fall at the 0:54 mark to give the Lions a 17-0 lead. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.) controlled SHU's Shaun Williams, rolling to an 12-3 major at 149 to put Penn State up 21-0. Senior Joey Blumer (Leechburg, Pa.) moved up to 157 for his Penn State dual meet debut. Blumer battled junior Nick Palumbo tough before dropping an 8-3 decision. The Palumbo win cut Penn State's lead to 21-3 at the dual's midway point.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.) got Penn State back on track with a strong 11-3 major over Sacred Heart's Scotty Jarosz at 165. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, pinned Pioneer Alex Marciniak in the first period, giving Penn State a 31-3 lead with a fall at the 2:12 mark. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, put on a takedown clinic against Joe Accousti, rolling up nine takedowns on his way to a 23-8 tech fall at the 7:00 mark. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 4 at 197, made his Penn State dual debut quick. Dean took Dante Del Bonis down early in the first and rolled up four four-point turns to post the 18-0 tech fall at the 3:00 mark. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, finished off Penn State's dominant show with a fall as well, pinning Mark Blokh early in the second period. Kerkvliet got the fall at the 3:57 mark. Kerkvliet's win capped off Penn State's 47-3 victory. Penn State posted a 33-4 takedown margin and rolled up 20 bonus points off four pins (Bravo-Young, Lee, Starocci, Kerkvliet), three tech falls (Shunk, Brooks, Dean) and two majors (Bartlett, Edsell).

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Penn State sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) made his Penn State dual debut at 125 against Sacred Heart's Kyle Randall. Shunk began the dual with a takedown less than a minute into the first period. He worked up over 1:00 in riding time, working the clock down below the 1:30 mark and then turned Randall for two back points and a 4-0 lead. He continued his strong ride, turned Randall for another four points and led 8-0 with :50 left in the period. Shunk finished the period on top and led 8-0 after one. He chose down to start the second period and steadily worked his way into a reversal and a 10-0 lead. He added another four-point turn, reset, and ended the bout with another four point turn for an 18-0 tech fall at the 4:15 mark.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, battled Pioneer Anthony Petrillo. Petrillo scored first, taking RBY down for an early 2-1 lead. Bravo-Young scored quickly after his escape and took a 3-2 lead. The Lion senior cut Petrillo loose to a 3-3 score, then went back to work on his feet. Bravo-Young picked up a second takedown at the 1:30 mark, fought off a quick Petrillo shot and then used a fast low double for another takedown and a 7-4 lead with :40 on the clock. Bravo-Young finished on top and led 7-4 after one period. The second period began with Bravo-Young taking neutral. He took Petrillo down and cut him to a 9-5 lead. Bravo-Young took Petrillo down once more, turned him and picked up the fall at the 3:40 mark.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, took on SHU's Jordan Carlucci. Lee took Carlucci down right out of the gate for an early 2-0 lead. Lee worked his way into a two-point turn, then reset, locked up a cradle and nailed the fast fall at the 0:54 mark.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.) faced off against Shaun Williams at 149. Bartlett controlled the action from the start and took a 2-0 lead with a takedown at the 2:15 mark. Williams escaped after a :45 Bartlett ride and continued to shoot from the center circle. Williams was able to defend his way through the next two minutes and Bartlett led 2-1 after the opening period. Bartlett chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. He then worked his way to a second takedown and a 5-1 lead. He forced Williams into a stall warning and then turned Williams for two back points to lead 7-1 with nearly 2:00 in riding time after two. Williams chose neutral to start the third and Bartlett quickly took the Pioneer down. Williams escaped and Bartlett took him down once more to up his lead to 11-3 with 2:06 in riding time. Bartlett picked up the riding time point with 1:49 in time and rolled to the 12-3 major decision.

157: Senior Joey Blumer (Leechburg, Pa.) moved up to 157 for dual debut and took on Nick Palumbo. The duo battled evenly for nearly two minutes before Palumbo forced a scramble with a double leg. Blumer worked the Pioneer into danger, nearly picking up back points, but Palumbo countered and picked up the takedown to open up a 2-0 lead. Blumer escaped and trailed 2-1 after the first period. Blumer chose down to start the second stanza but could not work his way free of Palumbo's ride and trailed 2-1 after two. Palumbo chose down to start the final period and Blumer went to work on top. He controlled the action and nearly turned Palumbo for back points early in the ride. But Palumbo was able to roll out of the hold, got the escape, and then took Blumer down for a 4-2 lead with 1:19 in riding time after a quick Blumer escape. Palumbo finished with one more takedown and posted the 8-3 win with riding time.

165: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.) met Scotty Jarosz in the bout at 165. Edsell scored early

for Penn State, taking Jarosz down for a 2-0 lead at the 2:20 mark. He built up 1:07 in riding time before cutting the Pioneer loose. The duo battled evenly for the next minute-plus and Edsell carried the 2-1 lead into the second period. Edsell chose down to start the second period. Jarosz was able to keep control of the Lion for nearly two minutes, but the Nittany Lion worked his way to a reversal in the final seconds and carried a 4-1 lead into the third period. Jarosz chose down to start the third period and Edsell began looking for a chance to turn the Pioneer. Edsell picked up two near fall points at the 1:00 mark and went back to work with a 6-2 lead. Edsell rolled through a high double and upped his lead to 8-2 with :25 on the clock. He cut Jarosz loose in the final seconds, took him down one last time, and with 1:06 in riding time posted the 11-3 major decision.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, met Alex Marciniak. Starocci took Marciniak down quickly, cut him loose and took him down again. He turned Marciniak for four back points, cut the Pioneer loose again, and quickly added a third takedown to up his lead to 10-2. He added another four-point turn and then went back to work on top. Starocci turned him for four points, reset, added another turn and finished the match with the first period pin at the 2:12 mark.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, battled Joe Accousti. Brooks took Accousti down twice in the opening minute to lead 4-1 early. He cut Accousti loose at the 1:50 mark to lead 4-2 and continued to work the center circle on offense. Brooks forced Accousti into a stall warning and then used a low single for a third takedown and a 6-2 lead with :32 left in the period. He finished the period on top to carry that lead into the second. Brooks chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 7-2 lead. Brooks blew through a high double for another takedown and a 9-2 lead at the 1:20 mark. He cut Accousti loose and took him down quickly again. Brooks added another takedown at the :15 mark, rode Accousti out, and carried a 13-4 lead with 1:42 in time into the third period. Accousti chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 13-5 score. Brooks quickly took him down again to up his lead to 15-5 with over 2:00 in time. Brooks picked up a stall point at the 1:00 mark, and then used a strong double leg to up his lead to 18-6 with :40 left.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 4 at 197, made his Penn State debut against SHU's Dante Del Bonis. Dean took Del Bonis down quickly, opening up a 2-0 lead in his Lion debut. He worked his way into control of the Pioneer and turned him for four back points and a 6-0 lead with 1:35 on the clock. Dean reset himself and turned him again. Dean picked up a third turn to open up a 14-0 lead at the :20 mark. Dean finished off his Penn State debut quickly, turning Del Bonis a final time as the clock wound down to roll to an 18-0 technical fall at the 3:00 mark.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, took on Mark Blokh. Kerkvliet took Blokh down quickly, cut him loose, took him down a second time, added a third takedown and led 6-2 with 1:48 on the clock. Kerkvliet added a fourth takedown at the 1:20 mark, cut Blokh loose again, and finished off the first period with a fifth takedown at the :30 mark. He rode the Pioneer out and led 10-4 with 2:09 in riding time. Kerkvliet chose down to start and quickly escaped. He added two more takedowns before locking Blokh up and pinning him at the 3:57 mark.

#2 PENN STATE 32, OREGON STATE 7 Saturday, Nov. 13, 2021 -- Manheim, Pa. -- Spooky Nook

125: Brandon Kaylor ORST dec. Baylor Shunk PSU, 16-9	0-3
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU dec. Jason Shaner ORST, 8-3	3-3
141: #2 Nick Lee PSU dec. #10 Grant Willits ORST, 11-4	6-3
149: Beau Bartlett PSU dec. #24 Cory Crooks ORST, 1-0	9-3
157: #15 Hunter Willits ORST maj. Dec. Joey Blumer PSU, 19-6	9-7
165: Creighton Edsell PSU dec. Matthew Olguin ORST, 7-3	12-7
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU 17-2 tech fall Mateo Olmos ORST, 17-2 (TF; 4:49)	17-7
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU pinned Jackson McKinney ORST, WBF (1:03)	23-7
197: #4 Max Dean PSU maj. Dec. J.J. Dixon ORST, 16-3	27-7
285: #5 Greg Kerkviet PSU tech fall #24 Gary Traub ORST, 16-0 (TF; 5:58)	32-7
Attendance: 1,350 (sold out)	

The Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team (2-0, 0-0 B1G), ranked No. 2 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), rolled to a 32-7 win over Oregon State (1-2) in the second dual of the evening for the Nittany Lions. The dual was the last of two for the Lions at the Spooky Nook Sports Complex in Manheim, Pa. The Nittany Lions won eight of ten bouts, including three Nittany Lions who grabbed victories over ranked opponents. Penn State downed Sacred Heart 47-3 immediately preceding the dual with the Beavers.

The dual began at 125 where sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) dropped the opening bout of the dual, losing a 16-9 decision to Brandon Kaylor as the Beavers took an early 3-0 lead. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, used three takedowns to post an 8-3 win over Jason Shaner to tie the dual at 3-3. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, then dominated No. 10 Grant Willits, controlling the action in an 11-4 victory to give the Lions a 6-3 lead. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.) used a third period rideout to post an impressive 1-0 win over No. 24 Cory Crooks at 149 to give the Nittany Lions a 9-3 lead. Senior Joey Blumer (Leechburg, Pa.) moved up to 157 and dropped a 19-6 major decision to No. 15 Hunter Willits. The Oregon State win cut Penn State's lead to 9-7 at the midway point of the dual.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.) picked up another win at 165, posting a strong 7-3 decision over Matthew Olguin. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, picked up a strong 17-2 technical fall over Mateo Olmos, getting the tech at the 4:49 mark. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, picked up a quick first period fall in his bout, pinning Jackson McKinney at the 1:03 mark. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 4 at 197, was dominant at in his second bout as a Nittany Lion, rolling to a 16-3 major over J.J. Dixon. Sophomore Greg Kerkviet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, then dominated No. 24 Gary Traub in the dual's final bout. Kerkviet posted a 16-0 technical fall at the 5:58 mark and cemented Penn State's 32-7 victory. Penn State racked up a 24-9 edge in takedowns. The Nittany Lions rolled up eight bonus points off a pin (Brooks), two tech falls (Starocci, Kerkviet) and a major (Dean).

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Penn State sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) met Oregon State's Brandon Kaylor at 125. Shunk scored quickly, working a low single into a takedown and an early 2-0 lead. Kaylor escaped to a 2-1 score with 2:20 on the clock. The duo battled in the center circle as the clock hit the 1:30 mark before Shunk got in on a single leg. Kaylor scrambled his way through for a counter takedown before turning Shunk for four back points and a 7-2 lead. He added another four point turn and led Shunk 11-2 after one. Kaylor chose neutral to start the second period and took Shunk down to open up a 13-2 lead with 1:10 on the clock. Shunk worked his way to an escape and a 13-3 score with 1:20 on the clock. The Lion sophomore took a couple low shots as the period ended but Kaylor was able to fight off the moves and Shunk trailed 13-3 after two. Shunk worked his way into a quick takedown to cut the lead to 14-5 after a Kaylor escape. Shunk quickly took Kaylor down again and cut the lead to 15-7 after another cut. Shunk muscled his way to another takedown and cut the lead to 16-9 with :20 left. The Lion fought off Kaylor's late shots and dropped the 16-9 decision.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, took on Jason Shaner. The duo battled evenly for nearly two minutes before Bravo-Young turned a low shot into waist control, taking Shaner down for a 2-0 lead at the :56 mark. Shaner escaped and action resumed in the center circle. The remaining seconds were contested in neutral, and Bravo-Young led 2-1 after one. The Lion senior chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. He took Shaner down and cut him loose to a 5-2 lead with 1:35 left in the middle period. Bravo-Young forced a scramble at the 1:15 mark but Shaner was able to work to a stalemate and a reset with :50 on the clock. Bravo-Young carried the 5-2 lead into the final period. Shaner chose down to start the third period. Bravo-Young controlled the action from the top position until his riding time moved over 1:00. He cut Shaner loose and forced the Beaver into a stall warning. Bravo-Young fought off a Shaner shot and then took him down with :07 left. With riding time, Bravo-Young posted the 8-3 win.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 2 at 141, faced off against No. 10 Grant Willits. Action moved from the center circle to the outside edge before Lee took injury time at the 2:32 mark. Oregon State chose down on the restart after time. Willits escaped quickly to a 1-0 lead. Lee turned a high shot into a takedown, and, after a quick Willits escape, the match was tied 2-2 with 2:00 on the clock. Lee worked Willits to the edge of the mat and then, after a reset, turned a quick low shot into a takedown and a 4-2 lead with 1:15 left. Willits escaped but Lee quickly hit a low shot and finished off a takedown to up his lead to 6-3. The Lion senior finished on top and led 6-3 with 1:15 in time after one. Willits chose down to start the second period and Lee went to work on top. He briefly turned Willits but the Beaver rolled through for an escape and a 6-4 Lee lead. Lee countered a Willits show and took him down again to up his lead to 8-4 with 1:10 on the clock. Willits got hit with a stall warning at the :30 mark and Lee finished the period on top to lead 8-4 with 2:46 in time after two periods. Lee chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 9-4 lead. Lee continued to work on offense as Willits continued to move his way to the outside circle. With riding time clinched, Lee picked up a stall point and rolled to the 11-4 win over the ranked Beaver.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.) battled No. 24 Cory Crooks at 149. The duo battled evenly for nearly two minutes. Bartlett worked the center circle, keeping action in the middle of the mat while each man looked for a chance to score. Bartlett stepped back from a fast Crooks shot at the :30 mark and the duo moved to the second period knotted in a 0-0 scoreless tie. Bartlett chose down to start the second period. Crooks was able to control the action on top for over a minute. Bartlett worked his way to an escape and a 1-0 lead with :23 on the clock. With Bartlett leading 1-0, Crooks chose down to start the third period with 1:31 in riding time in hand. Bartlett maintained control of Crooks and killed his riding time edge as the

clock hit the 1:15 mark. Bartlett continued to control action on top, looking for a chance to turn the Beaver. With the clock moving to the :46 mark, action moved out of bounds, forcing a reset. Bartlett broke Crooks down off the whistle and continued to work the clock down with a strong ride. The Nittany Lion sophomore maintained control for the entirety of the third period and walked away with the impressive 1-0 victory.

157: Junior Joe Blumer (Leechburg, Pa.) moved up a weight and met No. 15 Hunter Willits at 157. Willits notched a quick takedown and led 2-0. He turned Blumer for four back points to open up a 6-0 lead. The Lion senior was unable to break free of Willits' control and trailed 6-0 after the opening period. Willits chose neutral to start the second period and Willits took him down to an 8-0 lead. Blumer escaped but Willits was able to take him down again and led 10-2 with :40 on the clock. Willits added another takedown and led 12-2 with clinched riding time after two periods. Blumer chose down to start the third and escaped but Willits added two more quick takedowns to open up a 16-5 lead.

165: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.) faced off against Matthew Olguin in the bout at 165. Edsell fought off an early Olguin shot about a minute into the bout. Edsell then went to work on the edge of the mat, turning a low shot into a takedown and a 2-1 lead after a quick Oregon State escape. Edsell nearly scored again on a counter move with 1:10 on the clock but Olguin was able to force a reset. The Nittany Lion continued to pressure Olguin, but the Beaver grappler was able to defend his way to the end of the period. Leading 2-1, Edsell chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. Olguin forced a scramble with a high shot and tied the bout at 3-3 with a takedown at the 1:01 mark. Edsell was not able to break free of Olguin's ride and the bout moved to the third period tied 3-3. Olguin chose down to start the third period and Edsell went to work on top. He turned Olguin for four back points, nearly pinning him in the process. The four-point move gave Edsell a 7-3 lead as the clock slid below the :45 mark. Edsell finished off the full period ride with strong work on top and posted the 7-3 victory.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, battled Mateo Olmos. Starocci scored quickly, taking Olmos down just seconds into the bout. He then went to work on top and built up a :41 time edge before Olmos escaped. Starocci's offensive pressure was relentless as the Lion turned a scramble in the center circle into a second takedown and a 4-1 lead with 1:23 on the clock. He turned Olmos for four back points and opened up an 8-1 lead. The Lion sophomore added one more four point turn and lead 12-1 after one. Starocci chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 13-1 lead. He scrambled his way to a third takedown and led 15-1. Olmos escaped after a reset and Starocci ended the bout with a takedown with :11 left, posting the 17-2 technical fall at the 4:49 mark.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, met Oregon State's Jackson McKinney. Brooks worked the middle of the mat for the first minute, and then quickly locked up McKinney's head. He wrapped McKinney's shoulders, took him down and finished off a first period pin at the 1:03 mark.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 4 at 197, took on J.J. Dixon. Dean scored quickly, taking Dixon down with a low double to open up a 2-0 lead with 2:30 on the clock. The Nittany Lion junior worked his riding time up over 1:00 and then worked for a turning combination. Dixon was able to fight off the turning efforts, but Dean carried the 2-0 lead with 2:17 in riding time into the second period. Dean chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. Dean quickly used a high single for a second takedown and a 5-0 lead. He cut Dixon loose and went back to work on offense. Dean rolled through a third takedown with 1:10 on the clock. Dean cut Dixon loose once more and used a low single for another takedown to up his lead to 9-2 with :40 on the clock. Dean finished the period on top and led 9-2 with 3:25 in time. Dixon chose neutral to start the third period and Dean continued to take him down. Dean got the takedown just seconds into the period. He added another takedown and two back points. Dean, with nearly 5:00 in riding time, rolled to the 16-3 major decision.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkviet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, met No. 24 Gary Traub. The duo battled evenly for :40 before Kerkviet used a high single to take the Oregon State big man down for a 2-0 lead with 2:06 on the clock. Kerkviet dominated Traub on top, working his riding time up well over 1:00 while looking for a turning combination. Traub was able to keep from giving up back points, but Kerkviet finished the period on top and led 2-0 with 2:07 in riding time after one. Traub chose down to start the second period and Kerkviet made him pay for the choice. The Lion turned Traub for four back points, reset, then turned him again with :52 on the clock. Leading 10-0, Kerkviet finished the period on top and carried that lead with 4:07 riding time into the third period. Kerkviet chose top to start the third period and began the process of turning Traub once more. He picked up a quick two point turn and then finish



#2 PENN STATE 32, ARMY WEST POINT 7 Thursday, Nov. 18, 2021 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: Baylor Shunk PSU dec. Ryan Chauvin AWP, 8-4	3-0
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU tech fall Dominic Carone AWP; 26-11 (TF; 6:36)	8-0
141: #29 Corey Shie AWP dec. Brandon Meredith PSU, 5-2	8-3
149: #27 Beau Bartlett PSU dec. #20 P.J. Ogunsanya AWP, 3-1 (SV)	11-3
157: #32 Markus Hartman AWP maj. dec. Terrell Barraclough PSU, 9-0	11-7
165: #32 Creighton Edsell PSU dec. Christian Hunt AWP, 4-3	14-7
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU tech fall Clayton Fielden AWP, 23-5 (TF; 6:56)	19-7
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU maj. dec. #28 Brad Laughlin AWP, 21-7	23-7
197: #4 Max Dean PSU tech fall #21 J.T. Brown AWP, 17-1 (6:49)	28-7
285: #5 Greg Kerkvliet PSU maj. dec. Brandon Phillips AWP, 14-3	32-7
Attendance: 6,472 (56th-straight sellout in Rec Hall, 62nd of 64 at home, inc. 6 of 8 in BJC)	

The Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team (3-0, 0-0 B1G), ranked No. 2 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), dominated Army West Point (0-1) in the home opener for head coach Cael Sanderson's squad. Penn State won eight of ten bouts to post the 32-7 victory.

The dual meet was wrestled in front of nearly 6,500 fans in a sold-out Rec Hall. The Nittany Lions have wrestled in front of 56 straight sellouts in Rec Hall and 62 of 64 including six of eight sellouts at the 16,000-seat Bryce Jordan Center). The dual also marked the first time Penn State wrestled in front of its home fans since Feb. 23, 2020, when Penn State beat American in Rec Hall.

The dual began at 125 where sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) made his Rec Hall debut at 125 and posted an 8-4 win over Army's Ryan Chauvin, putting Penn State up 3-0 early. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, put on a takedown show, reeling off 13 takedowns on his way to a 26-11 technical fall over Dominic Carone at the 6:36 mark.

With No. 1 Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) given the night off, junior Brandon Meredith (Limerick, Pa.) moved up a weight to 141 and battled No. 29 Corey Shie tough before losing 5-2. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 27 at 149, used a takedown late in extra time to post a thrilling 3-1 (SV) win over No. 20 P.J. Ogunsanya. Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) made his season debut at 157 and dropped a 9-0 major to No. 32 Markus Hartman. Hartman's win cut Penn State's lead to 11-7 at the break.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 32 at 165, used a late takedown to post a hard-fought 4-3 win over Army's Christian Hunt to begin the second half. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, was dominant once again, rolling to a 23-5 technical fall over Clayton Fielden at the 6:56 mark.

Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, picked up nine takedowns in a dominating 21-7 major decision over No. 28 Brad Laughlin to put Penn State up 23-7. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 4 at 197, made his Rec Hall debut as a Nittany Lion and thrilled the sold-out Rec Hall crowd, posting a 17-1 tech fall at the 3:13 mark. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, capped off the outing by amassing over 5:00 in riding time in a lopsided 14-3 major over Army West Point's Brandon Phillips. Kerkvliet's win finished off Penn State's 32-7 victory.

The Nittany Lions rolled up a 41-4 margin in takedowns. Penn State picked up eight bonus points off three tech falls (Bravo-Young, Starocci, Dean) and two majors (Brooks, Kerkvliet).

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) made his Rec Hall debut at 125 and met Army's Ryan Chauvin. The duo battled evenly for nearly a minute before Chauvin got in on a single leg. Shunk fought the move off and then worked out of another Black Knight shot at the 1:10 mark. Shunk then rolled through a low single and opened up a 2-0 lead at the 1:04 mark. Shunk then controlled the action from the top position, keeping Chauvin's stomach to the mat. He rolled Chauvin once but did not pick up any back points and led 2-0 after one. Shunk chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. The Lion freshmen then took Chauvin down with a low shot, rolling through for another takedown and a 5-0 lead. Chauvin escaped to a 5-1 score and Shunk fought off a late Army shot to carry a 5-1 lead into the second period with 1:45 in time. Chauvin chose down to start the final period and worked his way to an escaped and a 5-2 score. Chauvin took Shunk down on the edge of the mat, but the Lion quickly reversed him to lead 7-4. Shunk finished on top and, with 3:24 in riding time, rolled to the 8-4 win.

133: Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, took on Dominic Carone. The Lion senior opened up a quick lead, rolling up three takedowns in the first minute to lead 6-3 with 1:47 on the clock. He continued with his fast pace and forced Carone into a stall warning before taking him down a fourth time to lead 8-3 with 1:05 left. Bravo-Young used a low ankle pick and finished off a fifth takedown to lead 10-4 with :35 on the clock. Bravo-Young finished the period on top and led 1-4 with 1:23 in riding time after the first period. Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the second period. Carone got in on a shot at the 1:25 mark but Bravo-Young countered it, took him down and added another takedown seconds later to lead 14-5. He continued to score, adding two more takedowns in the second to lead 18-8 and then finished off the period with a rolling takedown to carry a 20-8 lead with 1:43 in time into the third period. Carone chose down to start the third period. Bravo-Young cut him loose and ended the match with three more takedowns to roll to the 26-11 tech fall at the 6:36 mark.

141: With No. 1 Nick Lee given the night off, junior Brandon Meredith (Limerick, Pa.) moved up to 141 and battled No. 29 Corey Shie. Shie got in on a quick single that Meredith was able to turn into a scramble and stalemate. Shie locked Meredith's head and nearly turned the junior to his back but Meredith was able to roll through and only gave up the takedown with 1:45 left in the period. Shie was able to stay on top as the clock moved under a minute. Shie finished on top, and Meredith trailed 2-0 after the opening period. Shie chose down to start the second period and Meredith controlled the action long enough to kill the Knight's riding time edge and the kept Shie on the mat for the rest of the period, riding Shie out. Trailing 2-0, Meredith chose neutral to start the third period. He countered a Shie shot with 1:20 on the clock and worked his way into a takedown to tie the bout at 2-2. Shie quickly escaped with :50 left to take a 3-2 lead. The Knight then worked into a low double, forcing a scramble in the middle of the mat. Meredith fought off each effort until the last second when Shie scored once more to post the 5-2 win.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 27 at 149, met No. 20 P.J. Ogunsanya. The duo battled evenly for the opening minute-plus. Ogunsanya worked his way into a high single at the 1:40 mark but Bartlett fought it off and forced a stalemate. The first period ended in a scoreless tie. Bartlett chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Action resumed in neutral. Ogunsanya shot low, gaining control of Bartlett's right foot but the Lion once again forced a stalemate. As the clock moved below the 1:00 mark, Bartlett got hit for a stall warning and carried a 1-0 lead into the third period. Ogunsanya chose down to start the third period. Bartlett went to work on top, controlling the Knight until the 1:06 mark before Ogunsanya escaped to a 1-1 tie. Neither man threatened offensively over the bout's final minute and action moved into a 2:00 sudden victory period. The wrestlers traded shots in the first :30. Each wrestler worked the center circle until Bartlett worked his way into a solid single with :45 on the clock. The Lion sophomore lifted Ogunsanya's leg up, pulled him back into the circle and finished off a takedown with :26 left in extra time to post the 3-1 (sv) win.

157: Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) made his season debut at 157 and battled No. 32 Markus Hartman. Barraclough and Hartman battled evenly for the first minute-plus, with neither wrestler threatening on offense. The defenses held for the rest of the period and action moved to the second stanza tied 0-0. Barraclough chose down to start the second period and Hartman locked up a cradle, turning the Lion for four back points. Barraclough was unable to break free of Hartman's strong ride and trailed 4-0 after two periods. Hartman chose top to start the third period. Barraclough worked to get to his feet, but each time Hartman was able to return the action to the mat. He turned the Lion sophomore for four more back points to open up an 8-0 lead with a clinched riding time point. Barraclough was unable to work his way free and lost the 9-0 major decision.

165: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 32 at 165, took on Christian Hunt. Edsell almost turned a low shot at the 2:30 mark into a takedown but Hunt slipped out of his grasp to keep the bout scoreless. Hunt shot on the edge of the mat and picked up a quick takedown to lead 2-1 after a quick Edsell escape with 1:40 on the clock. Edsell turned a high double into a scoring opportunity as the clock hit the 1:00 mark. Hunt locked up Edsell's arm and forced a stalemate and a reset. Edsell trailed 2-1 after one and chose down to start the second period. The Nittany Lion worked his way to an escape and a 2-2 tie. Neither wrestler challenged on offense as the clock moved to :45. Edsell forced Hunt to the outside circle and shot low but the Knight was able to work his way out of bounds each time the Nittany Lion shot. The bout moved to the third period tied 2-2. Hunt chose neutral to start the third period. Edsell shot at Hunt's waist, worked his way down into a single and scrambled his way into near scoring position for the next :45. The wrestlers battled until the clock hit the :20 mark when Edsell worked his way out from under Hunt and finished off the takedown for a 4-2 lead. Hunt escaped late but Edsell's final work on offense carried him to a 4-3 victory.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, took on Clayton Fielden. Starocci went to work quickly, setting a fast tempo from the opening whistle. He pressured Fielden back and gained control of his left leg before taking him down for a 2-0 lead at the 2:10 mark. Starocci cut Fielden loose and went back to work leading 2-1. He quickly picked up another takedown to up his edge to 4-1. Fielden escaped to a 4-2 score with 1:00 on the clock and Starocci turned a low double into a third takedown and a 6-2 lead. He then rolled Fielden to his back for four back points and led 10-2 with 1:18 in riding time after one. Fielden chose down to start the second stanza and escaped to a 10-3 score. Starocci countered a slight Fielden shot for another takedown and led 12-3 with 1:25 left in the middle period. Starocci was tough on top, working his time edge up over 2:00 while forcing an Army stall warning. The Lion rode Fielden out and led 12-3 with 2:57 in time after two periods. Starocci chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 13-3 lead. He then took Fielden down to open up a 15-3 margin. Starocci cut Fielden loose and looked to score. He added two more takedowns and finished off the bout with four back points, posting the 23-5 tech fall at the 6:56 mark.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, met No. 28 Brad Laughlin. Brooks and Laughlin battled evenly for the first minute-plus. The Lion fought off a solid Laughlin shot at the 1:45 mark and went back to work in neutral. He used a high single for his first takedown with 1:20 on the clock, opening up a 2-0 lead. He cut Laughlin loose to a 2-1 score with 1:00 on the clock and used a high single to finish off another takedown and open up a 4-1 lead. Brooks finished the period on top to lead 4-1 with 1:00 in riding time after one. Brooks chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 5-1 lead. He quickly took Laughlin down again to lead 7-2 after cutting him loose. The Lion junior was relentless on offense, taking the Knight down again to lead 9-2 with 1:00 left in the period. Brooks added another takedown with :27 left in the period and finished the second stanza on top to lead 11-3 with 1:51 in time after two. Laughlin chose down to start the third period and Brooks let him up to an 11-4 score. Brooks added two more quick takedowns to lead 15-5 with 1:08 left to wrestle. Brooks picked up a stall point and then took Laughlin down two more times in the final seconds to roll 21-7 major decision with 2:47 in riding time.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 4 at 197, made his Rec Hall debut as a Lion against No. 21 J.T. Brown. Dean took Brown down quickly, opening up a 2-0 lead with 2:26 on the clock. He then went to work on top, building up :45 in time before Brown escaped to a 2-1 score. The duo battled evenly in the middle of the mat for the next minute and action moved to the second period with Dean up 2-1. Dean chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 3-1 lead with 1:24 on the clock. Brown took a slight shot and Dean countered for another takedown and a 5-1 lead with 1:10 left in the period. Dean locked Brown's leg with his, turned his shoulders to the mat, and picked up a four-point fall at the :20 mark for a 9-1 lead. Trailing 9-1, Brown chose down to start the third period. Dean controlled the action from the top, looking to turn the Knight for more back points. Dean locked Brown up again and turned him for four more near fall points to lead 13-1 with :30 on the clock. The Lion finished off the match with a final four-point turn, posting the 17-1 tech fall at the 6:49 mark.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, took on Brandon Phillips. Kerkvliet scored in seconds, opening up a quick 2-0 lead off the opening whistle. He picked up his second takedown with 1:55 on the clock to lead 4-1. He built up over 1:00 in riding time and forced Phillips into a stall warning as the clock hit 1:00. Phillips got hit for another stall, giving Kerkvliet a point as the Nittany Lion continued to try and turn the Knight. While not managing any back points, Kerkvliet rode Phillips out to lead 5-1 with 2:18 in time after one. Kerkvliet chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 6-1 lead. He then took Phillips down again, leading 8-1, and went back to work looking for back points. Kerkvliet cut Phillips loose with :30 on the clock and finished off the second period with a slick low double for a takedown and a 10-2 lead with 3:24 in time after two. Phillips chose down to start the final period. With the riding time point clinched, Kerkvliet picked up another stall point, cut Phillips loose and then countered an Army shot for another takedown and a 13-3 lead. Kerkvliet finished the period on top to post the dominating 14-3 major with 5:03 in riding time.

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#2 PENN STATE 20, PENN 16

Friday, Dec. 3, 2021 -- The Palestra -- Philadelphia, Pa.

125: Ryan Miller PENN dec. Baylor Shunk PSU, 8-2	0-3
133: #12 Michael Colaiocco PENN maj. dec. Brandon Meredith PSU, 10-2	0-7
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU dec. #28 Carmen Ferrante PENN, 6-3	3-7
149: #20 Beau Bartlett PSU dec. #23 Anthony Artalona PENN, 4-3 (TB)	6-7
157: Doug Zapf PENN dec. Terrell Barraclough PSU, 4-2	6-10
165: #32 Creighton Edsell PSU dec. #33 Lucas Revano PENN, 6-4 (SV)	9-10
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU maj. dec. #21 Nick Incontrera PENN, 13-3	13-10
184: Donovan Ball PSU dec. Jesse Martinez PENN, 11-4	16-10
197: #4 Max Dean PSU maj. dec. Cole Urbas PENN, 10-0	20-10
285: Ben Goldin PENN win by forfeit	20-16
Attendance: 3,272	

The Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team (4-0, 0-0 B1G), ranked No. 2 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), posted a hard-fought 20-16 win at Penn (0-1) in a non-conference road dual in Philadelphia. With three returning All-Americans out, Penn State still won six of nine contested bouts and gave up one forfeit.

The dual began at 125 where sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) lost 8-2 to Penn's Ryan Miller. With No. 1 Roman Bravo-Young out, junior Brandon Meredith (Limerick, Pa.) stepped in at 133 and suffered a 10-2 major against No. 12 Michael Colaiocco and the Nittany Lions trailed 7-0 early. No. 1 Nick Lee returned to action at 141 and notched the bouts only takedowns in a solid 6-3 win over No. 28 Carmen Ferrante, cutting the Penn lead to 7-3. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 20 at 149, was involved in another thriller, taking No. 23 Anthony Artalona past extra time before using an escape to post a 4-3 (TB) win to bring Penn State to within one, 7-6. Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) lost a close 4-2 decision to Doug Zapf at 157 and Penn State trailed 10-6 at the break.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 32 at 165, picked up a critical win for Penn State. Edsell took No. 33 Lucas Revano into extra time before grabbing the 6-4 victory with a takedown midway through the extra period. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, rolled over No. 21 Nick Incontrera, tallying five takedowns in a 13-3 major decision. His win put Penn State up 13-10. With No. 1 Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Pa.) also not wrestling, sophomore Donovan Ball (New Cumberland, Pa.) got the nod at 184 and grabbed an impressive win, a 11-4 victory over Penn's Jesse Martinez to give the Nittany Lions a 16-10 lead. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 4 at 197, iced the dual with a strong 10-0 major over Cole Urbas to give the Lions a 20-10 lead. With No. Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.) out at 285 as well, Penn State forfeited heavyweight and settled for the 20-16 victory. Penn State posted a 16-11 edge in takedowns. The Nittany Lions picked up two bonus points off two majors (Starocci, Dean).

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) took on Penn junior Ryan Miller. Shunk fought off an early Miller effort at the 2:00 mark, but the Quaker worked his way into a single leg. Shunk countered the moved and threw Miller to his back, but the Quaker was able to roll through and after :30 of furious action, neither wrestler scored. Miller took a 2-0 lead with a takedown at the 1:17 mark, however, and Shunk was unable to work his way out from bottom and trailed 2-0 after one period. Miller chose down to start the second period. Shunk controlled the Quaker long enough to kill the Miller's riding time edge before the Quaker escaped to a 3-0 lead. Miller got in on a low single at the 1:10 mark, forcing a scramble in the middle of the mat. Shunk fought off the effort for :30 before Miller finished off the move to up his lead to 5-0 after two periods. Shunk chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 score, but Miller had a 1:32 time advantage. Shunk took a series of shots, but Miller countered one at the :50 mark to open up a 7-2 lead after Shunk escaped. Shunk fought off a late Miller shot, and Miller posted the 8-2 win with 2:10 in riding time.

133: With No. 1 Roman Bravo-Young out, junior Brandon Meredith (Limerick, Pa.) took on No. 12 Michael Colaiocco. Colaiocco took a 2-0 lead with a takedown at the 2:00 mark and built up over 1:00 in riding time with a strong ride. Meredith got called for stalling at the :35 mark and Colaiocco finished the period on top to lead 2-0 with 2:00 in riding time. Colaiocco chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. Meredith fought off a quick low shot from the Quaker, but Colaiocco quickly moved in on another and took a 5-0 lead with another takedown. Trailing 5-0, Meredith chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 score. The Lion looked for offense in the middle of the mat and got in on a high single with :50 on the clock. But the ranked Quaker countered the moved and worked his way around for a takedown of his own to lead 7-2 with clinched riding time at the :30 mark. Colaiocco added a late takedown to post the 10-2 major decision.

141: Nick Lee, ranked No. 1 at 141, returned to action against No. 28 Carmen Ferrante. Lee took Ferrante down at the 1:00 mark with a high single leg, taking an early 1-0 lead. The Lion senior added a second takedown quickly to open up a 4-1 lead with 1:25 left on the clock. Lee built up over 1:00 in riding time with a strong ride, finishing the period on top to lead 4-1 with 1:48 in riding time after the opening stanza. Ferrante chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 4-2 score at the 1:45 mark. Lee turned another low shot into a third takedown with 1:02 on the clock. Leading 6-2, Lee worked his time advantage up to 2:14 before the Quaker escaped to a 6-3 score. Lee carried a 6-3 lead with 2:15 in time into the third period. Lee chose down to start the third period. The Lion was unable to break free of a strong Ferrante ride and settled for the 6-3 victory.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 20 at 149, met No. 23 Anthony Artalona. Artalona scored quickly with a takedown in the middle of the mat, but Bartlett escaped right away and went to work on his feet trailing 2-1. The duo traded shots over the next minute before Artalona got ion on a single leg. Bartlett countered the shot and worked his way into control of the Quaker's shoulders. The period ended in neutral, and Bartlett trailed 2-1 after one. Bartlett chose down to start the second period. Artalona kept control of Bartlett long enough to build up a 1:30 time edge before Bartlett rolled through a slick move to reverse the Quaker and take a 3-2 lead. Bartlett finished the period on top and led 3-2 after two. Artalona chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 3-3 tie. Bartlett worked the middle of the mat for the next minute, looking for an opening on offense. With riding time not, a factor, Bartlett took a low shot at the :40 mark, fought off an Artalona counter, and finished the period in neutral, sending the bout to sudden victory. Bartlett countered a quick Penn shot and countered, nearly locking up a single. But Artalona was able to step back and keep the bout tied 3-3 as the clock hit 1:20. With the clock moving down under :40, neither wrestler found any offense and the bout moved to a tiebreaker. Artalona was down first, and Bartlett was able to break the Quaker down, controlling the action on top for the full :30 to keep the bout

tied. Bartlett was down next and Artalona allowed him up to a 4-3 Bartlett lead. Bartlett finished the period in neutral and notched the thrilling 4-3 (TB) win.

157: Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) met Doug Zapf at 157. Barraclough fought off an early Zapf shot to keep the bout scoreless :30 into action. He took a high shot with 2:10 on the clock but Zapf forced a stalemate and action continued in neutral. The duo battled evenly for the next minute, circling the center of the mat. Barraclough fought through the first period in neutral and the match moved to the second period tied 0-0. Zapf chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Barraclough and Zapf continued to work the center of the mat in neutral until Zapf connected on a low single at the 1:00 mark to take a 3-0 lead. Barraclough escaped to a 3-1 score with :30 on the clock. Trailing 3-1, Barraclough chose down to start the third period. The Lion sophomore was unable to escape and Zapf worked his riding time advantage up over 1:00. With the clock moving down under 1:00, Barraclough tried to work his way to his feet, but Zapf continued to control the Lion. Barraclough escaped to a 3-2 score with :15 left but could not finish off the comeback with a late takedown and lost 4-2 (Zapf had riding time).

165: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 32 at 165, met No. 33 Lucas Revano. Edsell took a quick low single that he rolled through. Revano countered and the scramble ended in a stalemate at the 2:00 mark. The two wrestlers worked the center of the mat in neutral before Edsell worked a low shot into a takedown and a 2-0 score at the 1:22 mark. Edsell controlled the action from the top position, building up over 1:00 in time with the strong ride. Revano escaped to a 2-1 score as the period ended and Edsell led by one after one. Edsell chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 3-1 score with :44 in riding time. The Lion junior slid back from a slight Revano shot at the 1:00 mark and continued to work the center of the mat on his feet. Edsell finished the period in neutral and led 3-1 after two. Revano chose down to start the third period and Edsell controlled him long enough to build up over 1:00 in riding time. Revano moved out of bounds at the 1:30 mark, forcing a reset and blood time for Penn. Revano escaped after the reset to cut the score to 3-2 but Edsell had 1:27 in riding time. Edsell was strong on his feet, staving off Revano's late shots until the :10 mark. Revano's takedown gave him a 4-3 lead but Edsell's riding time tied the bout up and sent it to sudden victory. The duo traded early low shots as the period hit its midway point and then Edsell quickly slid to the side and behind Revano for a takedown and the 6-4 (SV) win at with 1:10 on the clock.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, took on No. 21 Nick Incontrera. Incontrera got in on a quick single, but Starocci deftly countered the shot and notched his own takedown to open up an early 2-0 lead. Starocci set a fast pace after a Penn escape, turning a low single into a cradle on the edge of the mat. Starocci got no back points but picked up the takedown to lead 4-2 after cutting Incontrera loose. Starocci notched a third takedown at the :28 mark and finished the period on top to lead 6-2 with 1:26 in time. Incontrera chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 6-3 score. Starocci quickly went to work, taking numerous shots before connecting on a low single, forcing a low single that appeared to be a takedown. Not takedown was awarded and a reset with :50 on the clock ensued. Starocci picked up a fourth takedown with :20 left in the period and finished on top to carry an 8-3 lead with 2:33 in time into the third period. Starocci chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 9-3 lead. He slid into a low shot, pulled Incontrera back into the mat, locked up a cradle and rolled the Quaker out of bounds for another takedown and an 11-3 lead. With riding time clinched, Starocci worked the top position, looking for a chance to turn the Quaker for back points. Starocci picked up a stall point and, with 2:53 in time, rolled to the 13-3 major decision.

184: With No. 1 Aaron Brooks out, sophomore Donovan Ball (New Cumberland, Pa.) battled Jesse Martinez 184. Ball and Martinez rolled through a scramble in the first :40 with Ball nearly notching the takedown. But action moved out of bounds and returned to neutral with 2:10 left in the opening period. Ball was the aggressor throughout and Ball finished off the first at the 1:20 mark and picked up an extra penalty point in the process. Martinez escaped to a 3-1 score, but Ball continued to move in on offense, picking up another takedown to open up a 5-1 lead with :35 on the clock. Ball finished the period on top and carried that lead into the second period. Ball chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 6-1 lead. Ball worked neutral for the next minute, looking for a chance to score again. With :40 on the clock, Ball lifted Martinez's leg up, pulled him back onto the mat and finished off a takedown with :20 on the clock. He added two back points and led 10-1 after two. Martinez chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 10-2 score. Ball forced Martinez into a first stall warning as the clock hit 1:15. Ball got in on a low single, but Martinez countered the shot and picked up his first takedown with :35 on the clock, cutting the score to 10-4. Ball escaped at the :10 mark and posted the strong 11-4 decision.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 4 at 197, took on Cole Urbas. The duo battled evenly for the first two minutes plus with neither wrestler finding an opening. Dean broke through with a high single at the :40 mark and finished off the takedown with :31 on the clock. Dean finished the period on top and led 2-0 after one. Dean chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. Dean forced Urbas into a first stall warning with 1:10 on the clock and then finished off another takedown at the :50 mark for a 5-0 lead. Dean went to work on top, building up over 1:00 in time with a rideout to lead 5-0 after two. Urbas chose top to start the third period, but Dean quickly escaped to a 6-0 lead. Dean added a third takedown with 1:20 left to open up an 8-0 lead. He worked his time edge back up over 1:00 and went to work looking to turn Urbas. Urbas was able to fight off Dean's turning efforts but gave up a stall point in the process. Dean finished on top and, with 2:15 in time, rolled to the 10-0 major.

285: With No. 4 Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.) also out, Penn State forfeited at 285.



#2 PENN STATE 23, LEHIGH 16

Sunday, Dec. 5, 2021 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: #12 Jaret Lane LEH maj. dec. Jake Campbell PSU, 11-3	0-4
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU maj. dec. Sheldon Seymour LEH, 19-7	4-4
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU dec. Connor McGonagle LEH, 13-6	7-4
149: Manzona Bryant LEH dec. #20 Beau Bartlett PSU, 6-5	7-7
157: #10 Josh Humphreys LEH dec. Tony Negron PSU, 5-4	7-10
165: #32 Creighton Edsell PSU dec. #27 Brian Meyer, 2-1	10-10
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU maj. dec. Jake Logan LEH, 13-3	14-10
184: Donovan Ball PSU dec. A.J. Burkhart LEH, 5-3	17-10
197: #4 Max Dean PSU pinned J.T. Davis LEH, WBF (2:58)	23-10
285: #10 Jordan Wood LEH win by forfeit	23-16

Extra bouts (official NCAA contests, do not count in dual score):

149: Joey Blumer PSU dec. Steven Storm LEH, 5-1
157: Terrell Barraclough PSU dec. Luca Frinzi LEH, 7-2

Attendance: 6,496 (57th-straight sellout in Rec Hall, 63rd of 65 at home, inc. 6 of 8 in BJC)

The Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team (5-0, 0-0 B1G), ranked No. 2 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), took care of visiting Lehigh (3-2) by a 23-16 score in non-conference action. Once again, a shorthanded Penn State squad won six of nine contested bouts, this time in sold out Rec Hall as senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) picked up his 100th career win. The dual was wrestled in front of 6,496 fans in Rec Hall, marking the 57th-straight sell-out in the building. Penn State has wrestled in front of sold-out crowds in 63 of its last 65 home dates, including six of eight in the near 16,000-seat Bryce Jordan Center.

The dual began at 125 where senior Jake Campbell (Pottstown, Pa.) made his Penn State dual debut. Campbell battled No. 12 tough before dropping a 11-3 bout. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, dominated Sheldon Seymour, running away to a 19-7 major decision to tie the dual meet at 4-4 after two bouts. Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, took care of Lehigh's Connor McGonagle, posting a 13-6 win to put the Lions on top 7-4. The victory was the 100th of Lee's illustrious Penn State career. The Nittany Lion is now 100-13 overall, including a 4-0 record this year. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 20 at 149, gave up a late takedown and suffered a 6-5 upset loss to Manzona Bryant. Junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) made his Penn State dual meet debut at 157 and nearly upset No. 10 Josh Humphreys in the process. Negron appeared to take a 6-5 lead with :09 left in the match, but the move was reviewed by the officials and overturned, giving Humphreys the 5-4 win. The result sent Lehigh into halftime leading 10-7.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 32 at 165, notched a critical win over No. 27 Brian Meyer. Edsell turned 1:23 in riding time into the bout's crucial point in a 2-1 win, tying the dual at 10-10. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, put Penn State on top for good with a strong 13-3 major over Lehigh's Jake Logan, giving the Lions a 14-10 lead. With No. 1 Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Pa.) also not wrestling, sophomore Donovan Ball (New Cumberland, Pa.) took to the mat at 184 once again and for the second time in three days came away with a critical victory. Ball posted a thrilling 5-3 win over Lehigh's A.J. Burkhart to give Penn State a 17-10 advantage. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 4 at 197, clinched the Penn State victory with a rousing first period pin. Dean turned Lehigh's J.T. Davis late in the period to get the fall at the 2:58 mark to put Penn State up 23-10. With No. 4 Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.) still ill, No. 10 Jordan Wood got the forfeit victory at 285 making the dual final 23-16 in Penn State's favor.

The Nittany Lions posted a gaudy 24-5 edge in takedowns. Penn State picked up five bonus points off a pin (Dean) and two majors (Bravo-Young, Starocci). Two extra matches were contested after completion of the dual meet. While the bouts do not count towards the dual's score, they are official NCAA matches. At 149, Nittany Lion Joey Blumer (Leechburg, Pa.) posted a 5-1 win over Steven Storm, including 4:23 in riding time. At 157, sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) notched a 7-2 decision with 4:14 in riding time over Lehigh's Luca Frinzi.

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Senior Jake Campbell (Pottstown, Pa.) made his Penn State dual debut at 125 and took on No. 14 Jaret Lane of Lehigh at 125. The duo battled evenly for the two minutes. Lane took the first shot of the bout at the 1:00 mark and connected for a 2-0 lead. Campbell quickly escaped to a 2-1 score and the clock hit :30. The first period finished with the wrestlers on their feet and Campbell trailed 2-1 after one. Lane chose down to start the second period and escaped with 1:33 on the clock to take a 3-1 lead. Campbell took two los shots, but Lane countered the second and locked Campbell's shoulders for a four-point turn. Campbell fought off the pin attempt and quickly reversed the Hawk to cut the lead to 9-3. Lane added a late escape and led 10-3 after two. Campbell chose down to start the third period. Lane maintained control long enough to build up over 1:00 in riding time. Campbell was unable to escape, and, with the riding time point, Lane notched the 11-3 major.

133: Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, took on Sheldon Seymour. Bravo-Young scored quickly, taking Seymour down for an early 2-1 lead. Bravo-Young added a second quick takedown to up his lead to 4-2 at the midway point of the opening period. Seymour got in on a single at the 1:10 mark and Bravo-Young immediately countered, working his way into control of the Mountain Hawk's shoulders, then moving around for a takedown and a 6-2 lead with :30 on the clock. Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the second period and quickly went on attack. The Nittany Lion senior pulled Seymour's shoulders to the mat, picked up another takedown, and led 8-3 with 1:15 on the clock. Bravo-Young added a fifth takedown seconds after a reset and worked his riding time up over 1:00. Bravo-Young finished on top and led 10-3 with 2:02 in time after two. Bravo-Young rolled through the third period, picking up four takedowns and a riding time point on 2:23 in time to post the 19-7 major decision.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, met Connor McGonagle. Lee scored quickly, taking McGonagle down at the 2:35 mark for an early 2-0 lead. The Lion senior then muscled McGonagle's shoulders over, picking up two back points to lead 4-0. Lee continued to work on top, dominating the action as his riding time edge hit 2:00 and he picked up a stall point to lead 5-0. McGonagle chose down to start the second period and Lee tried to turn the Hawk off the whistle. But McGonagle countered and reversed Lee to briefly cut the lead to 5-2. Lee answered with a reversal of his own, upping his lead to 7-3 after cutting McGonagle loose. Lee picked up another quick takedown with a high shot and finished the period on top to lead 9-3 with 3:46 in time after two. Lee chose down to start the third period and worked his way to an escaped and a 10-3 lead. Lee fought off a slight high shot from McGonagle at the 1:10 mark

and added another takedown with :55 on the clock to lead 12-3. McGonagle scored on a high double with :20 left to cut the lead to 12-6 and Lee settled for the 13-6 decision with 3:20 in riding time. The win was the 100th of Nick Lee's Penn State career.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 20 at 149, took on Manzona Bryant. The duo battled evenly on the Nittany Lion logo for the first minute-plus. Bartlett drew first blood with a lightning quick duck-under for a takedown with 1:20 on the clock. Bryant escaped to a 2-1 score and action resumed with 1:00 left in the period. Bartlett chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. The Lion sophomore turned shoulder control into a high single and a takedown with :50 on the clock to lead 5-1. Bryant was able to reverse Bartlett before the period ended and the Lion sophomore led 5-3 after two. Bryant chose down to start the third period and Bartlett controlled him long enough to build his riding time point up to 1:08 before he escaped to a 5-4 score. Bartlett worked the center of the mat as the clock moved under :45. Brant took the Lion down with :25 left, and Bartlett appeared to escape with :03 on the clock. But the escape was not awarded, and Bartlett dropped the 6-5 bout.

157: Junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) made his Penn State dual debut and battled No. 10 Josh Humphreys at 157. Negron scored first, using a low double to gain control of both Humphrey's feet, getting the takedown to lead 2-0 with 1:49 on the clock. Humphreys escaped to a 2-1 at the 1:25 mark and action resumed in the center of the mat. The duo battled evenly for the next minute-plus. Negron worked a low single into a near takedown as the period ended. The move was reviewed and no takedown was awarded with Negron leading 2-1 after one. Humphreys chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-2 tie. Negron fought off a Humphreys shot, forcing a scramble in the middle off the mat that lasted over 1:00 before the Mountain Hawk was awarded a takedown to lead 4-2 with :40 left in the period. Humphreys finished the period on top and led 4-2 after two. Negron chose neutral to start the third period. The Lion junior worked in neutral, looking for an opening to tie the bout up. He appeared to have another takedown, and nothing was awarded again. The officials reviewed the effort once more and this time the takedown was awarded. Negron tied the bout at 4-4 with 1:11 left in the period. Negron cut Humphreys loose to a 5-4 score and immediately went to work on offense, looking for another takedown. Negron got in on a high single and forced a scramble with :20 left in the period. He rolled his way to a takedown and a 6-5 lead with :07 left in the bout. The move was reviewed and overturned, and Negron's upset was taken away in the final seconds, falling 5-4.

165: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 32 at 165, faced No. 27 Brian Meyer. Meyer came out and quickly got in on a high single, but Edsell forced a stalemate and action resumed in neutral with 2:44 on the clock. Meyer connected on a low single and Edsell fought off the shot, forced a scramble then a stalemate with 1:42 left in the period. The wrestlers traded shots as the clock hit 1:00. The rest of the period was contested in neutral, and the bout moved to the second stanza tied 0-0. Edsell chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Meyer took a quick shot and Edsell nearly countered but the Hawk was able to slide away, and the bout continued in neutral with 1:05 on the clock. Trailing 1-0, Meyer chose down to start the third period. Edsell controlled the action and maintain top position long enough to build his time edge up over 1:00. Meyer broke free of the Lion's control with :30 left to tie the bout at 1-1, but Edsell had 1:23 in riding time. Edsell was able to fight off Meyer's final shots and, with the riding time point, posted the impressive 2-1 win.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, battled Jake Logan. Starocci picked up the first takedown at the 2:21 mark and led 2-1 early. The Lion sophomore countered a low Logan shot and worked his way into control of the Hawk grappler, getting another takedown to lead 4-1 with :35 on the clock. Starocci finished on top to lead 4-1 with 1:23 in time after one. Starocci chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. Starocci added a third takedown to up his lead to 7-1 and then went to work on top, looking for a chance to turn Logan for back points. Logan got hit for a stall warning and Starocci cut him loose to a 7-2 score with :45 left in the period. Starocci countered another Logan shot and took a 9-2 lead with :20 left in the period, carrying that lead with 2:17 in time into the third period. Logan chose down to start the third period and Starocci cut him loose to a 9-3 score. Starocci rolled through a scramble to take an 11-3 lead with 1:10 on the clock. He clinched the riding time point with control and picked up a stall point at the :25 mark. He finished the period on top and, with 3:36 in riding time, posted the dominant 13-3 major decision.

184: With No. 1 Aaron Brooks out, sophomore Donovan Ball (New Cumberland, Pa.) battled A.J. Burkhart at 184. The duo traded shots over the first minute of the bout. Ball nearly connected on a counter with 1:40 on the clock but Burkhart was able to slide out of trouble and keep the bout scoreless. Ball turned a low single into a takedown on the edge of the mat with :36 on the clock, taking a 2-0 lead. Burkhart was able to escape to a 2-1 score and the bout moved to the second stanza with Ball leading by one. Burkhart chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-2 tie. Ball continued to press on offense, circling the Lion logo until he snapped through a low single to take a 4-2 lead with 1:30 left in the period. Burkhart got hit with a stall warning during the flurry as well. Ball maintained control long enough to build up a 1:00 riding time edge before Burkhart escaped to a 4-3 Ball lead. Ball nearly turned a high shot into a late takedown, but the clock ran out in the period. Leading 4-3, Ball chose down to start the third period. Ball nearly gave up back points as the period started but fought off the effort. He broke free of Burkhart's control for an escape and a 5-3 lead with :50 on the clock. Ball fought off late shots from Burkhart and held on for the thrilling 5-3 victory.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 4 at 197, met J.T. Davis. Dean controlled the action in the center of the mat, setting the pace while trying to break through Davis' defense. Dean countered a slight Davis shot and took a 2-0 lead with 1:10 left in the opening period. He then began looking for a chance to turn the Mountain Hawk grappler for back points, picking up four near fall points at the :30 mark to lead 6-0. Dean finished the match off with a final turn and picked up the first period fall at the 2:58 mark.

285: With No. 4 Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.) still ill, Lehigh's tenth-ranked Jordan Wood picked up the forfeit victory.

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#2 PENN STATE 29, #22 NORTHERN IOWA 9 Monday, Dec. 20, 2021 -- Niceville, Fla.

125: #10 Brody Teske UNI dec. Jake Campbell PSU, 2-0	0-3
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU pinned #31 Kyle Biscoglia UNI, WBF (4:34)	6-3
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU maj. dec. #26 Cael Happel UNI, 18-4	10-3
149: #22 Beau Bartlett PSU dec. #28 Triston Lara UNI, 4-3	13-3
157: Derek Holschlag UNI dec. Tony Negron PSU, 5-2	13-6
165: #23 Austin Yant UNI dec. #26 Creighton Edsell PSU, 4-1	13-9
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU maj. dec. Pat Schoenfelder UNI, 13-4	17-9
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU dec. #4 Parker Keckeisen UNI, 3-2	20-9
197: #3 Max Dean PSU tech fall Noah Glaser UNI, 19-3 (TF: 5:21)	25-9
285: #4 Greg Kerkvliet PSU maj. dec. Tyrell Gordon UNI, 12-1	29-9

Extra bouts (official NCAA contests, do not count in dual score):1

125: Baylor Shunk PSU dec. Sean Spidle CMU, 9-5
133: Brandon Meredith PSU dec. Jack Wagner UNI, 8-3
197: Michael Beard PSU tech fall Cade Dallwitz CMU, 18-3 (2:43)

The Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team (6-0, 0-0 B1G), ranked No. 2 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), dominated No. 22 Northern Iowa (0-4) in the first dual meet for the team at the Collegiate Wrestling Duals in Niceville, Fla. Penn State won seven of ten bouts and rolled to a 29-9 win at the event held at Northwestern Florida State College and hosted by Journeymen Wrestling.

The dual began at 125 where senior Jake Campbell (Pottstown, Pa.) lost a hard-fought 2-0 decision to No. 10 Brody Teske of Northern Iowa. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, pinned No. 1 Kyle Biscoglia at the 4:34 mark in the second period to give Penn State a 6-3 lead. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, followed that up with a strong 18-4 major (with 3:35 in riding time) over No. 26 Cael Happel. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 22 at 149, used a second period takedown and two escapes to post a thrilling 4-3 win over No. 28 Triston Lara to put Penn State up 13-3. Junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) went at 157 for Penn State and lost a 5-2 decision to Derek Holschlag and the Lions led 13-6 at the dual's midway point.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 26 at 165, lost a tough 4-1 decision to No. 23 Austin Yant, his first loss of the season and Penn State's lead was cut to 13-9. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, controlled UNI's Pat Schoenfelder in a 13-4 major, working up 3:10 in riding time in the process. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, then used a second period takedown and an escaped to post a thrilling 3-2 win over No. 4 Parker Keckeisen in the dual's marquee match-up. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 3 at 197, used five takedowns and a couple turns to roll to a 19-3 tech fall over Noah Glaser at the 5:21 mark to put Penn State up 25-9. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, built up over 4:00 in riding time against UNI's Tyrell Gordon on his way to a 12-1 major to close out the dual meet. Kerkvliet's major made the dual final 29-9 for the Nittany Lions. Penn State rolled up a 25-3 lead in takedowns in the dual while winning seven of ten bouts. The Nittany Lions picked up eight bonus points off a pin (Bravo-Young), a tech fall (Dean) and three majors (Lee, Starocci, Kerkvliet).

Three extra matches were contested after completion of the dual meet. While the bouts do not count towards the dual's score, they are official NCAA matches. Michael Beard posted an 18-3 tech fall over Central Michigan's Cade Dallwitz at the 2:43 mark, Baylor Shunk posted a 9-5 win over CMU's Sean Spidle, and Brandon Meredith posted an 8-3 win over UNI's Jack Wagner.

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Senior Jake Campbell (Pottstown, Pa.) took to the mat at 125 and battled on No. 10 Brody Teske of Northern Iowa. The duo battled through a scoreless first minute. Teske worked Campbell's shoulders to the mat and Campbell countered with a low single that the Panther stepped back from. With the clock moving under 1:00, action returned to the center circle as Campbell kept action in neutral. The first period ended in a scoreless tie. Teske chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Campbell got hit for a first stall warning at the 1:06 mark, trailing by one. Teske continued to press Campbell towards the outside circle and the Lion trailed 1-0 after two. Campbell chose down to start the third period. The Lion was unable to break free of a strong Panther ride as the clock moved below the 1:00 mark. Teske worked his riding time edge over 1:00 and continued the period on top, posting the 2-0 win.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, battled No. 31 Kyle Biscoglia. Bravo-Young fought off two early Panther shots to keep the bout scoreless at the midway point of the first period. Bravo-Young notched the first takedown of the bout at the 1:06 mark and took a 2-1 lead after a Biscoglia escape. He used a slick move as the first period ended for a second takedown and carried a 4-1 lead into the second. Bravo-Young chose down to start the second period. He worked his way to his feet, picked up an escape and then slid by for a takedown and a 7-1 lead with 1:20 on the clock. He worked his way into control of Happel and turned the Panther to his back for a fall at the 4:34 mark.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, met No. 26 Cael Happel. Lee quickly took Happel down to open up a 2-1 lead early. He moved in for a quick second takedown and a 4-1 lead, and then went to work on top, building up over 1:00 in riding time as he looked for a chance to turn Happel for back points. Happel picked up a stall warning at the 1:00 mark while Lee continued to dominate the action on top. He turned Happel for four back points and an 8-1 lead with :40 left and finished the period on top. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 9-1 lead. Lee notched his third takedown with 1:30 on the clock, cut Happel loose and moved in on offense again, notching another takedown with 1:12 left to lead 13-2. Lee finished the period on top and led 13-2 with a clinched point (3:35) after two. Happel chose neutral to start the third period. Lee quickly picked up two takedowns and led 17-3 at the 1:20 mark. Lee finished the bout with an 18-4 major with 3:35 in riding time.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 22 at 149, met No. 28 Triston Lara. The duo battled through a scoreless first period, with neither wrestler threatening on offense as action in the center circle was contested in neutral. Lara chose down to start the second period and quickly worked his way to a reversal and a 2-0 lead. Bartlett escaped seconds late and then blew through a strong high double to take a 3-2 lead with 1:24 on the clock. Lara escaped to a 3-3 tie at the 1:15 mark and action resumed in neutral. Neither wrestler threatened on offense and the match moved to the third period tied 3-3. Bartlett chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 4-3 lead. The Lion sophomore stepped

away from two quick Lara shots and managed the middle of the mat on his feet. As the clock moved down to the :40 mark, Bartlett nearly connected on a counter shot with :20. He fought off a late Lara flurry and posted the hard-fought 4-3 win.

157: Junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) got the nod at 157 and met Derek Holschlag. Holschlag worked his way in on a high double at the 2:20 mark but Negron deftly moved through the action and nearly notched a counter takedown. The Panther fought off the Lion's efforts and action was stopped with 1:12 on the clock, still tied 0-0. With the first period clock moving down to :30, Negron nearly turned a low single into a takedown, but Holschlag was able to move out of bounds and the match moved to the second period tied 0-0. Holschlag chose down to start the second period and Negron worked his way into a cross-faced cradle, looking to turn the Panther for back points. But Holschlag was able to fight off the move and forced a stalemate with 1:15 left in the period. Negron maintained control of the Panther long enough to build up 1:10 in riding time before he escaped to a 1-0 lead. Negron forced a scramble as the period ended but neither wrestler gained control and the Lion trailed by one after two. Negron chose down to start the third and quickly escaped to a 1-1 tie, maintaining his 1:06 riding time edge as well. Holschlag worked a low shot into a takedown and a 3-1 lead. The Lion escaped to a 3-2 score and turned in on offense. But Holschlag added another takedown and opened up a 5-2 lead. Holschlag finished the bout in neutral and Negron dropped the 5-2 decision.

165: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 26 at 165, met No. 23 Austin Yant. The duo battle evenly for the opening two minutes-plus, with Edsell taking numerous high shots that Yant was able to step away from. With the first period ending in a 0-0 tie, Edsell chose down to start the second period. Edsell steadily worked his way into control of Yant's right ankle, moved up to his feet and got the escape to lead 1-0 at the 1:22 mark of the second period. Yant moved around behind Edsell on the edge of the mat to take a 2-1 lead with a takedown at the :40 mark. Edsell was unable to escape and Yant finished the period on top to lead 2-1 with 1:14 in time after two periods. Yant chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead while maintaining over 1:00 in riding time. Edsell was unable to connect on offense as the clock moved below 1:00. With :58 on the clock, Edsell took a low shot, worked his way into a takedown. As the clock moved to :10, Yant was able to tie up Edsell's legs and force a stalemate. Edsell dropped his first bout of the year, a 4-1 decision to Yant.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, faced off against Pat Schoenfelder. Starocci scored quickly, taking the Panther down for an early 2-0 lead just second into the bout. Starocci built up over 1:00 in time with as strong ride, looking to turn Schoenfelder for back points. He cut the Panther loose at the 1:30 mark and went back to work in neutral. Starocci too his foe down nearly picked up back points with :55 on the clock but action moved out of bounds and Starocci led 4-2 after a Schoenfelder escape. Starocci added a third takedown and led 6-2 after one. Starocci chose down to start the second period, quickly escaped, and then took Schoenfelder down again to open up a 9-2 lead with 1:10 on the clock. Starocci added one more takedown and led 11-3 with over 2:00 in time after two periods. Starocci added a final takedown and 3:10 in riding time to roll to the 13-4 major decision.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, wrestled No. 4 Parker Keckeisen in the dual's marquee match-up. Brooks fought off an early Keckeisen shot at the 2:20 mark to keep the bout scoreless early on. The highly ranked duo worked the center circle for the next two minutes. Brooks fought off another late Panther shot, and the bout moved to the second period tied 0-0. Keckeisen chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Keckeisen got in deep on another low single and Brooks worked his way out of bounds to fight off the takedown and force a reset. Brooks got hit for stalling at the 1:10 mark and then turned a high single into a takedown and a 2-1 lead with :30 on the clock. After a reset with :24 left, Keckeisen escaped to a 2-2 tie, a score that carried into the third period. Brooks chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-2 lead. Brooks forced Keckeisen backwards with four straight shots, but no stall warning was given on the Panther. Brooks worked the center circle as the clock moved below the 1:00 mark. Brooks continued to shoot as the clock hit the :30 mark. Brooks finished the bout in neutral and posted the hard-fought 3-2 win.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 3 at 197, met Noah Glaser. Dean scored quickly, taking Glaser down for a 2-0 lead just seconds into the bout. He spent a minute looking for a chance to turn the Panther for back points. With 1:32 in riding time, he rolled Glaser for a four-point turn and led 6-0 at the 1:10 mark. Dean finished the period on top and led 6-0 with 2:48 in riding time after one. Dean chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 7-0 lead. Dean added another takedown and cut Glaser loose to lead 9-1. He added another takedown, then countered for another, and led 13-3 at the :30 mark. Dean finished the period with another takedown and led 15-3 with over 3:00 in time after two. Glaser chose down to start the third period and Dean quickly turned him for four points and finished off a 19-3 tech fall at the 5:21 mark.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, faced Tyrell Gordon. Kerkvliet fought off an early Gordon shot, settled in on offense, and took a 2-0 lead at the 2:00 mark with a takedown. He worked his way to a cradle and turned Gordon for four back points and a 6-0 lead with :25 on the clock. Kerkvliet finished the period on top and led 6-0 after one with 2:00 in riding time. Kerkvliet chose down to start the second period and quickly rolled to an escaped and a 7-0 lead. Kerkvliet stepped back from a Gordon shot, lifted the Panther's leg up and notched another takedown on the edge of the mat with 0:47 left in the period. Kerkvliet finished the period on top and led 9-0 with 2:34 in riding time after two periods. Gordon chose down to start the third period and Kerkvliet dominated the action on top. He clinched his riding time point before Gordon escaped to a 9-1 score at the :48 mark. Kerkvliet added one more takedown and 4:04 in riding time to post the 12-1 major decision.



#2 PENN STATE 21, #9 CORNELL 16 Monday, Dec. 20, 2021 -- Niceville, Fla.

125: #5 Vito Arujau COR pinned Jake Campbell PSU, WBF (0:58)	0-6
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU maj. dec. Dominic LaJoie COR, 21-9	4-6
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU maj. dec. Cole Handlovic COR, 13-3	8-6
149: #1 Gianni Diakomihalis COR maj. dec. #22 Beau Bartlett PSU, 11-3	8-10
157: #25 Colton Yapoujian COR dec. Joe Lee PSU, 4-2	8-13
165: #9 Julian Ramirez COR dec. #26 Creighton Edsell PSU, 7-5	8-16
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU dec. #12 Chris Foca COR, 3-2	11-16
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU maj. dec. #16 Jonathan Loew COR, 15-3	15-16
197: #3 Max Dean PSU dec. #19 Jacob Cardenas COR, 4-2	18-16
285: #4 Greg Kerkvliet PSU dec. #18 Lewis Fernandes COR, 5-0	21-16

Extra bouts (official NCAA contests, do not count in dual score):

125: Sheldon Seymour LEH maj. dec. Baylor Shunk PSU, 14-2
184: Donovan Ball PSU dec. Caden Wright LEH, 11-4

The Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team (7-0, 0-0 B1G), ranked No. 2 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), won the final four bouts against No. 9 Cornell (2-1) in the second dual meet for the team at the Collegiate Wrestling Duals in Niceville, Fla., to rally for a win. Penn State's late surge helped Penn State notch a hard-fought 21-16 win over the Big Red at the event held at Northwestern Florida State College and hosted by Journeyman Wrestling.

The dual began at 125 where senior Jake Campbell (Pottstown, Pa.) took on No. 5 Vito Arujau. Arujau notched a fast fall at the :58 mark to give Cornell an early 6-0 lead. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, posted a strong 21-9 major over Dominic LaJoie to cut the Cornell lead to 6-4. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, then dominated Cole Handlovic 13-3 for another major and an 8-6 Penn State lead.

Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 22 at 149, battled No. 1 Gianni Diakomihalis but dropped an 11-3 major as Cornell retook the lead, 10-8. Sophomore Joe Lee (Evansville, Ind.) made his season debut at 157 against No. 25 Colton Yapoujian but dropped a hard-fought 4-2 decision. The result gave Cornell a 13-8 lead at the dual's midway point.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 26 at 165, took No. 9 Julian Ramirez to the wire before dropping a close 7-5 decision and Cornell led 16-8 with four bouts left. Penn State began its comeback. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, used a third period rideout to post a 3-2 win on riding time over No. 12 Chris Foca. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, majored No. 15 Jonathan Loew, posting a 15-3 major with 2:49 in riding time as well to cut the Cornell lead to 16-15.

Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 3 at 197, then gave Penn State the lead once more picking up a 4-2 win over No. 19 Jacob Cardenas on a third period takedown. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, then clinched the dual meet with a 5-0 win over No. 18 Lewis Fernandes and the Nittany Lions got the 21-16 dual victory.

Penn State owned a 23-10 margin in takedowns. The Nittany Lions won six of ten bouts and picked up three bonus points off three majors (Bravo-Young, Lee, Brooks).

Two extra matches were contested after completion of the dual meet. While the bouts do not count towards the dual's score, they are official NCAA matches. Baylor Shunk dropped a 14-2 major to Lehigh's Sheldon Seymour at 125 and Donovan Ball posted a strong 11-4 win over Lehigh's Caden Wright at 184.

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Senior Jake Campbell (Pottstown, Pa.) got the call at 125 and battled #5 Vito Arujau. Arujau ended the match quickly, taking Campbell down and then turning him to his back. After a brief reset, Arujau picked up the fall at the 0:58 mark.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, took on Dominic LaJoie. Bravo-Young took LaJoie down quickly to open up an early 2-1 lead. He added a second takedown quickly, cut LaJoie loose, and continued to press on offense. Bravo-Young finished the first period with a third takedown and led 6-2 after one. LaJoie chose down to start the second period and Bravo-Young cut him loose. The Lion added a fourth takedown and cut to lead 8-4 with 1:40 left in the middle stanza. Bravo-Young added two more takedowns in the second to lead 12-5 after two. He chose neutral to start the third, added two more takedowns and led 16-6 with 1:20 on the clock. Another cut and the Lion went back to work on offense. Bravo-Young tallied four takedowns in the fourth period and, with riding time, posted the 21-9 major decision.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, wrestled Cole Handlovic. Lee opened up an early 2-0 lead with a takedown at the 2:10 mark. He cut Handlovic loose and worked for a second takedown, picking it up at the :30 mark to open up a 4-1 lead. Lee finished the period on top and carried the 4-1 lead with 1:09 in riding time into the second stanza. Handlovic chose down to start the second period. Lee controlled the action on top while building up over 2:00 in riding time. Handlovic could not get to his feet as Lee maintained offensive position and picked up a stall point to lead 5-1 with :40 on the clock. Lee rode Handlovic for the whole period and led 5-1 with clinched riding time (3:09) after two. Lee chose down to start the third and quickly reversed him. He cut the Big Red wrestler loose and picked up another takedown. Lee cut Handlovic loose with 1:00 on the clock. He picked up another stall point, a takedown and 3:13 in riding time to roll to the 13-3 major.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 22 at 149, faced No. 1 Gianni Diakomihalis. Diakomihalis notched the first takedown to open up a 2-1 lead with 2:20 on the clock in the opening period. The duo battled evenly for the next minute, with Bartlett fighting off a Cornell shot but picking up a stall warning with :40 on the clock. Diakomihalis added a second takedown as the period ended and led 4-1 after one. Diakomihalis chose down to start the second period and rolled out to an escape and a 5-1 lead. Bartlett fought off a Cornell shot at the 1:10 mark, nearly turning it into a counter takedown, but action moved out of bounds and the young Lion trailed 5-1. Bartlett continued to work the middle of the mat, gave up a stall point and then a takedown to trail 8-1 after two. Bartlett chose down to start the third

period and worked his way to an escape and an 8-2 score with 1:40 on the clock. Bartlett shot low on Diakomihalis on the reset, but the Big Red wrestler was able to step aside the effort and maintain his 8-2 lead. Diakomihalis used a strong double leg off a reset to open up a 10-3 lead with 1:00 on the clock. Bartlett fought off a late Diakomihalis shot as the bout ended, but Cornell picked up a riding time point and Bartlett dropped an 11-3 major to the top-ranked wrestler.

157: Sophomore Joe Lee (Evansville, Ind.) made his season debut at 157 and met No. 25 Colton Yapoujian. Lee picked up a quick takedown and opened up an early 2-1 lead after a fast Yapoujian escape. The duo battled through a scramble on the edge of the mat as the clock hit the 1:00 mark and a reset sent action back to the middle of the mat with Lee still holding a 2-1 edge. Lee carried that one-point lead into the second period. Yapoujian chose down to start the second period and worked his way to an escape and a 2-2 tie with 1:32 on the clock. Yapoujian took a 4-2 lead with a takedown at the 1:00 mark. The Nittany Lion sophomore could not work his way free of a strong Cornell ride and Yapoujian led 4-2 after two. Lee chose neutral to start the third period. The Lion steadily shot against the Big Red grappler and, with 1:25 on the clock, worked to counter a low Cornell effort but Yapoujian was able to fight off the move as the clock moved down to the 1:00 mark. Lee worked to break through the Cornell defense, but Yapoujian was able to glide back from every shot that Lee took, and the Lion sophomore dropped a 4-2 decision.

166: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 26 at 165, faced off against No. 9 Julian Ramirez. Ramirez took an early 2-1 lead with a takedown in the opening minute and then added a second takedown with 1:30 on the clock to lead 4-2. Edsell nearly tied the bout with a takedown on the edge of the mat, but Ramirez was able to slip out of bounds and force a reset with 1:12 on the clock. Edsell took another high shot, but Ramirez defended the shot and kept his 4-2 lead as the clock moved to the :20 mark. Ramirez chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-2 lead. Edsell picked up the tempo and took a low shot that Ramirez countered, forcing a scramble in the center circle at the :30 mark. Edsell fought off the effort and trailed 5-2 after two. Edsell chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 5-3 score, but Ramirez had riding time. Edsell took the Big Red grappler down to tie the bout, but Ramirez was able to escape to a 6-5 lead. With 1:12 in time, Ramirez posed the 7-5 win over Edsell with 1:12 in riding time.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, took on No. 12 Chris Foca. Starocci fought off an early Foca effort, forcing a scramble with a low single. Foca fought off the move briefly and then finished off a counter takedown to open up a 2-0 lead at the :45 mark. Starocci quickly escaped to cut the lead to 2-1 with :35 left in the opening period. Trailing by one, Starocci chose down to start the second period. He quickly escaped to a 2-2 tie and went to work on offense. Foca was able to defend each Starocci effort and keep the bout tied as the clock moved to the 1:00 mark. Tied 2-2, Foca chose down to start the third period. Starocci controlled the action from the top position and worked to break Foca down on offense. Starocci worked his riding time edge up over 1:00 with a strong ride and continued to control the action from the top position as the clock moved under the :25 mark. Starocci maintained control still, after a reset with :23 left and finished the bout off with a third period rideout and, with 1:38 in riding time, posted the 3-2 win.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, met No. 15 Jonathan Loew. Brooks wasted no time in opening up a big lead. Brooks came out and took Loew down, throwing him to his back for another four back points and led 6-0 before the clock hit the 2:40 mark. Brooks cut Loew loose and added a second takedown in the final seconds to lead 8-1 after the opening period. Loew chose down to start the second period and escaped to an 8-2 score. Brooks quickly took Loew down for a 10-3 lead after cutting the Big Red grappler loose. Brooks picked up another takedown as the period ended and led 12-3 with 2:14 in riding time after two periods. Brooks chose neutral to start the third period. Loew called for injury time at the 1:23 mark and Brooks took neutral on the reset. The Lion junior continued to shoot, forcing Loew to back away throughout the third period. Brooks took a 14-3 lead with :30 left and had his riding time point clinched. He finished the bout on top and rolled to the 15-3 major with 2:49 in riding time.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 3 at 197, battled No. 19 Jacob Cardenas. Dean fought off an early Cardenas single to keep the bout scoreless as the first period got underway. The Lion junior worked the middle of the mat for the next two minutes, looking for an opening on offense. Dean battled the Big Red wrestler through a scoreless first period and chose down to start the second period. Dean quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead to open up the middle stanza. Cardenas notched a takedown at the 1:15 mark and Dean escaped to a 2-2 tie with 1:10 left in the middle period. The second period ended in a 2-2 tie. Cardenas chose neutral to start the third period. The duo battled in neutral to the 1:00 mark. Dean countered a Cardenas shot and worked his way into a takedown with :50 on the clock to take a 4-2 lead. Action moved out of bounds and forced a reset with :30. Dean was able to control the Big Red wrestler for the remainder of the bout and walked away with a strong 4-2 win.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, took on No. 18 Lewis Fernandes. The duo battled evenly for the opening minute-plus with neither wrestler threatening early. As the clock moved below the 1:00 mark, Kerkvliet roared through a strong double leg to open up a 2-0 lead with :15 on the clock. He finished the period on top and led 2-0 after one. Kerkvliet chose down to start the second period and rolled through a reversal and a 4-0 lead. Kerkvliet then built up over a minute in riding time with a strong ride and ended the period on top to lead 4-0 with 1:45 in time after two periods. Fernandes chose neutral to start the third period. Kerkvliet worked the center circle but was not able to close in through the Cornell defense as the clock moved to the :30 mark. The Nittany Lion sophomore finished the bout on his feet and, with 1:45 in time, rolled to the 5-0 win.

#2 PENN STATE 29, #3 ARIZONA STATE 10 Tuesday, Dec. 21, 2021 -- Niceville, Fla.

125: #3 Brandon Courtney ASU maj. dec. Jake Campbell PSU, 18-7	0-4
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU dec. #14 Michael McGee ASU, 6-2	3-4
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU maj. dec. #15 Jesse Vasquez ASU, 14-3	7-4
149: #22 Beau Bartlett PSU dec. #5 Kyle Parco ASU, 3-1 (SV)	10-4
157: #3 Jacori Teemer ASU dec. Tony Negron PSU, 8-3	10-7
165: #6 Anthony Valencia ASU dec. #26 Creighton Edsell PSU, 10-5	10-10
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU tech fall Zane Coleman ASU, 17-2 (TF; 4:50)	15-10
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU pinned Josh Nummer ASU, WBF (1:48)	21-10
197: #3 Max Dean PSU maj. dec. #8 Kordell Norfleet ASU, 10-1	25-10
285: #4 Greg Kerkvliet PSU maj. dec. Chad Porter ASU, 9-0	29-10

The Penn State Nittany Lion wrestling team (8-0, 0-0 B1G), ranked No. 2 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), hammered No. 3 Arizona State (3-1) in the Blue Pool title match-up at the Collegiate Wrestling Duals in Niceville, Fla. Penn State won seven of ten bouts and posted a dominating 29-10 win over the third-ranked Sun Devils at the event held at Northwestern Florida State College and hosted by Journeyman Wrestling.

The dual began at 125 where senior Jake Campbell (Pottstown, Pa.) battled No. 3 Brandon Courtney tough before dropping an 18-7 major decision. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, then controlled the action against No. 14 Michael McGee, rolling to a 6-2 win to cut the Sun Devil lead to 4-3. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, then put Penn State on top with a dominating win over No. 15 Jesse Vasquez. Lee tallied five takedowns and rolled to a 14-3 major with 3:10 in riding time to give the Lions a 7-4 lead.

Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 22 at 149, then notched a dazzling win over No. 5 Kyle Parco. After battling the fifth-ranked Sun Devil evenly for seven minutes, with each wrestler notching an escape, the bout moved to extra time tied 1-1. With less than a minute left, Bartlett stepped away from a Parco shot, locked him up and used a throw for a winning takedown to post the 3-1 (sv) win. His victory put Penn State up 10-4. Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) got the nod at 157 for Penn State and battled No. 3 Jacori Teemer tough before dropping an 8-3 decision. The ASU cut Penn State's lead to 10-7 at the dual's midway point.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 26 at 165, lost a hard-fought 10-5 decision to No. 6 Anthony Valencia and the dual meet was tied 10-10 after six bouts. Penn State did not look back. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, posted a lopsided 17-2 technical fall over Zen Coleman, getting the tech at the 4:50 mark to give the Lions a 15-10 lead. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, then pinned Josh Nummer in the first period, rolling out to a 10-0 lead before getting the fall at the 1:48 mark to put Penn State up 21-10.

Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 3 at 197, was dominating as well. He controlled No. 8 Kordell Norfleet in a 110-1 major decision, getting three takedowns and forcing three stalls while rolling up 4:00 in riding time. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, closed out the dual with an impressive 9-0 major over ASU's Chad Porter, rolling up 4:24 in riding time in the process.

Penn State rolled out to a 22-13 edge in takedowns over the third-ranked Sun Devils. In winning seven of ten bouts, Penn State tallied eight bonus points off a pin (Brooks), a tech fall (Starocci) and three majors (Lee, Dean, Kerkvliet).

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Senior Jake Campbell (Pottstown, Pa.) met No. 3 Brandon Courtney at 125. Courtney scored quickly, taking a 2-1 lead off the opening whistle. He added a quick second takedown and then locked up a cradle. Campbell was able to roll through the move and escaped to a 4-2 score. Courtney went on to add three more takedowns and led 10-5 after one. Courtney chose down to start the second period and quickly reversed Campbell to a 12-5 lead. Campbell escaped to cut the lead to 12-6. After Campbell was called for stalling, Courtney notched another takedown to up his lead to 14-6 with over 2:00 in riding time after two periods. Campbell chose down to start the third period. He escaped to a 14-7 score, but Courtney had the riding time point clinched. Campbell got in on a high single, but the Sun Devil was able to force a stalemate with 1:00 on the clock. Campbell gave up a stall point at the :25 mark and Courtney added another takedown and a riding time point to post an 18-7 major.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, took on No. 14 Michael McGee. The duo battled through a scoreless first minute before Bravo-Young connected on a low single and then scrambled his way into a near takedown. But the action moved out of bounds and the bout continued in neutral scoreless. Bravo-Young continued to press the action and rolled through a low shot for the bout's first takedown and a 2-0 lead at the :55 mark. Bravo-Young finished the period on top and led 2-0 with nearly 1:00 in time after one. McGee chose down to start the second period and Bravo-Young controlled the action from the top position. The Lion senior worked his riding time edge up to 1:47 before escaped to a 2-1 score. Bravo-Young fought off a fast McGee shot at the :45 mark to hold his one-point lead and the second period ended with the Lion leading by one with 1:47 in time. Bravo-Young chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead while maintaining a 1:30 time edge. Bravo-Young had two low shots just miss as the third period hit the 1:00 mark and then worked his way into a scramble with a high double. But the action was stopped on a stalemate at the :47 mark. With the riding time point clinched, Bravo-Young finished off the match with a low shot and a final takedown and posted the strong 6-2 win.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, wrestled No. 15 Jesse Vasquez. Lee began the match by nearly tossing the Sun Devil to his back for a quick fall. Vasquez rolled through the action and Lee settled for an opening takedown and a 2-0 lead with 2:20 on the clock. Lee went to work on top, using an arm bar to try and turn the Devil to his back but Vasquez wriggled out of the Lion's control and escaped to a 2-1 score. Lee quickly took Vasquez down one more time to up his lead to 4-1. He finished the period on top to carry that lead, and 1:49 in riding time, into the second period. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. He added a third takedown and forced a first stall warning, all before the 1:00 mark in the second stanza. Vasquez escaped after a reset and Lee quickly added another takedown to move out to a 9-2 lead with 2:54 in time after two periods. Vasquez chose neutral to start the third period, Lee picked up a stall point and then took him down again. Lee added another stall point to lead 13-3 with clinched time at the :45 mark. Lee shot nearly 10 times in the final minute, did not get another stall point, and settled for the 14-3 major with 3:10 in riding time.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 22 at 149, faced No. 5 Kyle Parco. The duo battled evenly for the first minute. Bartlett fought off two early Parco shots and then nearly connected on a low single of his own at the 2:00 mark. But Parco stepped back from the effort and the bout continued in neutral. Parco got in on a single leg, but Bartlett countered the move and forced a scramble in the middle of the mat. Bartlett nearly finished off the counter takedown, but a stalemate was called at the :27 mark with the bout still scoreless. An action packed first period ended in a 0-0 tie. Bartlett chose down to start the second period. Parco was able to control the action for :39 before Bartlett scrambled to an escape and a 1-0 lead. Bartlett and Parco battled evenly for the next minute-plus with Bartlett getting hit for one stall warning to wind out the period. Trailing 1-0, Parco chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 1-1 tie. The duo worked the center of the mat as the clock hit the 1:00 mark. Parco took a slight shot and Bartlett nearly connected on another counter. But the action remained in neutral. Bartlett almost slid through a duck-under at the :40 mark but once again Parco was able to escape the move and keep the bout tied. Bartlett almost scored as regulation ended but the bout moved into a two-minute sudden victory period. Bartlett worked the middle of the mat as the clock moved to the 1:00 mark. Bartlett countered a Parco shot, worked his way into control of Parco's shoulders and tossed the Devil to the mat for a takedown and a thrilling 3-1 (sv) win at the :37 mark of the extra period.

157: Junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) got the nod at 157 and met No. 3 Jacori Teemer. Teemer scored first, taking Negron down early for a 2-0 lead. The Lion junior worked his way to an escape and a 2-1 score after just :26 and action resumed in neutral. Teemer worked his way into a high single, but Negron was able to slide his leg back and force a stalemate with 1:10 on the clock to keep the score at 2-1. Negron nearly took the lead with a takedown as the opening period ended but time ran out and the Lion trailed by one after one. Negron chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-2 tie. The duo battled evenly for the next minute-plus with action saddled in the center circle. Teemer was able to slide through a low shot to take a 4-2 lead at the :40 mark with another takedown. Negron escaped to a 4-3 score with :25 on the clock and trailed by one heading into the third period. Teemer chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-3 lead. With riding time not, a factor at this point, Negron worked the center circle, looking for a tying takedown. The Lion junior connected on a high single at the 1:10 mark but Teemer was able to counter the effort and force a scramble with :55 on the clock. Action moved out of bounds and a reset was called with :50 on the clock. Negron took a final shot, but Teemer countered and took the Lion down as the bout ended. With a riding time point, Teemer was able to post the hard-fought 8-3 win over Negron.

166: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 26 at 165, faced off against No. 6 Anthony Valencia. The duo battled through an even minute-plus with neither wrestler threatening as the clock hit the 1:40 mark. Valencia forced a scramble that Edsell countered working his way into control of Valencia's right leg as the clock hit 1:10. Edsell worked for a takedown on the edge of the mat. He worked to put Valencia back on to the mat, but the Sun Devil was able to escape out of bounds and action resumed in neutral at the :25 mark. Valencia hit a big double leg as the first period ended to take a 2-0 lead after one. Edsell chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-1 score. Edsell and Valencia worked the center circle in neutral, but Valencia was able to take the Lion down and then turn him to his back for four back points, opening up an 8-1 lead. Edsell escaped to an 8-2 score that carried into the third period. Valencia chose neutral to start the third period. Edsell and Valencia battled for the next minute in neutral until Valencia worked a low double into a takedown and a 10-2 lead with :45 on the clock. Edsell quickly escaped to a 10-3 score with :32 left in the period. Edsell was able to fight off a late ASU shot and finished the period with a takedown to cut Valencia's final margin to 10-5.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, took on Zane Coleman. Starocci scored first, countering a Coleman shot for his own takedown and a 2-0 lead with 2:12 on the clock. The Nittany Lion sophomore then went to work on top. He worked to roll Coleman over and the Sun Devil was able to roll through the move without giving up any back points. With over 1:00 in riding time, Starocci continue to work on top. He picked up what ended up being two one-counts from the official and did not pick up any back points. He finished the period on top and led 2-0 with 2:12 in time after one. Starocci chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. Starocci took a 5-1 lead with a takedown and cut as the clock hit 1:20. The Lion sophomore then blew through a high double leg and led 7-2. He quickly took him down again and then added four back points to up his lead to 13-2. Starocci then finished off the match with another turn, finishing off the 17-2 tech fall at the 4:50 mark.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, met Josh Nummer. Brooks took a quick 2-1 lead with a fast takedown. He added another takedown and nearly pinned Nummer, setting for a four-point turn and an 8-2 lead at the 1:50 mark. Brooks quickly took Nummer down once more and opened up a 10-2 lead at the midway point of the first period. Brooks worked his riding time up over the 1:00 mark and then locked up a cradle and ended the bout with a pin at the 1:48 mark.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 3 at 197, battled No. 8 Kordell Norfleet. Deans side-stepped a series of quick Norfleet shots to open the bout. He steadied his position and began to pressure Norfleet out of bounds, forcing a stall warning with 2:12 on the clock. Norfleet got in on a low single, but Dean was able to stop the move and forced a stalemate with 1:57 left in the opening period. Norfleet took another low shot and forced a scramble on the outside circle, but Dean countered the effort and finished off the counter takedown at the 1:00 mark, opening up a 2-0 lead. Dean then controlled Norfleet for the rest of the period and finished on top to lead by two with 1:02 in time after one. Norfleet chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 2-1 Dean lead. Dean continued to force the Sun Devil backwards and then dipped behind Norfleet for another takedown and a 4-1 lead with 1:45 on the clock. Dean built up over 2:00 in time while looking to turn Norfleet as the second period clock hit the :30 mark. He picked up a stall point and led 5-1. Dean almost picked up two back points as the period ended but Norfleet was able to roll through and Dean led 5-1 with 2:35 in time after two. Dean chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 6-1 lead. Dean turned a low shot into a third takedown and an 8-1 lead with a clinched riding time point. Dean worked the top position and picked up another stall point. He finished the period on top and, with a whopping 4:00 in riding time, posted the dominating 10-1 major decision.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, took on Chad Porter. The wrestlers banged heads just seconds into the match, drawing blood from both grapplers. Kerkvliet went into concussion protocol and Porter got his head wrapped while that happened. After a lengthy blood break, Kerkvliet took a 2-0 lead with a takedown at the 2:10 mark and finished the period on top. Porter chose neutral to start the second period. Kerkvliet used a fast low double to open up a 4-0 lead with another takedown at the :55 mark. The Nittany Lion sophomore controlled the action from the top position as the clock hit 0:00 and led 4-0 with a clinched time point (3:11) after two. Kerkvliet chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-0 lead. He forced a stall warning and then took Porter down for a 7-0 lead. Kerkvliet broke Porter down, picked up a stall point, and another point off 4:24 in riding time to roll to a 9-0 major.



#1 PENN STATE 46, MARYLAND 0 Friday, Jan. 7, 2022 -- College Park, Md.

125: Drew Hildebrandt PSU pinned Zach Spence MD, WBF (1:38)	6-0
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU tech fall King Sandoval MD, 16-1 (TF; 3:26)	11-0
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU tech fall Danny Bertoni MD, 18-1 (TF; 4:14)	16-0
149: #20 Beau Bartlett PSU pinned Michael North MD, WBF (4:48)	22-0
157: Tony Negron PSU maj. dec. Lucas Cordio MD, 11-2	26-0
165: #24 Creighton Edsell PSU dec. Gaven Bell MD, 7-1	29-0
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU dec. Dominic Solis MD, 8-3	32-0
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU maj. dec. #12 Kyle Cochran MD, 19-7	36-0
197: #2 Max Dean PSU tech fall Kevin Makosy MD, 20-5 (TF; 7:00)	41-0
285: #4 Greg Kerkvliet PSU tech fall #26 Zach Schrader MD, 18-3 (TF; 4:42)	46-0

Extra bouts (official NCAA contests, do not count in dual score):
157: Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) dec. Conner Decker MD, 6-0
Attendance: 2,272

The Penn State Nittany Lions (9-0, 1-0 B1G), ranked No. 1 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), opened Big Ten action with a dominating 46-0 shutout win at Maryland (3-3, 0-1 B1G) on Friday. The lopsided victory is Penn State's second-straight shutout win over the Terrapins and keeps the Nittany Lions unbeaten on the year at 9-0. The dual featured two Penn Staters getting their first wins as Nittany Lions, including All-American transfer Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.) at 125 and junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.J.) at 157.

Hildebrandt made his Penn State Nittany Lion debut at 125 and did it in style by pinning Zach Spence at the 1:38 mark in the first period. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, followed that up with a dominating 16-1 technical fall over Maryland's King Sandoval, ending the match at the 3:26 mark to give the Nittany Lions an 11-0 lead. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, picked up Penn State's second straight tech fall, controlling Danny Bertoni throughout on his way to an 18-1 tech at the 4:14 mark. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 20 at 149, notched Penn State's second pin of the dual, getting the fall over Michael North at the 4:48 mark in the second period. Negron picked up his first win as a Nittany Lion, rolling to an 11-2 major over Lucas Cordio at 157. Negron's win gave Penn State a 26-0 lead at the dual's midway point.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 24 at 165, kept Penn State rolling to start the second half, posting a 7-1 win over Gaven Bell with a whopping 5:07 in riding time. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, followed that up with an 8-3 win over Maryland's Dominic Solis to give Penn State a 32-0 lead. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, dominated No. 12 Kyle Cochran, notching a 19-7 major decision with 3:27 in riding time. Penn State finished off the dual with two technical falls. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, rolled to a 20-5 tech over Kevin Makosy with riding time at the 7:00 mark. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, then controlled No. 26 Zach Schrader on his way to an 18-3 tech fall at the 4:42 mark. Kerkvliet's tech fall finished off Penn State's 46-0 shutout win.

Penn State had a 34-3 edge in takedowns and all but two of the bouts were for bonus points. The Loins picked up 14 bonus points off two pins (Hildebrandt, Bartlett), four technical falls (Bravo-Young, Lee, Dean, Kerkvliet) and two majors (Negron, Brooks). The shutout win is the second straight for Penn State over Maryland, having shut the Terps out 46-0 last year in Rec Hall on Feb. 22, 2021. One extra bout was contested as well. Extra bouts do not count towards the dual meet's score but are official NCAA results for the individuals. Penn State sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) posted a 6-0 decision over Maryland's Conner Decker.

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Nittany Lion Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.) made his Penn State debut at 125 and took on Maryland's Zach Spence. Hildebrandt scored quickly for Penn State, taking Spence down for an early 2-0 lead. He worked Spence down to the mat and began to build up a riding time edge. Hildebrandt turned Spence to his back for four near fall points and a 6-0 lead. He then used a half nelson, turned Spence one more time and picked up the first period pin at the 1:38 mark.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, faced off against King Sandoval. Sandoval got in on an early single leg that Bravo-Young worked his way out of. He then moved in on a high shot, took Sandoval down for a takedown and a 2-0 lead at the 2:10 mark. Bravo-Young then turned Sandoval for four back points and a 6-0 lead at the 1:40 mark. The Lion senior reset himself, turned Sandoval once again for four and led 10-0 at the :58 mark in the first. Bravo-Young turned Sandoval a third time and upped his lead to 14-0 with :15 left in the period. Sandoval chose down to start the second period and Bravo-Young allowed him up to start the period. Sandoval once again connected on a high single. Bravo-Young moved out of his grasp and ended the bout with a takedown for a 16-1 tech fall at the 3:26 mark.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, met Maryland's Danny Bertoni. Lee countered an early Bertoni shot, took him down and turned him to his back for a near fall to lead 6-0 right out of the gates. Lee reset himself, turned Bertoni for four more back points and led 10-0 at the 2:00 mark. Lee cut Bertoni loose and went back to work on offense in the middle of the mat. Lee drove through a shot to up his lead to 12-1 at the :40 mark. He finished the period on top and carried the 12-1 lead into the second period. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly reversed Bertoni to up his lead to 14-1. Lee ended the bout with a final four-point turn at the 4:14 mark, posting the 18-1 technical fall.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 20 at 149, battled Michael North. North took the first shot of the bout early but Bartlett countered and finished off his own takedown to take a 2-0 lead just :30 into the bout. North escaped to cut the lead to 2-1 and took a brief lead with a takedown of his own. But Bartlett quickly reversed North to take a 4-3 lead the :45 mark of the opening stanza. Bartlett chose down to start the second period and quickly worked his way to his feet for an escape and a 5-3 lead. North used a low double to take Bartlett down for a 5-5 tie before Bartlett escaped to a 6-5 edge with 1:10 on the clock. Bartlett worked his way into control of North's shoulders, worked him to the mat and to his back, and finished off the match with a fall at the 4:48 mark.

157: Junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) took on Terrapin Lucas Cordio. Negron worked the middle of the mat but had his first shot defended. Cordio then used a strong double leg to take Negron down to open up a 2-1 lead after a quick Negron escape. Negron used a slick low ankle pick to take Cordio down for a 3-2 lead at the 1:00 mark. He then turned Cordio to his back for four near fall points and a 7-2 lead as the period ended. Cordio chose down to start the second period. Negron worked his riding time edge up over 1:00 with a strong ride and looked to turn the Terrapin for back points once more. Negron's riding time point moved over 2:00 as the second period clock ticked below 1:00. The Nittany Lion junior finished the period on top and led 7-2 with 2:44 in time. Negron chose down to start the third period. Cordio was able to control the action for :50 before Negron escaped to an 8-2 lead. Negron immediately got in on a low single, forcing a scramble in the middle of the mat that ended with a Negron takedown and a 10-2 lead with :28, with a riding time point clinched. Negron posted the 11-2 major decision with 2:24 in riding time for his first win as a Nittany Lion.

165: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 24 at 165, faced Gaven Bell. Edsell struck first, using a low shot and follow through for the opening takedown at the 2:28 mark of the opening stanza. Edsell went to work on top, looking for a turning combination. The Lion junior controlled the action on offense for two minutes-plus while. Edsell settled for a strong rideout and led 2-0 with 2:28 in time after the first period. Edsell chose down to start the second period and Edsell quickly worked a reversal for a 4-0 lead less than :15 into the period. Edsell cut Bell loose and quickly worked his way into a high single leg. Bell was able to force a scramble, but Edsell steadily worked his way into control and a takedown to lead 6-1 with :20 on the clock. Edsell carried a 6-1 lead with clinched time into the third period. Bell chose down to start the third period. Edsell spent the first minute working to turn Bell, but the Terrapin was able to fight off each effort. Edsell finished the period on top and posted the 7-1 win with a whopping 5:07 in riding time.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, met Dominic Solis. Starocci engaged quickly and forced a scramble that lasted nearly 1:00 and ended with a Starocci takedown and a 2-1 lead after cutting Solis loose. Starocci continued to press on offense, forcing Solis to the outside circle. With action returned to the center of the mat, Starocci forced a first stall warning as Solis backed out of bounds yet again. Starocci took the Terrapin down a second time to open up a 4-1 lead. Starocci finished the period on top and led 4-1 with :53 in time after one. Starocci chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. Starocci took a high shot, turned in on Solis and settled in for another takedown to lead 7-1 with :35 on the clock. Solis scrambled his way to an escape with :18 on the clock and Starocci led 7-2 with 1:02 in riding time after two. Solis chose down to start the third period. Starocci built his time edge up to 1:22 before Solis escaped to a 7-3 score. Starocci turned a low single into a scramble that ended in a stalemate with :20 on the clock. Starocci settled for an 8-3 win with 1:22 in riding time.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, battled No. 12 Kyle Cochran. Brooks scored quickly, taking Cochran down for an early 2-1 lead. Brooks stayed on attack. The Lion used a head outside single for a second takedown and a 4-2 lead with 1:30 on the clock. Brooks picked up a third takedown with 1:08 to wrestle and went to work on top with a 6-2 lead. Brooks finished the period on top and led 6-2 with 1:27 in time after the opening stanza. Brooks chose neutral to start the second period. Brooks used a high single to notch a fourth takedown and an 8-2 lead with 1:23 on the clock. Cochran escaped but Brooks quickly took him down once more to lead 10-3 with :55 left in the period. Brooks finished the period on top and led 10-3 with 2:38 in time after two periods. Cochran chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 10-4 score. Brooks' relentless pressure through a low double led to another takedown and a 12-5 lead. Brooks took a 14-5 lead with a seventh takedown and cut Cochran loose once more. Brooks added an eighth takedown and led 16-6. Brooks cut Cochran loose at the :50 mark and took Cochran down again for an 18-7 lead with :20 on the clock. Brooks finished on top and, with 3:27 in time, rolled to the 19-7 major.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, took on Kevin Makosy. Dean fought off an early Makosy shot, forcing a scramble in the center of the mat. Dean finished off the counter takedown and led 2-1 at the 2:10 mark. Dean added a second takedown with 1:15 on the clock and led 4-2 after cutting Makosy loose. The Nittany Lion junior picked up a quick third takedown and led 6-2. He worked a bow and arrow into a turning combination. Dean picked up the four near fall points and led 10-2 after one. Dean chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to an 11-2 lead. Dean continued to pile up the points with a fourth takedown at the 1:15 mark. He cut Makosy loose with :50 left in the period and quickly countered a slight Makosy shot for a fifth takedown and a 15-3 lead. He carried that lead into the third period and Makosy chose down to start the final stanza. Dean tried to tilt Makosy, but the Terrapin fought off the turn. Dean cut him loose and then took him down twice. With a rideout and 3:35 in riding time, Dean posted the 20-5 tech fall at the 7:00 mark.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, faced No. 26 Zach Schrader. Kerkvliet quickly took the Terrapin big man down for an early 2-1 lead. The Lion sophomore went back to work on offense after the Maryland escape and took him down once more. This time, Kerkvliet worked the Terrapin to his back for four near fall points to lead 8-1 at the 1:10 mark. Kerkvliet continued to work on top until he cut Schrader loose at the :55 mark. Kerkvliet skipped away from a Maryland shot for his own takedown and took Schrader down once more. He added four more back points and led 14-2 with 2:31 in riding time after the first period. Schrader chose down to start the second period and Kerkvliet tacked on a quick two point near fall. Kerkvliet cut Schrader loose at the :40 mark and finished off the bout with a final takedown to post the 18-3 technical fall at the 4:42 mark.

#1 PENN STATE 29, INDIANA 11

Sunday, Jan. 9, 2022 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: Drew Hildebrandt PSU dec. #25 Jacob Moran IND, 6-2	3-0
133: #19 Brock Hudkins IND tech fall Baylor Shunk PSU, 18-3 (TF; 5:30)	3-5
141: #26 Cayden Rooks dec. Brandon Meredith PSU, 9-4	3-8
149: #20 Beau Bartlett PSU dec. Graham Rooks IND, 6-4	6-8
157: Derek Gilcher IND dec. Tony Negron PSU, 4-1	6-11
165: #24 Creighton Edsell PSU maj. dec. Sammy Cokeley IND, 11-3	10-11
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU pinned Sean Grim IND, WBF (2:07)	16-11
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU maj. dec. #8 D.J. Washington IND, 13-4	20-11
197: #2 Max Dean PSU maj. dec. Nick Willham IND, 9-1	24-11
285: #4 Greg Kerkvliet PSU tech fall Jacob Bullock IND, 20-3 (TF; 4:59)	29-11

Attendance: 6,265 (58th-straight sellout in Rec Hall, 64th of 66 at home, inc. 6 of 8 in BJC)

The Penn State Nittany Lions (10-0, 2-0 B1G), ranked No. 1 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), rolled to a 29-11 win over visiting Indiana (2-2, 0-2 B1G) in sold out Rec Hall on Sunday. The victory was the second Big Ten dual win of the weekend for the Nittany Lions after Friday's shutout win at Maryland.

With a couple top-ranked defending NCAA Champions held out due to illness, Penn State rolled to the victory thanks to two key early wins and five straight bouts to close out the dual.

Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.) made his Rec Hall debut at 125, taking on No. 25 Jacob Moran. Hildebrandt made it two straight to start his Penn State career as he rolled to a 6-2 win over the ranked Hoosier. With No. 1 Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) not wrestling at 133, sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) moved up a weight and suffered an 18-3 technical fall loss (5:30) to No. 19 Brock Hudkins.

No. 1 Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) was also held out at 141 and junior Brandon Meredith (Limerick, Pa.) moved up a weight for Penn State. Meredith battled No. 26 Cayden Rooks tough but lost 9-4 as the Hoosiers took an 8-3 lead. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 20 at 149, got Penn State's second win with a 6-4 victory over Indiana's Graham Rooks. Junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) suffered a 4-1 loss to Derek Gilcher at 157 and the Hoosiers led 11-6 at halftime.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 24 at 165, notched the first of five second half wins for Penn State. Edsell rolled to an 11-3 major over Sammy Cokeley to cut the Hoosier lead to 11-10. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, then put Penn State up for good with a first period pin over Sean Grim at the 2:07 mark. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, dominated No. 8 D.J. Washington in the dual's marquee match-up, posting a 13-4 major decision with 3:31 in riding time.

Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, kept Penn State rolling with a 9-1 major over Nick Willham, using 1:13 in riding time for the bonus point. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, ended the dual with a dominating 20-3 technical fall over Jacob Bullock at the 4:59 mark in the second period. Kerkvliet's win made the final score 29-11 in Penn State's favor.

The Nittany Lions posted a 20-10 advantage in takedowns. The Nittany Lions won seven of ten bouts and picked up eight bonus points off a pin (Starocci), a tech fall (Kerkvliet) and three majors (Edsell, Brooks, Dean). Penn State outscored its two opponents this weekend 75-11, winning 17 of 20 bouts.

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: New Nittany Lion Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.) made his Penn State debut at 125 and met No. 25 Jacob Moran. The duo battled in neutral on the Nittany Lion logo over the first minute plus. Moran worked his way in on a high single at the 1:10 mark but Hildebrandt quickly forced a stalemate and the match resumed in neutral. Hildebrandt rolled through a low single, forcing a scramble that ended in a takedown and a 2-0 lead after one. Moran chose down to start the second period and quickly reversed Hildebrandt to briefly tie the score. But the Lion escaped to a 3-2 lead and went back to work on his feet. Hildebrandt finished the period on his feet with a one-point lead. He chose down to start the final period and quickly gained control of Moran's leg, finishing off a reversal at the 1:50 mark to open up a 5-2 lead. Hildebrandt maintained control of Moran long enough to build his riding time up over 1:00. He finished the period on top and, with 2:01 in riding time, posted the 6-2 win.

133: With No. 1 Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) held out, sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) moved up a weight to battle No. 19 Brock Hudkins. Hudkins drew first blood, forcing Shunk's head to the mat and moving behind the Lion for a takedown and an early 2-0 lead. Shunk nearly notched a defensive fall as he rolled his way to an escape, cutting the lead to 2-1 at the 1:50 mark. Hudkins turned a high single into another takedown and a 4-1 lead with 1:05 left in the period. Shunk worked his way to an escape to cut the lead to 4-2, but Hudkins added a third takedown and led 6-2 after one. Hudkins chose down to start the second period and reversed Shunk for an 8-2 lead. He turned the Lion to his back and added four back points for a 12-2 lead. Hudkins added a second turn and Shunk escaped to trail 16-3 after two periods. Shunk chose down to start the third period and got turned for two points, with Hudkins posting the 18-3 tech fall at the 5:30 mark.

141: With No. 1 Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) also held out, junior Brandon Meredith (Limerick, Pa.) moved up to take on No. 26 Cayden Rooks. Meredith came and out worked his way into control of Rooks' right ankle, forcing a scramble on the Lion log that ended with the Lion junior finishing off the takedown for a 2-1 lead with 1:50 on the clock. Rooks took a 3-2 lead with a low double with :40 left in the period. Meredith nearly reversed the Hoosier as the period ended but the clock hit 0:00 and Rooks led 3-2 after one. Rooks chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 4-2 lead. Rooks got in on a low single that he turned into a takedown and a 6-2 lead with :25 left in the middle period. Rooks finished on top and led 6-2 after two. Meredith chose down to start the third period and Rooks controlled him to get his riding time up over 1:00. Meredith escaped to a 6-3 score with 1:00 on the clock. He had a quick low shot defended by Rooks and then the Hoosier took an 8-4 lead with another takedown. Rooks added 1:51 in riding time and posted a 9-4 win.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 20 at 149, faced off against Graham Rooks. Bartlett set a fast pace. The duo battled evenly over the first minute-plus before Rooks forced a scramble with a low shot in the middle of the mat. Bartlett steadily turned the scramble into a takedown and a 2-0 lead with 1:20 left in the opening period. Bartlett cut Rooks loose and went back to work on offense as the clock hit 1:00. Bartlett led 2-1 after the opening period. Rooks chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 2-2 tie. Bartlett was unable to break through Rooks' defense during period until the final seconds, as the Lion sophomore scored with just :02 on the clock to lead 4-2 after two. Bartlett chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-2 lead. Bartlett fought off a Rooks double and forced a stalemate with :30 on the clock. Rooks tied the match with another takedown, but Bartlett was able to escape to a 6-4 lead and held on for the win.

157: Junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) battled Derek Gilcher. Negron fought off a quick Gilcher shot, working his way back to his feet and resetting the match on the Lion logo with 2:30 on the clock. The two wrestlers grappled through the next two minutes evenly, with each wrestler taking slight low shots that did not connect. With the bout scoreless after one, Gilcher quickly chose down to start the second period. He escaped after :11 and took a 1-0 lead. Negron tried to connect on a high single, but Gilcher was able to counter for the bout's first points, opening up a 3-0 lead with :50 on the clock. Gilcher finished the period on top and led 3-0 after two periods. Negron chose down to start the third period and Gilcher worked his riding time up over 1:00. Negron escaped to a 3-1 deficit with 1:25 on the clock and Gilcher had 1:31 in riding time. Negron worked his way into control of Gilcher's right ankle, but the Hoosier was able to skip away from the effort with :45 left. Gilcher fought off a final Negron shot and, with 1:31 in riding time, posted the 4-1 win.

165: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.), ranked No. 24 at 165, met senior Sammy Cokeley. Edsell blew through a high double at the 2:30 mark and finished off a takedown for an early 2-1 lead. Edsell set the pace offensively over the next minute, working to break through Cokeley's defense. The Nittany Lion junior turned a high single into takedown and a 4-1 lead with :45 left in the opening period. Edsell controlled the action from the top position as the clock moved below :30 and he finished the period on top to carry the 4-1 lead with 1:01 in time into the second period. Edsell chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. Cokeley locked Edsell's shoulders and action moved to the mat where Cokeley was awarded a takedown. After a reset, Edsell quickly escaped to a 6-3 lead with 1:10 on the clock. Edsell finished the period in neutral and led 6-3 after two. Cokeley took down to start the third period and Edsell broke the Hoosier down on the Lion logo. He turned Cokeley for four back points to lead 10-3 and moved his riding time point over 1:00. With the riding time point clinched, a stalemate was called with :24 on the clock. Edsell finished the period on top and, with 2:23 in riding time, rolled to the 11-3 major decision.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, took on Sean Grim. Starocci scored just seconds into the bout, taking Grim down for an early 2-0 lead. Starocci cut Grim loose and quickly took the Hoosier down again with a low double to open up a 4-2 lead. Starocci lifted Grim off the mat and returned him for a third takedown at the 1:445 mark to lead 6-2. He worked the Hoosier's shoulders to the mat and picked up the pin at the 2:07 mark in the first period.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, battled No. 8 D.J. Washington in the dual's marquee match-ups. Washington notched the bout's first takedown, opening up an early 2-0 lead. Brooks worked his way to his feet and escaped to a 2-1 score with 2:05 on the clock. Brooks then went to work in neutral, forcing Washington backwards for the next minute and then using an ankle pick to take a 3-2 lead with 1:15 remaining in the first period. Brooks finished the period on top and led 3-2 after one with :44 riding time. Brooks chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 4-2 lead. He then quickly took Washington down again to up his lead to 6-2. He cut Washington loose to a 6-3 score and quickly took him down again to open up an 8-3 lead with well over 1:00 in riding time. Brooks forced Washington into a stall warning and rode him out to lead 8-3 with 1:59 in time after two. Washington chose down to start the third period and Brooks picked up a stall point before cutting Washington loose to a 9-4 score. With the riding time point clinched, Brooks used another ankle pick for a takedown and an 11-4 lead. He picked up another stall point and then spent the next :30 trying to turn the Hoosier for back points. Brooks finished the period on top and, with 3:31 in riding time, rolled to the 13-4 major decision.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, met Nick Willham. The duo battled evenly for the first ninety seconds and Dean took a 2-0 lead with a takedown after a long scramble at the 1:10 mark. Dean then went to work on top, building up a sizeable riding time edge as he looked to turn Willham to his back. Dean forced Willham into a stall warning and finished the period on top to lead 2-0 with 1:13 in riding time after one. Dean chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. Dean turned a low shot into another scramble but potentially dangerous halted the action at :50. Dean shot low once more and once again Willham scrambled to a stalemate. The Lion junior carried the 3-0 lead into the third period and Willham chose neutral to start the third period. Dean picked up a stall point and then forced a scramble with another low shot at the 1:00 mark. Dean scrambled through the takedown to open up a 6-0 lead at the :30 mark. Dean cut Willham loose at the :30 mark and secured the major decision with a takedown at the :08 mark, using 1:13 in riding time to post a strong 9-1 major decision.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, faced Hoosier Jacob Bullock. Kerkvliet scored just seconds into the bout, blowing through a low double to lead 2-1 after cutting Bullock loose. He took Bullock down once more just seconds after the cut and opened up a 4-1 lead. He turned Bullock for four back points and upped his lead to 8-4 all in the first minute of the bout. Kerkvliet tacked on one more takedown with :50 on the clock to lead 10-2 and forced Bullock into a first stall warning. Leading 10-2 with over 2:00 in riding time, Kerkvliet chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to an 11-3 lead. The Nittany Lion sophomore took Bullock down once more to open up a 13-2 lead then picked up a stall point to lead 14-2 with :55 on the clock. Kerkvliet lifted Bullock off the mat, took him down and then ended the bout with a four-point turn to post a 20-3 tech fall at the 4:59 mark.



#1 PENN STATE 27, #14 RUTGERS 11 Sunday, Jan. 16, 2022 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: #9 Drew Hildebrandt PSU dec. #31 Dylan Shawver RU, 4-2	3-0
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU dec. #20 Joseph Olivieri RU, 11-5	6-0
141: #3 Sebastian Rivera RU tech fall Brandon Meredith PSU, 17-1 (3:36)	6-5
149: #18 Michael VanBrill RU dec. #19 Beau Bartlett PSU, 4-3 (TB2)	6-8
157: Robert Kanniard RU dec. Tony Negron PSU, 6-4 (SV)	6-11
165: Brady Berge PSU dec. Andrew Clark RU, 5-1	9-11
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU tech fall Connor O'Neill RU, 19-2 (TF; 4:25)	14-11
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU maj. dec. #5 John Poznanski RU, 10-2	18-11
197: #2 Max Dean PSU dec. #7 Greg Bulsak RU, 9-6	21-11
285: #4 Greg Kerkvliet PSU pinned Alex Esposito RU, WBF (1:45)	27-11

Extra Bouts (Official NCAA matches, do not count towards team score):

157: Terrell Barraclough PSU maj. dec. Alfred DeSantis RU, 10-1
Attendance: 6,246 (59th-straight sellout in Rec Hall, 65th of 67 at home, inc. 6 of 8 in BJC)

The Penn State Nittany Lions (11-0, 3-0 B1G), ranked No. 1 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), rolled to a 27-11 win over No. 14 Rutgers (12-2, 2-2) on Sunday in Rec Hall. Penn State is now 22-0 all-time against Rutgers. The dual meet featured 13 ranked wrestlers and the return of Penn State's Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) at 165. Berge returned to Penn State after an injury ended his season last year in the NCAA tournament.

Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.) ranked No. 9 at 125, opened up the dual meet with a thrilling 4-2 win over No. 31 Dylan Shawver, using a last-second takedown to grab the win in regulation. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, dominated No. 20 Joseph Olivieri in an 11-5 decision with 2:01 in riding time to put Penn State up 6-0. With No. 1 Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) still out due to protocols, junior Brandon Meredith (Limerick, Pa.) moved up a weight and battled No. 3 Sebastian Rivera. Rivera posted a 17-1 technical fall at the 3:36 mark for RU's first win. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 19 at 149, battled No. 18 Michael VanBrill in one of the dual's marquee match-ups. The duo tussled through regulation and two extra periods before VanBrill escaped to a 4-3 win in a second tiebreaker. Junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) also went to extra time at 157, falling to Robert Kanniard 6-4 (sv) and the Nittany Lions trailed 11-6 at intermission.

Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) made his return to the Penn State line-up, taking the mat at 165. Berge controlled the action in a 5-1 win over Andrew Clark in his first match since an injury ended his NCAA tournament run last March. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, then put Penn State on top 14-11 with a dominating performance, rolling to a 19-2 technical fall over Rutgers' Connor O'Neill. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, dominated No. 5 John Poznanski in a highly anticipated bout. Brooks rolled up four takedowns and 2:31 in riding time to post the 10-2 major decision. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, scored the final six points in a rousing 9-6 win over No. 7 Greg Bulsak at 197 to put Penn State up 21-11. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, closed out the dual with a fast fall, pinning Alex Esposito at the 1:45 mark, and Penn State rolled to the 27-11 victory. The Nittany Lions posted a 23-6 takedown margin in takedowns. Penn State had six bonus points off a pin (Kerkvliet), a tech fall (Starocci) and a major (Brooks). One extra match was contested during the dual meet as well. The bout did not count towards the dual's scoring but is an official NCAA match for the wrestlers. Nittany Lion sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) majored Rutgers' Alfred DeSantis 10-1 at 157.

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 9 at 125, took on No. 31 Dylan Shawver. Hildebrandt fought off an early Shawver shot, and the match continued in neutral at the 2:15 mark. Shawver got in on another single and turned it into a takedown and a 2-0 lead with 1:24 on the clock. Hildebrandt escaped quickly after a reset and the bout resumed with the Lion senior down 2-1. Hildebrandt was called for stalling as the period wound down and trailed 2-1 after one. Hildebrandt chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-2 tie. Hildebrandt continued to shoot Shaver backwards as the clock moved below the 1:00 mark. The bout was tied 2-2 after two. Shawver chose neutral to start the third period. Hildebrandt forced Shawver into a stall warning at the 1:34 mark and continued to shoot as the clock hit 1:00. Shawver continued to dance away from the Lion and Hildebrandt forced a scramble that nearly led to a takedown with :30 left. But Shawver scrambled away from the move. Hildebrandt countered a late Shawver shot and scrambled his way to a takedown with just :01 on the clock. The call was reviewed by the officials and was confirmed, and Hildebrandt notched the hard-fought 4-2 victory.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, met No. 20 Joseph Olivieri. Bravo-Young used a fast slide by to take a 2-0 lead just :10 into the match. He cut Olivieri loose and went back to work on his feet. Bravo-Young quickly added a second takedown at the 2:00 mark and upped his lead to 4-1. The Lion senior added a third takedown with :50 on the clock and finished the period on top to lead 6-2 with 1:31 in time after one. Bravo-Young chose down to start the second period and steadily rolled through a reversal to up his lead to 8-2. Trailing 8-3, Olivieri chose down to start the third period and escaped to an 8-4 score. Bravo-Young young added a takedown and cut to up his lead to 10-5 at the 1:00 mark and, with riding time, posted the convincing 11-5 win.

141: With No. 1 Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) still out due to illness, junior Brandon Meredith (Limerick, Pa.) moved up a weight and took on No. 3 Sebastian Rivera of Rutgers. Rivera got in on a quick single and took a 2-0 lead :30 into the bout. Meredith cut the lead to 2-1 with an escape and action resumed in neutral. Rivera added a second takedown on the edge of the mat with 1:30 on the clock. Rivera as able to turn the Lion to his back and picked up four nearfall points to up his lead to 8-1. The third-ranked Knight added another four-point tilt and led 12-1 after one. Rivera chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 13-1 lead. A quick takedown put the Knight up 15-1 with 1:40 left in the period. Rivera finished off the bout with a two-point turn to post the 17-1 tech fall at 3:36.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 19 at 149, battled No. 18 Michael VanBrill. The duo battled evenly for 1:30 before Bartlett connected on a quick low single, taking a 2-0 lead with a takedown. The Nittany Lion sophomore was called for an illegal hold while he built up over 1:00 in riding time. VanBrill escaped to a 2-2 tie with :05 left and the match moved to the second period tied. VanBrill chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-2 lead. Bartlett and VanBrill worked the center of the mat as the clock hit 1:00 in the middle stanza. Bartlett tried to counter a slight VanBrill shot at the :30 mark but the Knight skipped out of reach and the second period ended with Bartlett trailing 3-2. Bartlett chose down to start the third period and worked his way to an escape and 3-3 tie at the 1:32 mark (his

riding time dipped to :51). The duo worked the center of the mat for the next :30 before Van Brill got in on a high shot. But Bartlett fought the move off and then countered in the final seconds for what looked to be a takedown. Not takedown was awarded, and Penn State challenged the call. The officials did not award the takedown and the bout moved to sudden victory. Bartlett shot VanBrill backwards for the first minute of extra time, but the Scarlet Knight was able to force a stalemate at 1:06. VanBrill turned a low shot into a scramble that Bartlett nearly turned into a takedown. But once again no points were awarded, and the bout moved to a tie-breaker. Bartlett was down first and was unable to escape. VanBrill was down next, and Bartlett was able to keep control as well, sending the bout to a second sudden victory period. Neither wrestler scored and the match moved to tiebreaker two. Bartlett was down first and once again could not escape. Bartlett let VanBrill up to start the next :30 and nearly got the win with a late takedown. But time ran out and VanBrill posted the 4-3 (TB2) win.

157: Junior Tony Negron (North Babylon, N.Y.) met Robert Kanniard at 157. Negron notched the first takedown, opening up a 2-0 lead with a counter takedown at the 2:04 mark. The Nittany Lion junior was able to build up over 1:00 in riding time with a strong ride as he looked for a turning combination. Negron maintained control of Kanniard until the :30 mark before the Knight escaped to a 2-1 score. As the first period ended, Negron scrambled through a scramble and notched a late takedown to lead 4-1 with 1:36 in time after the opening stanza. Negron chose down to start the second period. He nearly worked his way for a reversal, but Kanniard was able to fight off the move and maintained offensive control. Negron gave up one stall warning as the period ended and led 4-1 after two with Kanniard getting hit with one stall as well. Kanniard chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 4-2 Negron lead. Kanniard turned a low shot into a scramble and a takedown at the :45 mark to tie the bout at 4-4. Negron fought off a late Knight turn effort and the bout moved to sudden victory. Negron took a low shot that Kanniard countered for the winning takedown, posting the 6-4 (sv) win.

165: Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) made his return to the Penn State line-up and too on Andrew Clark at 165. Berge took a quick high shot, forcing action to the mat in the opening seconds. Clark was able to force a stalemate with 2:22 on the clock and the bout resumed in neutral. Berge continued to work on offense, turning a high shot into another scramble on the Lion logo that Clark was able to stop with another stalemate. Berge countered a Clark shot and appeared to take the Knight down on the outside circle, but no takedown was awarded, nor a stall warning given, and the bout continued tied 0-0. Clark chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 1-0 lead at the 1:45 mark. Berge took a low single and Clark once again wrestled for a stalemate with :42 left in the period. Clark took a slight low single and Berge quickly countered, turning the shot into a takedown of his own as the period ended. Berge led 2-1 after two periods. Berge chose down to start the third period. Clark was able to control the action on top until the :55 mark when Berge escaped to a 3-1 lead. Berge scrambled his way to a second takedown and a 5-1 lead with :18 left and finished the period on top, posting the 5-1 win in his return to Rec Hall.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, faced off against Connor O'Neill. Starocci scored quickly, taking O'Neill down for a quick 2-1 lead. The Lion sophomore added a second takedown with a high double at the 2:10 mark and led 4-1. Starocci cut O'Neill loose and went back to work in neutral. Starocci quickly took the Knight down for a 6-2 lead, forcing a stall warning in the process. Starocci turned O'Neill for four back points and led 10-2 with :30 left in the opening period. He added two more back points and led 12-2 with 2:21 in time after one. Starocci chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 13-2 lead. He blew through a high shot for another takedown and a 15-2 lead. Starocci then locked up a cradle on the edge of the mat and finished off the bout with a four-point tilt, posting the 19-2 technical fall at the 4:25 mark.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, battled No. 5 John Poznanski in one of the dual's marquee bouts. Brooks fought off a slight Poznanski shot in the opening seconds, forcing action back to neutral and then going to work on offense. The Lion junior circled the Lion logo as the clock hit 1:00. Brooks' pressure forced Poznanski to the outside circle and out of bounds, with a reset called at the :30 mark. Brooks turned a low shot into a scramble and a takedown with :10 left in the period. He finished on top and led by two after the opening stanza. Brooks chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. He then bulled his way through a low shot and added another takedown to up his lead to 5-0 with 1:20 left in the period. Brooks controlled Poznanski for the remainder of the period and led 5-0 with 1:34 in riding time after two periods. Poznanski chose down to start the final period and escaped to a 5-1 score. Brooks slipped away from a Poznanski shot and gained control of the Knight's foot. He turned the scramble into another takedown and, with the riding time point clinched, cut Poznanski loose, looking for bonus points with :38 left in the bout. Brooks deftly connected on a low single and, with the rideout, secured the 10-2 major decision with 2:31 in riding time.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, took on No. 7 Greg Bulsak. Dean set the tempo early, forcing an early scramble that led to a takedown and a 2-0 lead with 2:00 on the clock. But Bulsak quickly reversed the Lion to tie the bout at 2-2. Dean steadily moved to his feet and escaped to lead 3-2 with 1:15 left in the opening period. Dean forced a scramble as the period wound down, but Bulsak was able to counter the move as the period ended and Bulsak led 4-3 after one. Bulsak chose down to start the second period. Dean gave up a penalty point during the action and, after a Bulsak escape, trailed 6-3 with 1:25 on the clock. Dean scrambled for a takedown at the 1:00 mark but action was stopped for a potentially dangerous position. The Lion junior turned a low single into a takedown at the :18 mark. He finished the period on top and trailed 6-5 after two periods. Dean chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 6-6 tie. Dean shot low, forcing a scramble that ended in a Dean takedown and an 8-6 lead with :47 left in the bout. Dean maintained control of Bulsak, giving up a stall warning as the clock hit :27. Dean finished the period on top and, with 1:07 in riding time, posted the thrilling 9-6 win.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, met Alex Esposito. Kerkvliet scored quickly, taking Esposito down in the opening seconds. He cut the Knight grappler loose and went back to work on offense, lifting Esposito off the mat and returning him for a 4-1 lead at the 2:00 mark.

#1 PENN STATE 29, #3 MICHIGAN 6 Friday, Jan. 21, 2022 -- Ann Arbor, Mich.

125: #1 Nick Suriano MICH dec. #7 Drew Hildebrandt PSU, 2-1	0-3
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU dec. #8 Dylan Ragusin MICH, 8-1	3-3
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU tech fall Drew Mattin MICH, 21-6 (TF; 6:36)	8-3
149: #19 Beau Bartlett PSU inj. def. Cole Mattin MICH, Ing. Def. (0:13)	14-3
157: #15 Will Lewan MICH dec. Terrell Barraclough PSU, 5-2	14-6
165: #16 Brady Berge PSU dec. #10 Cameron Amine MICH, 3-1	17-6
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU dec. #6 Logan Massa MICH, 3-2	20-6
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU dec. #2 Myles Amine MICH, 3-1	23-6
197: #2 Max Dean PSU dec. #8 Patrick Brucki MICH, 6-4 (sv)	26-6
285: #4 Greg Kerkvliet PSU dec. #2 Mason Parris MICH, 8-5	29-6

Attendance: 6,185

The Penn State Nittany Lions (12-0, 4-0 B1G), ranked No. 1 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), rolled to a dominating 29-6 win at No. 3 Michigan (5-1, 1-1 B1G) on Friday night. Penn State won every match after halftime once again as the Nittany Lions picked up a critical road victory. The dual meet featured 17 ranked wrestlers. Penn State opened up a big lead at halftime and once again did not lose in the second half in the B1G Network national telecast. The dual was wrestled in front of over 6,100 fans in Michigan's Crisler Arena.

Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.) ranked No. 7 at 125, battled No. 1 Nick Suriano for seven minutes but dropped a 2-1 decision on riding time for the Wolverine. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, dominated No. 8 Dylan Ragusin, using a first period takedown and a four-point turn in the third to roll to an 8-1 win. No. 1 Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) returned to the line-up for Penn State and rolled up seven takedowns as he posted a 21-6 technical fall over Drew Mattin at the 6:36 mark to put Penn State on top 8-3. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 19 at 149, came out fast at 149, locking Cole Mattin's shoulders up and taking him down for two points and a four-point near fall to lead 6-0 in just 0:13. Mattin called for injury timeout and could not continue, giving Bartlett the injury default win at the 0:13 mark. Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) got the call at 157 and lost a hard-fought 5-2 decision to No. 15 Will Lewan. The Nittany Lions carried a 14-6 lead into the halftime break.

Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 16 at 165, extended Penn State's lead with a thrilling 3-1 win over No. 10 Cameron Amine, using a first period takedown to post the win and put Penn State up 17-6. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, used a first period takedown to post a hard-fought 3-2 win over No. 6 Logan Massa to give Penn State a 20-6 lead. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, used a third period takedown to beat No. 2 Myles Amine in one of many marquee matchups in the dual. The late score gave Brooks a thrilling 3-1 victory. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, rode No. 8 Patrick Brucki for the entire third period, picking up riding time to send a 4-4 match into sudden victory. Dean ended the bout quickly in extra time, taking Brucki down in seconds to post a thrilling 6-4 (sv) win. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, controlled the action against No. 2 Mason Parris in the dual's final bout. Kerkvliet had two takedowns in the first period and then broke open a close match with an escape, takedown and 1:06 riding time in the third period to roll to an impressive 8-5 win. Kerkvliet's victory made the final score 29-6 in Penn State's favor. Penn State allowed Michigan only five takedowns as it posted a 16-5 margin. The Nittany Lions picked up five bonus points off one injury default (Bartlett) and a tech fall (Lee).

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 7 at 125, took on No. 1 Nick Suriano. Suriano used a high shot to get in on a single leg :30 into the bout. Hildebrandt fought off the effort and worked action out of bounds at the 2:17 mark, forcing a reset. The duo battled on the Michigan logo for the next minute-plus, with Hildebrandt nearly connecting on a slide by with 1:35 left in the period. Hildebrandt got called for stalling with 1:00 to wrestle and the first period ended in a scoreless tie. Suriano chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 1-0 lead. Hildebrandt controlled the center of the mat as the clock moved below 1:00 with neither wrestler threatening an offense. The action moved to the third period with Hildebrandt down 1-0. Hildebrandt chose down to start the third period. And worked his way to his feet but could not break free of Suriano's ride. After a reset with 1:01 left in the period, Suriano kept control long enough to work his time edge over 1:00. Hildebrandt escaped to a 1-1 tie with :10 left but Suriano's riding time edge gave the Wolverine the 2-1 win.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, met No. 8 Dylan Ragusin. The duo traded slight shots as the first period began and as the clock hit 2:00, Bravo-Young began to control the center of the mat and the pace. The Nittany Lion senior began to up his pace on offense. Forcing Ragusin to the outside circle, Bravo-Young turned a turned a slight scramble into a takedown with :50 on the clock. Michigan challenged the takedown call, but it stood, and Bravo-Young led 2-0. Bravo-Young then went to work on top, keeping Ragusin down for the rest of the period to carry that lead into the second stanza. Bravo-Young chose down to start the second period. He steadily worked his way to his feet and escaped to a 3-0 lead with 1:15 left in the period. Bravo-Young continued to move forward over the final minute, but Ragusin's defense held, and the Nittany Lion led 3-0 after two periods. Ragusin chose down to start the third period. Bravo-Young once again controlled the action from the top position and began looking for a turning combination. The Lion used an arm bar to turn Ragusin for four near fall points and up his lead to 7-0 with over 1:00 in time at the 1:15 mark. Bravo-Young continued to dominate the action on offense, using a strong mat return to take Ragusin back down. Ragusin scrambled to an escape that just negated the major and a late Bravo-Young takedown occurred just after time expired. Bravo-Young walked away with a dominant 8-1 win with nearly 2:00 in riding time.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, battled Drew Mattin. Lee scored quickly, using a high double for a takedown and an early 2-0 lead with 2:30 on the clock. Lee cut Mattin loose quickly and went back to work on his feet. Lee used a low single for a second takedown and then controlled the action on top, building up over 1:00 in riding time. Mattin escaped to a 4-2 score with 1:00 left in the period and Lee countered a slight Mattin shot, connected on a high single, and took him down once more for a 6-2 lead as the first period ended. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly scrambled his way to a reversal and an 8-2 lead. He cut Mattin loose again picked up a fourth takedown with 1:01 left in the period. Leading 10-3, Lee worked Mattin's shoulders to the mat for a four-point turn and led 14-3 with 2:42 in riding time after two. Mattin chose down to start the third period. Lee cut him loose and went back to work on offense. Lee took Mattin down with 1:40 on the clock. With the riding time point clinched, Lee cut Mattin loose and quickly took him down again. With 1:00 on the clock, Lee cut Mattin loose again and hit another takedown at the :40 mark. Lee picked up a stall point and notched the 21-6 tech fall at the 6:36 mark.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 19 at 149, faced off against Cole Mattin. Bartlett came out and quickly took control. He turned an early shot into shoulder control and a takedown, taking Mattin to his back for four points. Mattin called for an injury timeout and was unable to continue, giving Bartlett the injury default victory at the 0:13 mark.

157: Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) took on No. 15 Will Lewan at 157. Barraclough set a good pace off the opening whistle, controlling the center of the mat and battling the ranked Wolverine evenly for the opening minute-plus. Lewan tried to scramble to the side of the Lion sophomore for a takedown, but Barraclough slipped away, and the bout continued in neutral with 1:15 on the clock. Barraclough continued to keep Lewan's back to the outside circle and the first period ended in a 0-0 tie. Lewan chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. The duo worked the center of the mat in neutral for the next minute-plus. Lewan got in on a low shot and finished off a takedown with just :08 left to lead 3-0 after two periods. Barraclough chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 score. Barraclough nearly connected on a low shot, but Lewan was able to work his way out of trouble and maintain his two-point lead as the clock hit 1:25. Barraclough pressed on offense and continued to shoot low on the Lion. Lewan countered a shot with :40 on the clock and looked to ice the bout with a takedown, getting the points with :21 on the clock to open up a 5-1 lead. Barraclough escaped on the reset, but Lewan held on for the hard-fought 5-2 win.

165: Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 16 at 165, met No. 10 Cameron Amine. Berge took a quick low shot that Amine nearly countered for his own takedown, but Berge slid away, and the bout continued in neutral with 2:30 on the clock. Berge and Amine worked the center of the mat as the first period hit its midway point. Berge used an ankle pic at the :55 mark to take Amine down and led 2-0. He kept control of the Wolverine for the rest of the period and carried that lead to the second stanza. Amine chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-1 lead. Berge had 0:56 in riding time. Berge controlled the middle of the mat as the clock moved to the 1:00 mark. Neither wrestler challenged over the final minute and Berge led 2-1 after two periods. Berge chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. Berge defended an Amine blast double with 1:20 on the clock and continued to work on the big M in the center of the mat. Berge took a high double that Amine defended with :38 left in the bout and then killed the clock to post a thrilling 3-1 win.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, battled No. 6 Logan Massa. Starocci defended an early throw effort by Massa to keep the bout in neutral as the clock moved to 2:40. Starocci then went to work on offense, turning a low shot into a scramble and a takedown to lead 2-0 with 1:50 left in the period. Massa escaped to a 2-1 score and action resumed in neutral. Starocci prowled the center of the mat, looking for more offense. Massa was called for stalling as the first period ended and Starocci led 2-1 after one. Starocci chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. Massa used a low shot to force a scramble, nearly taking Starocci down. Starocci scrambled his way to a near counter takedown before potentially dangerous halted the action. Starocci skipped back from another Amine double with 0:18 left in the period and the bout moved to the third with Starocci leading 3-1. Massa chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 3-2 score. Starocci quickly snapped through a low shot and took Massa down on the edge of the mat. Michigan challenged the call, and the call was overturned, no escaped and takedown, and action resumed with Starocci still on top. Amine escaped off the reset and Starocci led 3-2 with 1:30 left in the third. Starocci fought off a flurry of late shots and walked away with a hard-fought 3-2 win.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, faced No. 2 Myles Amine. Brooks and Amine battled evenly for the first minute-plus, with neither wrestler finding an opening on offense. Brooks stepped back from a slight Amine shot with 2:00 on the clock, then worked Amine's shoulders to the mat before a stalemate was called at 1:43. Brooks began to control the middle of the mat, working Amine backwards. He turned a low single into a scramble with 1:05 left but Amine was able to lock up the action and force a reset at the :50 mark. Brooks continued to maintain his position on the Michigan logo and the first period ended in a 0-0 tie. Amine chose down to start the second period and Brooks was able to control the action from the top position. He worked his riding time edge to :51 before Amine escaped to a 1-0 lead. Brooks continued to shoot from neutral, forcing Amine into a defensive posture and backwards to the outside circle as the clock hit :30. Brooks forced Amine into a first stall warning and the second period ended with Amine up 1-0. Brooks chose down to start the third period and worked his way to an escaped and a 1-1 tie with 1:35 left in the bout. Brooks continued to press Amine. The Wolverine forced a scramble with a single leg that Brooks was able to fight off for over a minute, finally countering for a takedown of his own and a 3-1 lead with :20 left in the bout. Brooks finished the period on top and walked away with a strong 3-1 win.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, took the mat against No. 8 Patrick Brucki. Brucki worked his way in on a low single and forced a scramble on the Michigan logo. Dean scrambled his way into a near counter, but a stalemate was called with 1:49 on the clock. Brucki turned another low double into a takedown and a 2-1 lead after a quick Dean escape with 0:57 left in the period. Brucki took a high shot that Dean defended, and the Lion trailed 2-1 after one. Dean chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-2 tie. Brucki took Dean down again at the 1:35 mark and upped his lead to 4-3. Dean was unable to score as the period ended and trailed 4-3 after two. Brucki chose down to start the third period. Dean controlled the action on top and began to look for a turning combination. Dean was able to work the clock down to the :41 mark before Brucki slipped out of bounds to force a reset with Dean still on top. The Nittany Lion finished the period on top and his 1:19 in riding time sent the bout to sudden victory. Dean turned a

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, met No. 2 Mason Parris. Kerkvliet set a fast tempo to start the bout, taking a handful of early shots that Parris defended, keeping the action in neutral and tied 0-0 as the clock moved past the 2:00 mark. Kerkvliet's offense paid off with a fast takedown and a 2-1 lead for the Nittany Lions with 1:30 on the clock. The Lion big man continued to work on offense, turning another low shot into a second takedown and a 4-2 lead with :30 left in the period. Parris answered with a low double for his first takedown as the period ended and the bout was tied 4-4 after one. Parris chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 5-4 lead with 1:40 on the clock. The clock moved to the :30 mark with the two big men prowling the center of the mat. The rest of the period was scoreless and Kerkvliet trailed 5-4 after two. Kerkvliet chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-5 tie. Kerkvliet had a low single defended at the 1:30 mark and quickly used a second to trip Parris to the mat and take a 7-5 lead with 1:02 left in the bout. Kerkvliet then went to work on top, building up over 1:00 in riding time with a rideout. The strong third period allowed gave Kerkvliet the convincing 8-



#1 PENN STATE 28, MICHIGAN STATE 9 Sunday, Jan. 23, 2022 -- East Lansing, Mich.

125: #7 Drew Hildebrandt PSU maj. dec. Tristan Lujan MSU, 8-0	4-0
133: #12 Rayvon Foley MSU dec. Baylor Shunk PSU, 8-2	4-3
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU maj. dec. Matt Santos MSU, 13-1	8-3
149: #19 Beau Bartlett PSU dec. Peyton Omania MSU, 5-2	11-3
157: #19 Chase Saldate MSU dec. Terrell Barraclough PSU, 4-2 (sv)	11-6
165: #16 Brady Berge PSU dec. Caleb Fish MSU, 7-4	14-6
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU tech fall Marty Larkin MSU, 19-3 (TF; 3:32)	19-6
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU dec. #27 Layne Malczewski MSU, 4-0	22-6
197: #15 Cameron Caffey MSU dec. #2 Max Dean PSU, 3-2	22-9
285: #4 Greg Kerkvliet PSU pinned Brad Wilton MSU, WBF (1:58)	28-9

The Penn State Nittany Lions (13-0, 5-0 B1G), ranked No. 1 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), posted a convincing 28-9 win at Michigan State (8-2, 3-2 B1G) on Sunday in East Lansing, Mich. Penn State closed out a two-dual swing through Michigan with seven more wins to go 15-5 in picking up two Big Ten road victories. Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.) ranked No. 7 at 125, got Penn State off to a hot start with a dominating 8-0 major over MSU's Tristan Lujan, putting the Lions up 4-0 early. With No. 1 Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) not wrestling, sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) moved up to 133 and battled No. 12 Rayvon Foley tough before dropping an 8-2 decision. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, picked up Penn State's second major in the opening three bouts, rolling up nearly 4:00 in riding time in a 13-1 major over Matt Santos.

Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 19 at 149, used two third period takedowns to notch a hard-fought 5-2 win over Peyton Omania, putting the Nittany Lions up 11-3. Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) got the nod again at 157 and nearly knocked off No. 19 Chase Saldate before dropping a 4-2 (sv) decision in extra time. Penn State led 11-6 at the dual's midway point. Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 16 at 165, collected the bout's only three takedowns in a strong 7-4 win over Caleb Fish to bury the Nittany Lions up 14-6. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, dominated Marty Larkin as he rolled to a 19-3 technical fall at the 3:32 mark in the second period. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, followed that up with a strong 4-0 win over No. 27 Layne Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, battled No. 15 Cameron Caffey tough for seven minutes, forcing the Spartan to the outside circle for three periods but dropping a 3-2 decision for his first loss of the year. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, ended the dual meet with a first-period pin, getting the fall over Brad Wilton at the 1:58 mark in the first period. The Nittany Lions won the takedown battle 16-5. Penn State picked up seven bonus points off a pin (Kerkvliet), a tech fall (Starocci) and two majors (Hildebrandt and Lee).

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 7 at 125, faced off against Tristan Lujan. Hildebrandt controlled the center of the mat for the first minute-plus, looking for a chance to score early. At the 1:25 mark, Hildebrandt got in on a low single, moved up Lujan's leg and finished off the takedown for a 2-0 lead with 1:10 on the clock. Hildebrandt went to work on top, building up riding time while looking for a chance to turn the Spartan for back points. The Lion finished the period no top and led 2-1 with 1:10 in riding time after one. Lujan chose neutral to start the second period. Hildebrandt worked upper control into a takedown and a 4-0 lead with 1:30 on the clock. Hildebrandt controlled the action from the top position again, finishing the period on top and leading 4-0 with 2:40 in riding time after two. The Lion senior chose down to start the third period. He worked his way to an escape and a 5-0 lead with 1:20 left and clinched his riding time as the clock hit 1:00. Lujan worked a low shot into a scramble, but Hildebrandt forced a stalemate with :35 on the clock. The Lion finished off the major with a late takedown and rideout and, with 2:12 in riding time, posted the 8-0 major.

133: With No. 1 Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.) not wrestling, sophomore Baylor Shunk (Centre Hall, Pa.) moved up to 133 and battled No. 12 Rayvon Foley. Foley notched the bout's first takedown, opening up an early 2-0 lead. The Spartan then built up over 1:00 in riding time trying to turn Shunk, but the Nittany Lion sophomore was able to fight off the efforts. He worked his way to an escape to cut Foley's lead to 2-1. Foley added a second escape and rideout and led 4-1 after one. Foley chose down to start the second period. Shunk went to work on top, nearly turning Foley for back points but the Spartan rolled through the turn effort and escaped to a 5-1 lead. He then took Shunk down once more to open up a 7-1 lead at the 1:10 mark. Shunk escaped to a 7-2 score with :45 on the clock. Shunk forced a scramble on the edge of the mat that nearly ended in a takedown, but Foley was able to escape out of bounds to force a reset with :25 on the clock. Shunk chose down to start the third period. Foley clinched the riding time point working on top but was unable to turn the Lion sophomore for back points. Shunk worked his way into a scramble on the edge of the mat that killed the clock and Foley settled for an 8-2 win.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, met Matt Santos. Lee scored quickly, taking Santos down in the opening :15 for a 2-0 lead. Lee then went to work on top, building up 1:02 in time before Santos escaped. Lee forced Santos into a stall warning and then took him down to lead 4-1 with :42 left in the period. Lee finished a dominant first period on top and led 4-1 with 1:47 in riding time. Lee chose down to start the second period and scrambled his way to an early escape. Santos took a high shot and Lee countered, forcing a stalemate to maintain a 5-1 lead with 1:10 left in the period. Lee countered a slight Santos shot for a third takedown to lead 7-1 with :25 left in the period and finished on top to end the period. Santos chose down to start the third period and quickly turned the Spartan for two back points and a 9-1 lead. He reset himself and added a second two-point turn to up his lead to 11-1 with :55 on the clock. With the riding time point clinched, Lee picked up a stall point and, with 3:56 in riding time, rolled to the 13-1 major decision.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 19 at 149, wrestled MSU's Peyton Omania. The duo battled evenly in neutral for the first half of the opening period with neither man connecting on offense. Action returned to the center of the mat after a reset, and Bartlett rolled through a solid throw effort from Omania, keeping the bout tied 0-0 with 1:00 on the clock. The first period ended in neutral and a 0-0 tie. Omania chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Bartlett gained control of Omania's shoulders with 1:20 on the clock but the Spartan was able to stay on his feet and the bout continued in neutral with Omania up by one. Bartlett chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 1-1 tie. He worked the center of the mat but was unable to break through Omania's defense as the clock hit 1:20. Bartlett hit a low single and tripped Omania to the mat for a takedown and a 3-1 lead with 1:00 left to wrestle. Omania rolled to an escaped off a reset to cut the lead to 3-2 with :30 left to wrestle and Bartlett fought off a late flurry of Spartan shots and ended the bout with a late counter takedown to post the 5-2 win.

157: Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) battled No. 19 Chase Saldate at 157. Barraclough battled through an even first minute, slipping out of the Spartan's grasp on a takedown attempt on the outside circle. After a reset, the Nittany Lion sophomore worked a low shot into a scramble, but Saldate was able to force a stalemate and action resumed tied 0-0 with 1:30 on the clock. Barraclough connected on another late low shot that forced Saldate to defend as the clock ran out. Tied 0-0, Saldate chose down to start the second period. Barraclough put together a strong ride, controlling the action from the top position for over a minute before Saldate scrambled to an escape and a 1-0 lead. Trailing by one, Barraclough chose down to start the third period. Saldate controlled the Lion long enough to kill the riding time edge before Barraclough scrambled to a reversal and a 2-1 lead. Saldate worked his way to an escape to tie the score at 2-2 with 1:00 left to wrestle. Barraclough controlled the action in the center of the mat before Saldate used a high shot. The rest of the period featured Barraclough scrambling away from the takedown and trying to counter but the period ended and moved to extra time. Barraclough instigated a quick scramble in extra time, nearly taking Saldate down, but the Spartan was able to counter and end the bout with a takedown to steal the 4-2 (sv) win.

165: Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 16 at 165, met Caleb Fish. The duo battled through two even minutes with Berge controlling the center of the mat. Fish forced Berge into a stall warning with 1:00 as a reset sent action back to the center of the mat. Berge turned a late low shot into a takedown and a 2-0 lead after the opening period. Berge chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. The Nittany Lion senior went back to work on offense, turned a low shot into a takedown and a 5-0 lead with 1:20 left. Fish escaped and Berge went back to work offensively. Berge fought off a solid Fish shot with :55 on the clock to maintain his 5-1 lead. Trailing 5-1, Fish chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 5-2 score. Berge nearly connected on a low shot, but Fish was able to slip out of the Lion's grasp to keep the score at 5-2. Berge took Fish down a third time with a low double at the 1:05 mark to up his lead to 7-2. Fish escaped to a 7-3 score with :50 left in the bout. Berge gave up a stall point with :18 on the clock and finished off a 7-4 win in neutral.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, took on Marty Larkin. Starocci quickly took the Spartan down and wrapped up a cradle for back points, but Larkin was able to roll through the effort. Starocci settled for a takedown and a 2-0 lead, but Larkin was able to reverse the Lion to tie the score at 2-2. Starocci quickly escaped to a 3-2 lead and went back to work on offense. The Nittany Lion sophomore used a low single to up his lead to 5-3 after cutting Larkin loose. Larkin took an injury timeout and Starocci took down on the reset. He reversed the Spartan to take a 7-3 lead. Starocci then turned Larkin for four back points to lead 11-3. Starocci added a second nearfalls to lead 15-3 after the opening period. Starocci ended the bout quickly, taking Larkin down after taking neutral to start the second and adding two back points for a 19-3 tech fall at the 3:32 mark.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, battled No. 27 Layne Malczewski. The two ranked grapplers battled evenly for the opening minute, but Brooks controlled the tempo and the center of the mat. He worked Malczewski's shoulders to the mat but was not able to break through the Spartans defense until forcing a scramble with a low shot at the 1:00 mark. He was able to pull the Spartan back on to the mat, but Malczewski was able to fight off the takedown and the action moved to the second period tied 0-0. Malczewski chose down to start the second period. Brooks nearly locked up a cradle, but action moved out of bounds, forcing a reset with Brooks still on top. Brooks controlled the action for the entire second period and the bout moved to the third period tied 0-0 but with Brooks owning 2:00 in riding time. Brooks chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 1-0 lead while maintaining his time edge. The Nittany Lion quickly took Malczewski down to up his lead to 3-0 with 1:15 left in the bout and went to work on top, looking to turn the Spartan. With the riding time point clinched, Brooks finished the bout on top and rolled to the 4-0 win with 2:54 in riding time.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, faced off against No. 15 Cameron Caffey. Dean set a fast tempo to start the bout. He gained control of Caffey's right leg with a low shot, lifted the Spartan's leg off the ground and then scrambled for nearly 1:00 before Caffey was able to force a stalemate with 1:04 left in the opening period. Dean continued to force Caffey to the outside circle, pushing his shoulders to the mat on the edge of the mat as the first period ended in a 0-0 tie. Dean chose down to start the second period. Dean chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. He nearly connected on a shot that Caffey was able to counter, gaining control and taking Dean down to lead 2-1. Dean escaped to tie the bout at 2-2 with :35 left in the middle stanza. Dean shot late but the clock ran out before the Lion could finish off the move the bout moved to the second period tied 2-2. Caffey chose down to start the third period. Dean was able to control the action from the top maintain control of the Spartan as the clock moved below the 1:00 mark. Caffey was able to skip to an escape and a 3-2 lead after a reset with :25 on the clock. Dean turned a low shot into a late scramble, but Caffey was able to hold on for a hard-fought 3-2 win.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 4 at 285, battled Brad Wilton. Kerkvliet scored quickly, taking Wilton down for a 2-0 lead in the opening seconds. The Nittany Lion sophomore went to work on top, building up over 1:00 in riding time. He then turned Wilton to his back, ending the bout with a pin at the 1:58 mark.

#1 PENN STATE 19, #3 IOWA 13 Friday, Jan. 28, 2022 -- Iowa City, Iowa

125: #7 Drew Hildebrandt PSU maj. dec. Jesse Ybarra IOWA, 9-0	4-0
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU dec. #3 Austin DeSanto IOWA, 3-2	7-0
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU dec. #2 Jaydin Eierman IOWA, 6-4 (sv)	10-0
149: #10 Max Murin IOWA dec. #19 Beau Bartlett PSU, 4-1	10-3
157: #12 Kaleb Young IOWA dec. Terrell Barraclough PSU, 2-0	10-6
165: #5 Alex Marinelli IOWA maj. dec. #11 Brady Berge PSU, 10-2	10-10
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU dec. #2 Michael Kemerer IOWA, 2-1 (tb)	13-10
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU dec. #17 Abe Assad IOWA, 8-3	16-10
197: #2 Max Dean PSU dec. #4 Jacob Warner IOWA, 8-3	19-10
285: #5 Tony Cassioppi IOWA dec. #3 Greg Kerkvliet PSU, 7-2	19-13
Attendance: 14,905	

The Penn State Nittany Lions (14-0, 6-0 B1G) ranked No. 1 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), defeated home-standing Iowa (11-1, 5-1 B1G) 19-13 in a showdown of the Big Ten's last two unbeaten teams. Iowa entered the dual ranked No. 2 in dual meets and No. 3 in TPI by InterMat. Penn State won three straight bouts to start the dual, but Iowa answered with three wins of its own to tie the dual meet at 10-10 after six matches. Another Nittany Lions three-win streak from 174 to 197 allowed Penn State to secure the victory.

Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 7 at 125, opened up the dual with a major decision, using four late back points and riding time to roll to a 9-0 major over Jesse Ybarra. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, scored all three of his points in the second period (an escape and a takedown) to notch a hard-fought 3-2 win over No. 3 Austin DeSanto. Bravo-Young's victory gave Penn State an early 7-0 lead. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, used a quick takedown in extra time to post a thrilling 6-4 (sv) win over No. 2 Jaydin Eierman to make it three straight out of the gates for Penn State. Penn State led 10-0. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 19 at 149, lost a tough 4-1 decision to No. 10 Max Murin as the Hawkeyes cut Penn State's lead to 10-3. Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) battled No. 12 Kaleb Young for seven tough minutes at 157 but dropped a 2-0 decision. Penn State carried a 10-6 lead into the halftime break.

Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 11 at 165, suffered a 10-2 major decision loss to No. 5 Alex Marinelli and Iowa tied the dual at 10-10. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, retook the lead for Penn State. The Lion sophomore won a thrilling 2-1 (tb) match over No. 2 Michael Kemerer, escaping quickly in his tie-breaker period and holding Kemerer for the full :30 to win the match. His victory put Penn State up 13-10. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, added to Penn State's lead with a dominant 8-3 win over No. 17 Abe Assad to put the Nittany Lions up 16-10. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, clinched the dual with a thrilling comeback victory. Dean, trailing 3-0 after two periods, scored eight unanswered points in the third period to post an 8-3 victory over No. 4 Jacob Warner. Dean used an escape, a stall point, a takedown and four near fall points as the bout ended to put Penn State up 19-10 and secure the team win. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 3 at 285, led early over No. 5 Tony Cassioppi but dropped a tough 7-2 decision in the dual's final bout, making the final score 19-13 in Penn State's favor. Penn State owned a slim 10-8 edge in takedowns and picked up one bonus point on Hildebrandt's major. The win snapped Iowa's 29-dual overall win streak and 22-dual win streak at home.

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 7 at 125, took on Iowa's Drake Ayala, freshman Jesse Ybarra. Hildebrandt worked the center circle as the first minute wound down. He nearly scored on a quick slide-by at the 2:15 mark but Ybarra was able to move away from the shot and keep the bout tied 0-0. As the clock hit 1:00, Hildebrandt and Ybarra continued to hand fight in neutral. Hildebrandt has another shot defended as the period ended and the first period ended in a 0-0 tie. Ybarra chose neutral to start the second period. Hildebrandt continued to shoot from neutral as Ybarra played defense but could not break through to score. He finally worked a low single into a double for the bout's first takedown at the :50 mark to take a 2-0 lead. Hildebrandt went to work on top, looking to turn the Hawkeye for back points. Ybarra was able to keep from getting turned but Hildebrandt finished on top to lead 2-0 with :49 after two. Hildebrandt chose down to start the third period and quickly reversed the Hawkeye to up his lead to 4-0. He controlled the action on top long enough to build up over 1:00 in riding time and then began working for a turning combination. Hildebrandt forced Ybarra into a stall warning and clinched his riding time point. Hildebrandt then worked Ybarra to his back for four nearfall points and, with the riding time point, posted a 9-0 major decision.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, met No. 3 Austin DeSanto. Bravo-Young defended an early DeSanto shot as the Hawkeye worked his way in on a high single. The Lion was able to force action out of bounds and keep the match scoreless at the 1:48 mark. DeSanto shot low off the whistle and Bravo-Young forced a quick stalemate after the reset. DeSanto shot quick off the reset again, working in on a high shot. But Bravo-Young once again forced a stalemate with :40 left in the opening period. The first period finished in neutral, but Bravo-Young gave up a stall warning in the process. DeSanto chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Bravo-Young gave up a stall point and trailed 2-0 at the :40 mark. Bravo-Young notched the bout's first takedown with :22 and finished the period on top. Tied 2-2, Bravo-Young chose down to start the third period. DeSanto was able to control the action on top for a bit, but Bravo-Young escaped to a 3-2 lead with 1:15 on the clock. DeSanto worked a high single into a scramble, but Bravo-Young forced a stalemate with 1:00 left in the bout. Bravo-Young controlled the center of the mat from the :30 point on and killed the clock with a late shot to post a 3-2 win.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, met No. 2 Jaydin Eierman. Lee and Eierman worked neutral in the center circle over the bout's first :30. Lee ticked off a couple high shots that kept Eierman on defense as the first period hit the midway point. Lee nearly connected on a high single with 1:20 left in the period but Eierman was able to fight off the effort. The remainder of the first period was contested in neutral and the bout moved to the second stanza tied 0-0. Eierman chose down to start the second period. Lee was able to maintain control of the Hawkeye for :40 before Eierman moved out of bounds to force a reset. Eierman escaped to a 1-0 lead with 1:13 left in the period. Eierman nearly turned Lee to his back on a throw, but Lee rolled through, countered another Eierman effort and took the Hawkeye down to lead 2-1. Eierman escaped but Lee continued to press and notched a late takedown on the edge of the mat as the period ended. Leading 4-2, Lee chose neutral to start the third period. Lee worked in neutral as the third period hit the :30 mark. But Eierman oved through a double as the period ended to take Lee down and send the bout to sudden victory. Lee took just less than :30 to end the extra period, countering an Eierman shot and grabbing the 6-4 (sv) win with a takedown.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 19 at 149, battled No. 10 Max Murin. Bartlett worked the center circle for the opening minute, looking for an opening. Murin was able to defend each Bartlett effort as the first period hit its midway point. The first period ended in a 0-0 tie and Bartlett chose down to start the second stanza. Bartlett was unable to break free of Murin's control as the Hawkeye worked up over 1:00 in riding time. Bartlett rolled to an escaped to lead 1-0, but Murin had 1:26 in riding time. Murin then got in deep on a low single but Bartlett was able to force a scramble and kill the clock. Murin chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 1-1 tie, but he had a 1:20 riding time edge. As the clock hit 1:00, Murin turned a high shot into a takedown and took a 3-1 lead. He finished the period on top and Bartlett dropped a 4-1 decision.

157: Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) took on No. 12 Kaleb Young at 157. Young took a high single with 2:15 on the clock but Barraclough fought it off and forced a stalemate with 2:00 left in the period. Barraclough got in on a high single and Young forced a scramble and a stalemate with 1:20 left in the period. Barraclough continued to shoot, taking high singles that forced the Hawkeye into defense. The first period ended in a 0-0 tie. Young chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Action returned to neutral with Barraclough taking the shots and Young playing defense. Barraclough and Young finished the second period on their feet and Young led 1-0 after two periods. Barraclough chose down to start the third period. Young was able to control the Lion for over a minute, working his riding time advantage over 1:00. Barraclough was not able to break free of Young's control and Young, with riding time, posted a 2-0 win.

165: Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 11 at 165, met No. 5 Alex Marinelli. Berge fought off early Marinelli pressure but gave up a stall warning :50 into the bout. Marinelli nearly connected on a low shot, but Berge was able to skip away and keep the bout tied 0-0. With the first period at its' midway point, Marinelli took a low shot and took a 2-0 lead with a takedown. Berge was unable to get to neutral as Marinelli built up over 1:00 in riding time. Marinelli led 2-0 after one period with a rideout and chose down to start the second period. The Hawkeye escaped to a 3-0 lead with 1:48 on the clock. Berge gave up a stall point with :25 left in the period and trailed 4-0 after two. Berge chose down to start the third period. Berge escaped to a 4-1 score with 1:21 left in the bout. Marinelli took the Lion down on the edge of the mat to open up a 6-1 lead with :49 left to wrestle with the riding time point clinched. Berge escaped to a 6-2 score. Berge gave up another stall point t and then a final takedown and, with riding time, Marinelli posted the 10-2 major decision.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, took on No. 2 Michael Kemerer. Starocci and Kemerer worked the center circle, for the opening minute. Starocci took a high single that Kemerer defended, and the bout continued tied 0-0. Starocci worked a high shot into another scramble that Kemerer turned into a stalemate with 1:13 on the clock. Starocci turned another single into a scramble, nearly taking Kemerer down. But the Hawkeye was able to fight through the effort and get back to his feet without giving up the takedown. Tied 0-0 after a scoreless first period, Starocci chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Starocci controlled the center circle, forcing Kemerer into a stall warning while getting in deep on a shot. Kemerer scrambled through and a stalemate was called with :31 left in the middle period. Starocci fought off a late Kemerer shot and killed the clock, sending the bout to the third period with the Lion leading 1-0. After an Iowa challenge that did not work, Kemerer escaped to a 1-1 tie on the reset. Neither wrestler was able to find an opening as the clock hit :30. Starocci took a low single and Kemerer countered, nearly scoring. But Starocci was able to kill the clock and the bout moved to sudden victory. A Starocci induced scramble led to a stalemate with :35 left in the extra period. Starocci forced another late scramble that led to the officials awarding a takedown as the period ended. But the action was reviewed, and time had expired, sending the bout to a tiebreaker. Starocci was down first and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Kemerer was down next. Starocci was able to keep control of Kemerer for the full :30 and walked away with a thrilling 2-1 (tb) victory.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, battled No. 17 Abe Assad. Brooks scored quickly, taking Assad down in the opening seconds to take a 2-1 lead after cutting the Hawkeye loose. Seconds later, the Lion notched a second takedown and opening up a 4-1 lead with 1:35 on the clock. Brooks built his riding time up over 1:00 with a strong ride keeping control of the Hawkeye. With the clock moving below :30, Brooks settled in on offense and finished the period on top to lead 4-1 with 1:51 in riding time after one. Brooks chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead at the 1:30 mark. He took another low shot, grabbing one Assad ankle then another to lead 7-2 after cutting the Hawkeye loose. Brooks forced Assad into a stall warning with :30 left and then turned a late shot into a scramble. But Assad was able to kill the clock and Brooks led 7-2 with 1:40 in time after two. Assad chose down to start the final period and Brooks cut him loose to a 7-3 lead. Brooks fought off an Assad high single to force a stalemate with :56 left in the bout. Brooks finished the bout in neutral and, with 1:52 in riding time, posted the strong 8-3 win.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, faced off against No. 4 Jacob Warner. The duo battled evenly through the opening minute-plus with neither wrestler finding any openings on offense. Dean took a slight shot at the 1:15 mark but Warner countered, moved around and took the Lion down to an early 2-0 lead. Dean was unable to break free of Warner's ride, but the Hawkeye got hit with a stall warning with :15 left in the period, stopping riding time. Dean scrambled his way to a near reversal and appeared to have Warner in danger for back points as the period ended. The officials did not award any points and Dean trailed 2-0 after one. Warner chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. Dean got off a series of quick shots in the middle of the mat, but Warner was able to move away from the Lion and maintain his lead as the clock hit :45. Trailing 3-0, Dean chose down to start the third period. He quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. Needing takedowns, Dean began to shoot Warner backwards. He picked up a stall point and then turned a low shot into a scramble and a takedown to open up a 4-3 lead. He then turned Warner to his back and finished with four near fall points to post the thrilling 8-3 win.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 3 at 285, met No. 5 Tony Cassioppi. Kerkvliet scored quickly, taking Cassioppi down just over :30 into the bout to lead 2-1 after a quick Iowa escape. Kerkvliet went back to work on his feet, maintaining position in the center circle as he looked for more offense. Cassioppi hit a shoulder throw, taking Kerkvliet down to take a 3-2 lead with 1:02 on the clock. Kerkvliet was unable to break free of Cassioppi's ride and trailed 3-2 after the opening period. Kerkvliet chose neutral to start the second period. The twosome battled through a scoreless period with Kerkvliet two shots that Cassioppi was able to defend. Leading 3-2, Cassioppi chose down to start the third period. Kerkvliet cut the Hawkeye loose to a 4-2 score at the 1:35 mark and nearly connected on a shot. But Cassioppi countered for shoulder control and took the Lion sophomore down for another takedown and a 6-2 lead. Cassioppi finished the period on top and, with 1:25 in riding time, posted the 7-2 win.



#1 PENN STATE 32, #6 OHIO STATE 7 Friday, Feb. 4, 2022 -- Bryce Jordan Center -- University Park, Pa.

125: #6 Drew Hildebrandt PSU dec. #10 Malik Heinselmann OSU, 2-0	3-0
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU pinned Brady Koontz OSU, WBF (6:31)	9-0
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU maj. dec. #20 Dylan D'Emilio OSU, 13-3	13-0
149: #2 Sammy Sasso PSU dec. #18 Beau Bartlett PSU, 4-2	13-3
157: Terrell Barraclough PSU dec. Isaac Wilcox OSU, 4-2 (sv)	16-3
165: Creighton Edsell PSU dec. Kevon Freeman OSU, 2-0 (sv)	19-3
174: #7 Ethan Smith maj. dec. Mason Marville PSU, 15-5	19-7
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU pinned Rocky Jordan OSU, WBF (3:20)	25-7
197: #2 Max Dean PSU dec. #21 Gavin Hoffman OSU, 5-3 (sv)	28-7
285: #5 Greg Kerkvliet PSU maj. dec. #13 Tate Orndorff OSU, 10-2	32-7

Attendance: 15,991 (66th sellout in last 68 home events, including 7 of 9 in BJC and 59-straight in Rec Hall)

The Penn State Nittany Lions (15-0, 7-0 B1G) ranked No. 1 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), hammered No. 6 Ohio State (6-3, 2-3 B1G) 32-7 in the 2022 BJC Dual. The Penn State won all but two bouts in the lopsided victory, which was wrestled in front of a sold-out Bryce Jordan Center crowd of 15,991. Penn State has wrestled in front of sellout crowds in 66 of its last 68 home events, including seven of nine in the near 16,000-seat BJC. The Nittany Lions have notched 59-straight sellouts in Rec Hall. Penn State opened up the dual with three straight wins and never looked back.

Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 6 at 125, got Penn State off to a fast start with a convincing win over No. 10 Malik Heinselmann. Hildebrandt used an escape, a third period rideout and 1:53 in riding time to post a 2-0 win. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, dominated Brady Koontz throughout his match and finished off the effort with a pin at the 6:31 mark to put Penn State on top 9-0. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, controlled No. 20 Dylan D'Emilio for seven minutes, rolling up nearly 4:00 in riding time on his way to a strong 13-3 major decision. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 18 at 149, nearly pulled off the upset of No. 2 Sammy Sasso. Bartlett used a third period reversal to take a lead, and after a Sasso escape, nearly fought off a late Sasso shot before the Buckeye stole a 4-2 win at the :04 mark. Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) brought the sellout BJC crowd to its feet at 157. Barraclough used a scrambling takedown with just :03 left in extra time to notch a thrilling 4-2 (sv) win over Isaac Wilcox. Barraclough's late heroics sent Penn State into intermission leading 16-3.

With No. 11 Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) not competing, junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.) picked up a big win at 165. Edsell rode Kevon Freeman out in the third period to force sudden victory. He then scrambled his way to an early takedown to post a 2-0 (sv) win and give Penn State a 19-3 lead. With No. 1 Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.) not wrestling, Mason Marville (Lorton, Va.) stepped in at 174 and dropped a 15-5 bout to No. 7 Ethan Smith. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, pinned Rocky Jordan early in the second period. Brooks took down to start the second period, reversed Jordan with a cradle, and finished off the fall at the 3:20 to put Penn State up 25-7. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, battled No. 21 Gavin Hoffman into extra time before using a takedown with :30 left to notch a thrilling 5-3 (sv) win. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, closed out the lopsided dual meet victory by majoring No. 13 Tate Orndorff. Kerkvliet rolled up 2:51 in riding time and notched four takedowns in the 10-2 major. The Nittany Lions owned an 18-8 takedown advantage and won eight of ten bouts. Penn State picked up eight bonus points off two pins (Bravo-Young, Brooks) and two majors (Lee, Kerkvliet).

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 6 at 125, battled No. 10 Malik Heinselmann. The duo battled through an even first minute. Hildebrandt fought off a low Heinselmann shot at the 1:45 mark, forcing a stalemate. Hildebrandt looked to control the middle of the mat, working on the Nittany Lion logo. The clock moved under the 1:00 mark and Hildebrandt began to force Heinselmann to the edge of the mat with increased pressure. The first period ended in a scoreless tie. Hildebrandt chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. Hildebrandt worked his way in on a single with 1:00 and Heinselmann was quickly back out of bounds with :34 left on the clock. Down 1-0, Heinselmann chose down to start the third period. Hildebrandt went to work on top. He countered an early Heinselmann scramble and broke the Buckeye down on the Penn State logo. The Nittany Lion senior worked his riding time point over 1:00 and forced Heinselmann into a first stall warning. Hildebrandt spent the entire period on top, using a dominant third period rideout to post a 2-0 win with 1:53 in riding time.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, met Brady Koontz. Bravo-Young wasted no time taking Koontz down, scoring in the opening :20. The Nittany Lion senior countered a Koontz shot, forcing a stalemate with 2:07 on the clock. He then blew through a high double off the reset and led 4-2 with 2:00 left in the opening period. After a stalemate at 1:20, Bravo-Young ducked under Koontz for a third takedown with :33 on the clock. Bravo-Young finished the period on top and led 6-2 after one. Bravo-Young chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 7-2 lead. He rolled through a Koontz shot and added a fourth takedown to lead 9-3. Bravo-Young added a fifth takedown with :38 left on the clock and once again finished on top to lead 11-3 with 1:05 in riding time. Koontz chose down to start the third period and Bravo-Young made him pay. The Lion senior worked shoulder control into a fall at the 6:31 mark.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, faced off against No. 20 Dylan D'Emilio. Lee scored quickly, taking the Buckeye down for an early 2-0 lead. He cut D'Emilio loose after a short ride and went back to work in neutral. Lee countered a D'Emilio shot, scrambled his way to control of his foot and finished off a takedown to lead 4-1 at the 1:20 mark. Lee's work on top was strong and the Lion senior finished the period on top to lead 4-1 with 1:50 in riding time. D'Emilio chose down to start the second period and Lee cut him loose to a 4-2 score. Lee quickly took the Buckeye down again and opened up a 6-2 lead. With over 2:00 in riding time, Lee forced D'Emilio into a stall warning at the :33 mark. He finished on top once again and led 6-2 with a clinched riding time point thanks to 3:19 in time. Lee chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 7-2 lead. Lee took D'Emilio down and cut him loose at the 1:20 mark to lead. He countered a D'Emilio shot, worked his way around for another takedown with :30 left and led 10-3. He picked up a stall point and, with 3:54 in riding time, rolled to the 13-3 major decision.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 18 at 149, met No. 2 Sammy Sasso. Bartlett and Sasso battled through an even opening minute. The Nittany Lion held off a Sasso shot and forced action back to neutral as the clock hit 1:30. Sasso worked a low single into a scramble and Bartlett countered on the Lion logo, forcing a reset with :51 left in the opening period. The duo finished the opening period on their feet in a 0-0 tie. Sasso chose down to start the second period. Bartlett kept control early but gave up on stall warning before Sasso escaped to a 1-0 lead. Sasso shot low and Bartlett countered, nearly taking the Buckeye down. But Sasso continued to scramble for the takedown. Bartlett was able to fight his way to the end of the period and trailed 1-0 after two. Bartlett chose down to start the third period. He worked his way to his feet, shoot Sasso off over his head, and took a 2-1 lead with a reversal. Sasso escaped to tie the bout at 2-2 with :55 on the clock and action resumed on the Nittany Lion logo. Sasso worked his way in on another single with :25 left on the clock and Bartlett fought off the effort until the :04 mark when Sasso finished off the takedown for a late 4-2 win.

157: Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) took on Isaac Wilcox at 157. The duo battled through the first minute in neutral, with neither wrestler finding an opening on offense. Barraclough moved back from a slight Wilcox shot with 1:40 left and the first period hit its midway point tied 0-0. Barraclough and Wilcox continued through the opening period in neutral and the match moved to the second stanza knotted in a scoreless tie. Barraclough chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 1-0 lead. The second period was also contested in neutral, and Barraclough led 1-0 after two. Trailing by one, Wilcox chose neutral to start the third period and quickly took Barraclough down to lead 2-1. Barraclough worked his way to an escaped and a 2-2 tie with 1:32 on the clock. Barraclough turned a low single into a scramble with 1:20 left but Wilcox was able to kick out of the hold. Barraclough kept Wilcox on the outside circle, with the Buckeye backing away towards the outside circle over the next minute. With the scored tie 2-2 after regulation, the match moved to sudden victory. The duo traded shots for the first minute of extra time until Wilcox connected on a high single. Hildebrandt fought off the move and forced Wilcox into a stall warning with :39 on the clock. Barraclough turned a high single into a scramble with :18 left and then scrambled around for a takedown with just :03 left to post the thrilling 4-2 win.

165: With No. 11 Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.) not wrestling, Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.) met Kevon Freeman at 165. Freeman forced an early scramble with a shot and Edsell countered the effort and forced a stalemate with 2:10 left in the opening period. Freeman shot again and Edsell once again turned the action into a scramble on the Nittany Lion logo. Edsell forced a stalemate with 1:02 left in the period. Edsell finished off the first period controlling action in the middle of the mat, tied 0-0 after one. Edsell chose down to start the second period. Freeman was able to control the action on top for the entire period and the bout moved to the second stanza tied 0-0, but Freeman had 2:00 in riding time. Freeman chose down to start the second period. Edsell went to work on top and broke the Buckeye down. Edsell controlled the action, working Freeman's riding time edge down under 1:00. Edsell continued to work the clock down, needing a rideout to send the bout to extra time. Edsell finished the period on top and the bout moved to sudden victory. Edsell turned a shot into a scramble at the 1:31 mark and rolled his way to a takedown with 1:25 on the clock to post a thrilling 2-0 (sv) win.

174: With No. 1 Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.) not wrestling, Mason Marville (Lorton, Va.) took on No. 7 Ethan Smith. Marville took an early shot and action moved from neutral to the mat. But Smith was able to counter the effort and took a 2-0 lead with a takedown at the 2:32 mark. Marville escaped to a 2-1 score, but Smith was able to notch a second takedown and opened up a 4-2 lead. Smith picked up two more takedowns and led 8-3 after one. Smith chose down to start the second period and rolled to a reversal to open up a 10-3 lead. Marville escaped to a 10-4 score, but Smith ended the second period with another takedown and led 12-4 after two periods. Marville chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 12-5 score. Smith picked up one more takedown and, with riding time, posted the 15-5 major decision.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, met Rocky Jordan. Brooks took a shot off a reset with 2:05 on the clock and gained control of Jordan's ankle. He turned the scramble into a takedown and led 2-0 at the 1:42 mark. Jordan escaped to a 2-1 score with 1:00 left in the period and Brooks continued to press the Buckeye backwards on offense. Brooks connected on a shot off a reset but did not get the takedown and led 2-1 after the opening period. Brooks chose down to start the second period. He reversed Jordan by locking up a cradle, turned the Buckeye to his back and got the fall early in the second period at the 3:20 mark.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 2 at 197, wrestled No. 21 Gavin Hoffman. Dean and Hoffman battled in neutral for the first two minutes. Dean controlled the tempo, forcing Hoffman backwards on defense as the Lion junior looked for an offensive opening. Hoffman was able to back away for the entire period and Dean was tied 0-0 after one period. Hoffman chose down to start the second period and Dean went to work on top. Dean controlled the action from the top position for over a minute as Hoffman tried to work to his feet. Dean maintained control for 1:49 before Hoffman was able to escape to a 1-0 lead. Trailing by one, Dean chose down to start the third period and quickly reversed Hoffman to take a 2-1 lead. With well over 1:00 in riding time, Dean went back to work on top with 1:25 left in the bout. Dean kept control to the :42 mark and gave up a stall warning, forcing a reset with the Lion still on top. Hoffman scrambled his way to a reversal to take a 3-2 lead with :25 left in the bout. Dean, with riding time clinched, was unable to escape and the bout moved to sudden victory. Dean scrambled through a high single at the 1:30 mark and nearly scored. But Hoffman countered and the action was stopped on a potentially dangerous with 1:20 on the clock. Dean forced another scramble at the 1:00 mark and, after nearly a minute, finished off a thrilling 5-3 (sv) win with a takedown.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, took on No. 13 Tate Orndorff. Kerkvliet connected on a high shot with 1:50 on the clock and took Orndorff down to open up a 2-0 lead. He went to work on top, building up nearly 1:00 in riding time before Orndorff escaped to a 2-1 score. Kerkvliet set the offensive pace for the rest of the period, forcing Orndorff back to the outside circle for the remainder of the first stanza. Leading 2-1, Kerkvliet chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. He then blew through a high single for another takedown and a 5-1 lead with 1:15 left in the period. Kerkvliet carried that lead into the third period. Orndorff chose neutral to start the final 2:00. Kerkvliet took a 7-2 lead with a third takedown and clinched his riding time point. He finished off the convincing major with another takedown and, with 2:51 in riding time, posted the 10-2 win.

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#1 PENN STATE 21, #7 NEBRASKA 13 Sunday, Feb. 6, 2022 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

125: #6 Drew Hildebrandt PSU dec. Jeremiah Reno NEB, 4-0	3-0
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU tech fall Dominick Serrano NEB, 23-8 (TF; 7:00)	8-0
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU dec. #8 Chad Red Jr. NEB, 4-1	11-0
149: #8 Ridge Lovett NEB dec. #18 Beau Bartlett PSU, 6-0	11-3
157: #5 Peyton Robb NEB dec. Terrell Barraclough PSU, 3-2	11-6
165: Creighton Edsell PSU dec. Tahjae Jenkins-Taylor NEB, 9-2	14-6
174: #5 Mikey Labriola NEB maj. dec. Mason Manville PSU, 14-4	14-10
184: #1 Aaron Brooks PSU maj. dec. #9 Taylor Venz NEB, 14-1	18-10
197: #3 Colton Schultz NEB dec. Michael Beard PSU, 6-4	18-13
285: #5 Greg Kerkvliet PSU dec. #12 Christian Lance NEB, 8-2	21-13

Extra Matches (Official NCAA bouts, do not count towards dual score):

133: Brandon Meredith PSU dec. Edwin Thomsen NEB, 7-6
 197: Donovan Ball PSU dec. Brandyn Van Tassel NEB, 8-2

Attendance: 6,520 (60th-straight sellout in Rec Hall, 67th of 69 home sellouts, including 7 of 9 in BJC)

The Penn State Nittany Lions (16-0, 8-0 B1G) ranked No. 1 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), dethroned No. 7 Nebraska (5-4, 2-4 B1G) by a 21-13 score to clinch the 2022 Big Ten Regular Season (dual meet) Championship. The dual was wrestled in front of over 6,500 fans in the 60th-straight sellout crowd in Rec Hall (and the 67th of 69 home sellouts, including seven of nine in the near-16,000 seat Bryce Jordan Center). Wrestling without three starters, head coach Cael Sanderson's squad was undaunted and finished off the conference slate with yet another win. The dual victory caps off a perfect run through the Big Ten season and Penn State has claimed its eighth Big Ten Regular Season title (outright or co-) since 2012.

Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 6 at 125, got Penn State off to a positive start with a 4-0 win over Jeremiah Reno, including 2:49 in riding time. Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, rolled up ten takedowns and 4:02 in riding time to post a 23-8 technical fall at the 7:00 mark over Dominick Serrano. Bravo-Young's win put the Nittany Lions up 8-0. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, controlled No. 8 Chad Red Jr. for seven minutes in a 4-1 victory that included 1:20 in riding time. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 18 at 149, lost a tough 6-0 decision to No. 8 Ridge Lovett as the Huskers cut Penn State's dual lead to 11-3. Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) took No. 5 Peyton Robb to the limit at 157. Barraclough battled the Husker until the final seconds, nearly scoring a winning takedown as the bout ended. But Robb fought off the Barraclough low double for the final :15 and Barraclough lost a hard-fought 3-2 decision. The Husker win cut Penn State's lead to 11-6 at halftime.

With No. 11 Brady Berge out, junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.) once again got the call at 165 and came up with a huge win. Edsell rolled up nearly 3:00 in riding time in a dominant 9-2 win over Tahjae-Jenkins Taylor. Edsell's victory put the Nittany Lions up 14-6. With No. 1 Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.) not wrestling, Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) got the nod at 174 and lost a tough 14-4 major decision to No. 5 Mike Labriola. Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, dominated No. 9 Taylor Venz in a marquee match-up at 184. Brooks controlled the entire bout, rolling up six takedowns and 2:15 in riding time to post an impressive 14-4 major decision. His win put Penn State up 18-10. With No. 2 Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.) out, sophomore Michael Beard (Pottstown, Pa.) got the nod at 197 and took on No. 3 Eric Schultz. Beard battled Schultz throughout the bout, appearing to grab a victory with a late takedown. But two stall calls on Beard as Schultz tried to flee the mat, with Beard holding the Husker's leg and trying to pull him in, gave the third-ranked Husker a 6-4 win. Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, finished off the dual victory by controlling No. 12 Christian Lance for the full seven minutes. Kerkvliet got takedowns in each period to roll to an 8-2 win and secure the 21-13 dual victory.

Penn State rolled up a 26-9 takedown advantage, including a 10-2 margin in the third period. The Nittany Lions picked up three bonus points off a tech fall (Bravo-Young) and a major (Brooks). Two extra bouts were contested after the scoring portion of the dual meet. While not counting towards the team score, the bouts are official NCAA contests. Brandon Meredith (Limerick, Pa.) used a late takedown to beat Edwin Thomsen 7-6 at 133. Donovan Ball (New Cumberland, Pa.) won a 197, tallying three takedowns in an 8-2 win over Brandyn Van Tassel.

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

125: Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 6 at 125, met Jeremiah Reno. Hildebrandt set a fast pace at the onset, forcing Reno backwards over the first minute. The Nittany Lion turned a low single into a scramble and nearly took the Husker down, but Reno was able to slide out of bounds and keep the bout scoreless. Hildebrandt forced Reno into a stall warning with his constant pressure. As the clock hit the :50 mark, Hildebrandt turned a low single into a takedown and a 2-0 lead. Hildebrandt then went to work on top, breaking Reno down to finish on top. Trailing 2-0, Reno chose down to start the second period. Hildebrandt controlled the action on top, working his riding time up over 1:00 with a strong ride. After a reset with :55 on the clock, Hildebrandt steadily worked Reno to his stomach and finished the second period on top. Hildebrandt led 2-0 with 2:49 in time after two periods and chose down to start the third stanza. Hildebrandt chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. With the riding time point clinched, Hildebrandt went to work on offense. Reno forced a stalemate after a Hildebrandt shot and repeated the effort after another late Hildebrandt shot. The Nittany Lion senior notched a 4-0 win with 2:41 in riding time.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, took on Dominick Serrano. Bravo-Young scored quickly, taking the Husker down just :40 into the bout to open up a 2-0 lead. Serrano escaped to a 2-1 score with 2:00 left but Bravo-Young scored again, using a high double to open up a 4-1 lead with 1:50 on the clock. Bravo-Young built up over 1:00 in riding time with strong work on top and then cut Serrano loose to a 4-2 score. He continued to shoot offensively. Serrano shot and Bravo-Young countered for a third takedown and a 6-3 score. Bravo-Young added a fourth takedown and cut and then a fifth at the :04 mark to lead 10-4 after one period. Serrano chose down to start the second period and Bravo-Young broke the Husker down off the whistle. He forced Serrano into a stall warning as his riding time hit 2:00. Bravo-Young was relentless on top, working for a turning combination. He nearly had the turn at the :50 mark but Serrano rolled through. Bravo-Young finished the period on top and led 10-4 with a clinched riding time point (3:26) after two. Bravo-Young chose down to start the third stanza and quickly escaped to an 11-4 lead. He added another takedown and cut, then two more quick ones and led 15-6. Bravo-Young opened up a 17-7 lead with another takedown and cut with :40 on the clock. Bravo-Young finished off the match by picking up a stall point, a final takedown, and a riding time point off 4:02 for the dominant 23-8 technical fall.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, battled No. 8 Chad Red Jr. Lee controlled the center of the mat early, working on the Nittany Lion logo as he battled Red for the first minute-plus. Red got in on a high single and Lee quickly forced a stalemate. Red shot off the ensuing whistle, again getting in high on Lee. Lee scrambled, working his way out of Red's control and behind him to take a 2-0 lead with a takedown. Lee went to work on top, looking to turn the Husker for back points as his riding time moved towards 1:00. Lee, trying to turn Red, was inexplicitly hit for stalling and a reset was called. Lee finished the period on top and led 2-0 with

:58 in time after one. Lee chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. The duo battled in neutral as the clock hit :45 with Lee taking a couple slight shots that kept Red backing up. With Lee up 3-0, Red chose down to start the third period. Lee maintained control long enough to build up over 1:00 in riding time and the clock moved to the 1:15 mark. Red rolled to an escaped and a 3-1 score with 1:05 left and the bout continued in neutral. Lee finished off the win on his feet, notching a convincing 4-1 victory with 1:20 in time.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 18 at 149, took on No. 8 Ridge Lovett. Lovett took a low single that Bartlett turned into a scramble, nearly countering for a takedown of his own. But the Husker was able to continue to fight through the Lion counter and picked up a takedown to open up a 2-0 lead with 1:42 on the clock. Lovett finished the period on top and carried the 2-0 lead into the second period. Lovett chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. Bartlett worked the center of the mat, looking for an opening on offense, but Lovett was solid on defense and the clock moved below the 1:00 mark. Bartlett took a low shot at Lovett's foot and the Husker countered for a takedown of his own to open up a 5-0 lead. Bartlett chose down to start the third period. Lovett clinched his riding time point and then finished the period on top to post a 6-0 win.

157: Sophomore Terrell Barraclough (Kaysville, Utah) met No. 5 Peyton Robb. Robb scored, quickly, taking Barraclough down in the opening seconds for an early 2-0 lead. Barraclough escaped to a 2-1 score and action resumed in the center of the mat with 2:10 on the clock. The duo battled evenly of the next minute and Barraclough fought off a Robb shot with 1:15 left to keep the margin at one point. Barraclough took a low single that Robb defended as the period wound down and the Nittany Lion sophomore trailed 2-1 after one. Robb chose down to start the second period and scrambled to a quick escape to lead 3-1. With the clock moving below 1:00, Barraclough stepped back from a Robb shot, worked inside on a high single of his own but Robb defended the effort and the match continued in neutral with :20 left in the period. Down 3-2, Barraclough chose down to start the third period. He worked his way to his feet and escaped to a 3-2 deficit with 1:38 left in the bout. Barraclough defended a high Robb shot at the 1:10 mark and forced a reset. Barraclough continued to shoot and forced Robb into a first stall warning with :30 left. Barraclough went for the win, working in on a low double with :15 left in the bout. He nearly pulled out the victory, but Robb was able to kill the clock on defense and Barraclough dropped a hard-fought 3-2 decision.

165: Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.) met Tahjae Jenkins-Taylor. Edsell prowled the center of the mat, forcing Jenkins-Taylor to the outside circle for the first 1:00. The duo continued in neutral as the opening period hit its midway point with neither wrestler threatening to score. A reset was called with 1:12 and Edsell moved in on offense. He connected on a low single, working the Husker's leg up and tripping him to the mat for a takedown and a 2-0 lead with :25 left on the clock. Edsell finished the period on top and carried that lead into the second period. Jenkins-Taylor chose down to start the second period and Edsell went to work on top. He broke his opponent down, getting his stomach flat, and worked his riding time up over 1:00. Edsell continued to control the action on top. He worked Jenkins-Taylor to the mat after a reset and finished with the rideout to lead 2-0 with 2:24 in riding time after two periods. Edsell chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 3-0 lead. As the clock hit 1:20, Edsell's riding time point was clinched. He countered a Jenkins-Taylor shot and nearly took him down on the edge of the mat. But the Husker scrambled out of bounds, giving up the stall warning. Edsell turned a low shot into a scramble and finished off the takedown for a 5-0 lead with 1:00. He cut the Husker loose and began looking for bonus points. A fast duck-under for a takedown and another cut gave Edsell a 7-1 lead. He picked up a stall point as Jenkins-Taylor escaped and, with riding time, notched a convincing 9-2 win with 2:44 in riding time.

174: With No. 1 Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.) not wrestling, Mason Manville (Lorton, Va.) took on No. 5 Mikey Labriola at 174. Manville and Labriola battled evenly for the first 1:30 with Manville countering off a Labriola shot and nearly locking the Husker up on his feet for a throw. But Labriola was able to defend the Manville effort and a stalemate was called with 1:15 on the clock. Labriola slid behind Manville for the bout's first takedown with :51 left in the opening period and carried a 2-0 lead into the second stanza. Trailing by two, Manville chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 2-1 deficit. The action continued in neutral until Labriola was able to notch a takedown to lead 4-2. Manville worked his way in on a low single but Labriola countered for a third takedown to open up a 6-3 lead after Manville escaped. The Husker finished the period with a final takedown and led 8-3 after two periods. Labriola chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 9-3 lead. Labriola tripped Manville to the ground and opened up an 11-4 lead with a clinched riding time point. Labriola added a final takedown and notched a 14-4 major with 1:40 in riding time.

184: Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1 at 184, wrestled No. 9 Taylor Venz. Brooks worked on offense for the opening minute-plus, steadily breaking down Venz's defense. Brooks broke through for a takedown and a 2-1 lead at the 1:00 mark. He used a low shot and trip for a second takedown with under :20 left and led 4-1 after one. Venz chose down to start the second period and escaped to a 4-2 score. Brooks continued to dominate on offense, using another low single to pick up a third takedown and led 6-3 after cutting Venz loose. Brooks forced Venz into a stall warning and then took him down a fourth time to open up an 8-3 lead. He cut Venz loose with :30, countered a slight Husker shot at the :20 mark and scrambled around for a fifth takedown to lead 10-4 with 1:23 in time after two. Brooks chose neutral to start the third period. Brooks turned another low shot into a scramble with 1:30 on the clock. Brooks scrambled his way to a sixth takedown and clinched his riding time point on top. He finished off the bout in control, picked up a stall point, and rolled to the impressive 14-4 major decision.

197: With No. 2 Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.) not wrestling, sophomore Michael Beard (Pottstown, Pa.) took on No. 3 Eric Schultz. Beard and Schultz battled evenly in the center of the mat for the first minute-plus. Beard took a couple fast low shots that forced the Husker to back away. As the clock hit the 1:00 mark, Beard turned a low single into a scramble. He lifted Schultz's foot off the mat and, as the Husker tried to skip out of bounds, Beard pulled him back into play, worked himself into control of his other foot, and notched the takedown with :40 left. Schultz was able to scramble to a late escape and Beard led 2-1 after one. Beard chose down to start the second period. Schultz was able to control the action on top, working the clock down under 1:00 and forcing Beard into a stall warning. Beard was hit for a second stall and the match was tied 2-2. Schultz finished the period on top and the bout moved to the third period tied 2-2 and Schultz had 1:22 in time. Schultz chose down to start the third period. Beard was able to control the action long enough to kill the Husker's riding time edge before cutting him loose to a 3-2 deficit with 1:25 on the clock. As the clock moved below 1:00, Beard shot low with a quick single and took the Husker to the mat for a takedown and a 4-3 lead. While Schultz was trying to flee out of bounds, Beard was called for two stalls in just seconds and trailed 5-4. He cut Schultz loose to trying to tie the match up, but Schultz was able to flee to the outside circle and was given a 6-4 cut win.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, battled No. 12 Christian Lance. Kerkvliet controlled the center of the mat, working neutral to offense and taking a 2-0 lead with a takedown at the 1:30 mark. He then went to work on top, building up :40 in riding time before cutting Lance loose to a 2-1 score. Kerkvliet spent the next :30 chasing Lance all over the mat, but the Husker was able to work the outside circle and kill the clock. Leading 2-1, Kerkvliet chose down to start the second period. He quickly escaped to a 3-1 lead. He turned a low shot into a takedown and upped his margin to 5-1 with 1:20 on the clock. Kerkvliet controlled the action on top, finishing the period with a rideout to lead 5-1 with 1:51 in time after two. Lance chose down to start the third period and Kerkvliet cut him loose to a 5-2 score. Kerkvliet finished off the bout with a late takedown and, with 2:29 in time, rolled to the 8-2 victory.



#1 PENN STATE 45, RIDER 0 Sunday, Feb. 20, 2022 -- Rec Hall -- University Park, Pa.

157: #11 (165) Brady Berge PSU maj. dec. Cole McComas RID, 14-4	4-0
165: Creighton Edsell PSU dec. Michael Wilson RID, 7-6	7-0
174: #1 Carter Starocci PSU maj. dec. Shane Reitsma RID, 22-9	11-0
184: Donovan Ball PSU maj. dec. Corey Connolly RID, 12-3	15-0
197: #1 Max Dean PSU pinned Azeem Bell RID, WBF (0:54)	21-0
285: #5 Greg Kerkvliet PSU pinned David Szuba RID, WBF (1:11)	27-0
125: #5 Drew Hildebrandt PSU pinned Tyler Klinsky RID, WBF (2:59)	33-0
133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young PSU tech fall Richie Koehler RID, 26-11 (TF; 6:08)	38-0
141: #1 Nick Lee PSU dec. #25 Quinn Kinner RID, 6-3	41-0
149: #19 Beau Bartlett PSU maj. dec. Bryan Miraglia RID, 12-4	45-0

Extra Matches (Official NCAA bouts, do not count towards dual score):

157: #11 (165) Brady Berge PSU maj. dec. Cole McComas RID, 16-5

Attendance: 6,442 (61st-straight sellout in Rec Hall, 68th of 70 home sellouts, incl. 7 of 9 in BJC)

The Penn State Nittany Lions (17-0, 8-0 B1G) ranked No. 1 in the latest InterMat Tournament Power Index (TPI), shut out visiting Rider (4-10) 45-0 to close out the 2021-22 dual meet season unbeaten. Penn State ended the year with a 17-0 record. The win was Penn State's second dual shutout of the season.

Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 11 at 165, made the move down to 157 and dominated Cole McComas. Berge totaled six takedowns in a 14-4 major decision. Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.) picked up another win at 165, using a riding time point to post a hard-fought 7-6 win over Michael Wilson to give Penn State a 7-0 lead. Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, put on a takedown clinic in a 22-9 major over Rider's Shane Reitsma. Starocci had 10 takedowns in the win.

With No. 1 Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.) not competing, Donovan Ball (New Cumberland, Pa.) got the nod at 184. Ball kept the Nittany Lions rolling, rolling to a 12-3 major over Corey Connolly. Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 1 at 197, made it five straight in the first half with a fast fall. Dean took Azeem Bell down quickly and turned him to his back for the pin at the 0:54 mark. Dean's pin put Penn State up 21-0 at halftime.

Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, made short work of Rider's David Szuba to start the second half, taking him down, locking up a cradle and getting the fall at the 1:11 mark. Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 5 at 125, made it three straight first period pins for Penn State. Hildebrandt turned an early takedown into a long ride. With just :01 left in the first period, Hildebrandt flattened Tyler Klinsky's shoulders for the fall at the 2:59 mark to put Penn State up 33-0.

Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, dazzled the sold-out Rec Hall crowd with 13 takedowns in a 26-11 tech fall over Richie Koehler, getting the tech at the 6:08 mark to put Penn State up 38-0. Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), ranked No. 1 at 141, picked up the only three takedowns in a 6-3 victory over No. 25 Quinn Kinner in the dual's marquee bout. Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 19 at 149, closed out Penn State's shutout. Bartlett rolled to a 12-4 major with over 2:00 in riding time over Bryan Miraglia. Bartlett's win cemented Penn State's 45-0 win.

One extra bout was contested after the scoring portion of the dual meet. While not counting towards the team score, the bouts is an official NCAA contest. Looking to get an extra match in at his new weight, Berge took on Cole McComas a second time in the extra contest at 157. Berge once again dominated McComas, connecting for seven takedowns in a 16-5 major.

Penn State ends its dual meet season with a 17-0 record. Rider falls to 4-10. The Nittany Lions won the 2022 Big Ten Regular Season title with an 8-0 mark. This marks the sixth time that head coach Cael Sanderson has led Penn State through an unbeaten dual meet season. Penn State owns the nation's longest Division I dual meet win streak, which stands at 28 dating back to January of 2020.

DUAL MEET BOUT-BY-BOUT:

157: Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 11 at 165, moved down to 157 and took on Cole McComas. McComas forced an early scramble with a low single, but Berge deftly forced a stalemate and action resumed in neutral. Berge worked his way in on a low shot of his own and took a 2-0 lead with a takedown at the 2:00 mark. The Lion senior went to work on top, building up over 1:00 in riding time before cutting McComas loose. Berge used a fast ankle pick to pull McComas into play and took a 4-1 lead with a second takedown. Berge finished the period on top to lead by three with 1:53 in riding time after one. He took down to start the second stanza and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. Berge countered a slight McComas shot at the 1:00 mark and moved around for a takedown to lead 7-1. With over 2:00 in riding time, Berge cut McComas loose and rolled through a high single for a fourth takedown to lead 9-2 after two. McComas chose down to start the third period and Berge cut him loose to a 9-3 score. Berge worked McComas's shoulder to the mat and then muscled him aside for an 11-4 lead after cutting him loose. The Nittany Lion added one more takedown and, with 3:43 in riding time, posted a 14-4 major.

165: Junior Creighton Edsell met Michael Wilson at 165. Edsell used a fast low single to take a 2-0 lead at the 2:16 mark in the opening stanza. He put together a strong ride after the opening takedown, working his riding time advantage over 1:00 while working for a chance to turn the Bronc for back points. He notched a two-point turn before Wilson escaped to a 4-1 lead. Wilson took Edsell down after the escape to cut Edsell's lead to 4-3. Edsell escaped after a reset with :15 left and led 5-3 after one. Edsell chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 6-3 lead. Wilson controlled the action with shoulder control over the next minute but picked up a stall warning with a push out. The Bronc finished the period with a takedown, however, and Edsell led 6-5 after two. Trailing by one, Wilson took down to start the third period. Edsell controlled the action on top as the clock moved towards 1:20 mark. The Nittany Lion worked his riding time edge up over 1:00 with the ride but gave up a first stall warning at the :55 mark. Edsell broke Wilson down flat with :35 on the clock. Wilson escaped to briefly tie the match at 6-6 but Edsell's 1:58 in riding time gave the Nittany Lion a 7-6 win.

174: Sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.), ranked No. 1 at 174, met Shane Reitsma. Starocci took a 2-0 lead at the 2:12 mark, using a low shot to lift Reitsma's leg off the ground and, after pulling him back on to the mat, notching a takedown. He cut Reitsma loose on the reset then took him down again on the edge of the mat for a 4-2 lead. Starocci muscled his way to a third takedown with 1:10 on the clock and led 6-3 after a Bronc escape. The Lion sophomore blew through a high double for an 8-3 lead and finished the period on top to carry that lead and 1:04 in riding time, into the second period. Reitsma chose down to start the second period and Starocci cut him loose to an 8-4 score. Starocci quickly gained control of Reitsma's foot again and notched his fifth takedown of the bout with 1:31 on the clock. After Starocci cut the Bronc loose, Reitsma took a low shot that ended in a stalemate with :55 left in the middle period. Starocci forced Reitsma into a stall warning and then scored on a low double at the :20 mark. He once again finished the period on top and led 12-5 with 1:33 in time after two. Starocci chose down to start the third period and quickly escaped to a 13-5 lead. Starocci then countered a Rider shot for another takedown and led 15-5, cut Reitsma loose, and took him down again to open up a 17-6 lead. Starocci added two more takedowns and, with 1:38 in riding time, rolled to a 22-9 major decision.

184: With No. 1 Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.) not wrestling, Donovan Ball got the nod at 184 and took on Corey Connolly. Ball scored quickly, taking a low shot, working Connolly's right foot up and tripping the Bronc to the mat for a 2-0 lead at the 2:13 mark. After a Rider escape, Ball continued to press on offense and worked his way through a high double for a second takedown and a 4-1 lead. Ball worked his riding tie up over 1:00 with a strong ride as the clock moved below the :30 mark. He finished the period on top and led 4-1 with 1:35 in riding time after one. Ball chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-1 lead. Ball continued to work his offense, controlling the middle of the mat as the period hit its midway point. Ball took a fast shot but slipped and was nearly taken down by Connolly. But the Lion was able to slip out of trouble before giving up a takedown and finished off the period with a takedown of his own to lead 7-1 after two. Connolly chose down to start the third period and escaped to a 7-2 score. Ball pressed the Bronc backwards and blew through a low double for another takedown and a 9-2 lead with 1:20 left in the bout. He cut Connolly loose and muscled Connolly off the mat once more, taking him down for an 11-3 lead with clinched riding time. Ball finished the bout on top and, with 2:27 in riding time, rolled to a 12-3 major.

197: Junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.), ranked No. 1 at 197, faced off against Azeem Bell. Dean took Bell down to an early 2-0 lead with 2:25 left and then quickly rolled the Bronc over for nearfall points. Dean settled in, reset once and picked up the fast fall with a pin at the 0:54 mark.

285: Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, met David Szuba. Kerkvliet scored quickly, taking Szuba down in the first :15 for a 2-0 lead. He then went to work on top, locked up a cradle and turned the Bronc to his back. After a few seconds of work, Kerkvliet picked up the pin at the 1:11 mark.

125: Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.), ranked No. 5 at 125, took on Tyler Klinsky. Hildebrandt took Klinsky down off the opening whistle, opening up a 2-0 lead at the 2:37 mark. He then went to work on top, broke the Bronc flat and worked his riding time edge up over 1:00. Hildebrandt steadily worked Klinsky over to his shoulders and picked up a four-point turn to up his lead to 6-0. He reset on top after getting the nearfall call and then turned him once more. With just :01 left on the first period clock, Hildebrandt flattened Klinsky's shoulder for a pin at the 2:59 mark.

133: Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), ranked No. 1 at 133, met Richie Koehler. Koehler took the bout's first shot and force a scramble with a high single. But Bravo-Young steadily worked the action into a stalemate with 2:16 on the clock. Bravo-Young turned a high single into a takedown and a 2-0 lead after the reset and cut Koehler loose. He quickly added a second takedown and cut, then a third takedown, and led 6-2 with 1:20 left in the opening period. Bravo-Young added another takedown, led 8-4, and forced Koehler into a first stall warning. Bravo-Young countered a late Koehler shot for a final first period takedown and led 10-4 after one. Bravo-Young chose neutral to start the second period. He picked up his sixth takedown :30 into the period and cut Koehler loose again. Bravo-Young added two more quick takedowns to up his lead to 16-7 after a cut at the :30 mark. Bravo-Young lifted Koehler off the mat in the final seconds for a ninth takedown and led 18-7 with 1:26 in time after two. Koehler chose down to start the third period, Bravo-Young cut him loose and tacked on two quick takedowns to lead 22-9 just :30 into the period. Bravo-Young finished off the match with two more takedowns to roll to a dominant 26-11 tech fall at the 6:08 mark.

141: Senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.) ranked No. 1 at 141, took on No. 25 Quinn Kinner. Lee scored quickly, taking Kinner down in the opening seconds for a 2-1 lead. The Nittany Lion senior then controlled the action in the center of the mat, looking for a chance to score as the clock moved below the 1:30 mark. Lee upped his lead to 4-2 with a second takedown at :30 and carried that lead into the second period. Lee chose down to start the second period. Kinner was able to control the action for :55 before giving up a stall warning on the leg. Lee was unable to work his way free of Kinner's ride and the Lion led 4-2 after two. Kinner, who had 1:30 in time to his favor, chose down to start the third period. Lee controlled the action long enough to kill Kinner's time edge and then continued to maintain control on top. After a reset with 1:15 left, Lee maintained control until another stalemate with :35 on the clock. Kinner escaped to a 4-3 score with :25 left, and Lee scrambled for a final takedown in the last seconds to post a hard-fought 6-3 win.

149: Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 19 at 149, met Brian Miraglia. The duo battled evenly for the opening minute before Bartlett used a strong high double to lift Miraglia off the mat for a takedown and a 2-0 lead with 1:58 on the clock. After a Rider escape, Bartlett worked Miraglia's shoulders down, then muscled him to the mat for a 4-1 lead with :50 left in the opening period. Bartlett cut the Bronc loose on a reset and moved in for another takedown. But Miraglia was able to back away and kill the clock and the Lion led 4-2 after one. Bartlett chose down to start the second period and quickly escaped to a 5-2 lead. He slid behind Miraglia for a third takedown to up his lead to 7-2 at the 1:33 mark. After cutting Miraglia loose, Bartlett worked the center of the mat and picked up his fourth takedown to lead 9-3 with :55 left in the period. Bartlett controlled the action in the top position for the remainder of the period and carried that lead, with 1:56 in riding time, into the third. Miraglia chose down to start the third period and Bartlett cut him loose to a 9-4 score. Needing one more takedown for bonus points, Bartlett worked the middle of the mat as the clock moved below :30. He turned a lows single into a takedown with :11 left on the clock to lead 11-4. With a rideout and 2:12 in time for the point, Bartlett notched the 12-4 major.

PENN STATE AT 2022 BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS Sat.-Sun., March 5-6, 2022 -- Lincoln, Neb.

TEAM STANDINGS (FINAL):

- 1: Michigan -- 143.0
- 2: PENN STATE -- 141.5
- 3: Iowa -- 129.5
- 4: Ohio State -- 91.5
- 5: Northwestern -- 90.5
- 6: Minnesota -- 78.5
- 7: Nebraska -- 75.5
- 8: Wisconsin -- 68.0
- 9: Rutgers -- 41.0
- 10: Purdue -- 36.5
- 11: Illinois -- 34.5
- 12: Michigan State -- 33.0
- 13: Maryland -- 15.5
- 14: Indiana -- 4.0

Penn State (17-0, 8-0 B1G) claimed four individual titles at the 2022 Big Ten Championships in Lincoln, Neb. The Nittany Lions ended the tournament as Big Ten runners-up, missing out on their seventh title by just 1.5 points. Michigan won the team crown with 143.0 points, Penn State took second with 141.5, and Iowa third with 129.5.

Senior Roman Bravo-Young (Tucson, Ariz.), senior Nick Lee (Evansville, Ind.), sophomore Carter Starocci (Erie, Pa.) and junior Max Dean (Lowell, Mich.) all won individual championships. The Nittany Lions qualified nine for the NCAA Championships in two weeks in Detroit, Mich.

Bravo-Young, ranked No. 1 at 133, met No. 3 Austin DeSanto of Iowa in the first of Penn State's five final bouts. The duo battled through a scoreless first period, with each wrestler connecting on singles that led to stalemates and resets. The bout was tied 0-0 after one and DeSanto chose down to start the second. DeSanto escaped to a 1-0 lead and Bravo-Young gave up a first stall warning in the process. The Lion senior chose down to start the third and quickly escaped to a 1-1 tie. DeSanto took a low shot that Bravo-Young countered, working the Hawkeye's back toward the mat and, after a few seconds' work, got the takedown with :23 left in the bout. Bravo-Young finished the period on top and won his second straight Big Ten title 3-1. Bravo-Young went 3-0 with a major in Lincoln and stays unbeaten on the year at 17-0.

Lee, ranked No. 1, was to face No. 2 Jaydin Eierman of Iowa in the finals at 141. Eierman, however, medically forfeited and Lee won the 2022 Big Ten Championship, his first. Lee went 3-0 with two tech falls and the forfeit victory. He earned five bonus points in three matches for Penn State. The Nittany Lion remains unbeaten on the year with a 17-0 record.

Starocci, ranked No. 1, met No. 2 Logan Massa of Michigan in the finals. Starocci set the tempo early, working the middle of the mat and forcing Massa backwards. When Massa engaged Starocci high, resets were called. Starocci broke through with a fast low single at the 1:15 mark for a 2-0 lead. Starocci kept control for nearly a minute before Massa escaped to a 2-1 score. Leading by one, Starocci chose down to start the second period. Massa controlled the action until Starocci escaped to a 3-1 lead. Massa chose down to start the third and Starocci dominated the period. He rode Massa for the full two minutes, picked up a penalty point on a third caution and a riding time point to roll to a 5-1 victory. Starocci picked up his first Big Ten title going 3-0 with a pin. Starocci stays unbeaten on the year at 18-0.

Junior Aaron Brooks (Hagerstown, Md.), ranked No. 1, met No. 2 Myles Amine of Michigan in Penn State's fourth finals bout. Brooks came out with a fast tempo, working shoulders until being able to slide into a low single. Amine turned the shot into a wild scramble in front of Penn State's bench. Brooks patiently continued to work, picking up the takedown at the 1:20 mark to take a 2-0 lead. Amine escaped after a reset to cut Brooks' lead in half and action continued in neutral. Brooks led 2-1 after one and chose down to start the second period. The Lion escaped quickly to open up a 3-1 lead and went back to work on offense. Amine got hit for stalling once as the second period ticked away and Brooks led by two after two. Amine chose down to start the third and escaped to a 3-2 score. Each wrestler took shots that ended in stalemates as the clock moved to the :40 mark. Amine scrambled to a takedown with :15 left, and Brooks escaped with four seconds left to tie the match at 4-4, sending it to sudden victory. Amine ended the match with a takedown early in extra time to post the 6-4 (sv) win. Brooks took second at Big Ten's with a 2-1 record and a pin.

Dean, ranked No. 1 at 197, took on No. 2 Eric Schultz of Nebraska in Penn State's fifth and final title tilt. Dean set a high tempo early, forcing the action in the center of the mat. With Schultz backing up, Dean looked for an opening on offense as the clock hit its midway point. Dean's pressure finally paid off with a low single to a takedown with :33 left on the clock. Schultz escaped with seconds left and cut the lead to 2-1 after one. Schultz chose down to start the second period and Dean worked up over 2:00 in riding time with a strong ride. Schultz managed an escape to tie the bout at 2-2 before the period ended. Dean chose down to start the third and quickly escaped to a 3-2 lead with 1:55 in time. Dean ended the period in neutral and, with 1:55 in riding time, won his first Big Ten title 4-2. Dean took the crown with a 3-0 mark.

Senior Brady Berge (Mantorville, Minn.), ranked No. 13 at 157, met No. 12 Kendall Coleman of Purdue in the consolation semifinals. Berge battled Coleman evenly for the first 2:30 and then moved in on a shot, forcing a scramble that allowed the Lion to take Coleman down and directly to his back. Berge worked for the fall and got the pin with just one second left in the period (2:59). The victory moved him into the third-place bout for a rematch with No. 9 Kaleb Young of Iowa. After a scoreless first period, Berge escaped to a quick 1-0 lead to start the second period. Young matched that escape to start third period and regulation ended tied 1-1. Berge grabbed the win with a slick low shot at the 1:12 mark, finishing off the takedown and the 3-1 (sv) win at 1:07. Berge took third place with a 4-1 mark, including a major and a pin.

Sophomore Greg Kerkvliet (Inver Grove Heights, Minn.), ranked No. 5 at 285, battled No. 10 Lucas Davison of Northwestern in the consolation semifinals. Kerkvliet fell behind on a second period takedown but used two reversals, one in the second and another to start the third, plus riding time to roll to a 5-3 win. The victory moved him into the third-place bout against No. 3 Mason Parris of Michigan. Kerkvliet took an early lead with a first period takedown and led by one after one. Parris tied the match with a second period escape and Kerkvliet did the same in the third. The Lion sophomore added a final takedown to ice the bout and took third at Big Ten's with a 5-3 win. Kerkvliet took third with a

Sophomore Beau Bartlett (Tempe, Ariz.), ranked No. 17 at 149, met Michigan's Kanen Storr in the seventh-place bout, needing one more win to clinch a top seven finish and a trip to the NCAA tournament. After a scoreless first period, Bartlett chose down in the second and escaped with seconds left to lead 1-0, but Storr had a large riding time edge. Bartlett rode Storr long enough in the third to kill the time edge and then notched a takedown in the final seconds to post a 3-1 win and earn his trip to the NCAA tournament. Bartlett finished seventh and earned a trip to the NCAA Championships with the win.

Senior Drew Hildebrandt (Granger, Ind.) took on Indiana's Jacob Moran in the 125-pound ninth place mini bracket. A win would clinch a top ten finish at 125 for Hildebrandt and earn him an automatic bid to the NCAA Championships. Hildebrandt used a first period takedown and ride out to open up an early lead and rolled to a 4-0 win with nearly 2:00 in riding time. The victory clinched his trip to NCAAs. He did not compete in the ninth-place bout, taking a medical forfeit (not a loss), and placed 10th with a 1-2 mark.

Junior Creighton Edsell (Wyalusing, Pa.) went 1-2 at 165 and did not place. The Lions will wait to see if Edsell is placed into the pool for an at-large bid in the next couple days. The at-large selections are then announced on Wednesday with the release of the full NCAA bracket.

Penn State went 8-1 in sessions 3 and 4 and ended the tournament with a 25-9 record. The Lions collected 19.0 bonus points off two majors, two tech falls, five pins and two forfeit wins.

Penn State ended its dual meet season with a 17-0 record and won the 2022 Big Ten Regular Season title with an 8-0 mark. It marked the sixth time that head coach Cael Sanderson led Penn State through an unbeaten dual meet season.

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Weight-by-weight agate
(RANKINGS LISTED ARE INTERMAT as of 2/22/22):

125: #5 Drew Hildebrandt, Sr., Granger, Ind. – NCAA Qualifier
Rd. 1: bye
Qtr: #13 Michael DeAugustino, Northwestern – L, 3-5 (sv)
Cn 2: #10 Patrick McKee, Minnesota – L, 3-6 dec.
9/10 Rd 1: bye
9/10 Rd 2: Jacob Moran, Indiana – W, 4-0 dec.
9th: Medical Forfeit – DNC (not a loss)

Hildebrandt, No. 2 seed at 125, had a first-round bye. He met No. 13 Michael DeAugustino of Northwestern, the 7th-seed, in the quarterfinals. Hildebrandt was riding DeAugustino out in the second period when he got hit for a penalty point and trailed 2-0. He tied the bout with a third period reversal and sent the match to sudden victory on riding time. But DeAugustino notched a quick takedown to steal the 5-3 (sv) win and send Hildebrandt into consolation action.

Hildebrandt met No. 10 Patrick McKee in Penn State's first consolation bout of the night. Hildebrandt fell behind early and could not come back after trailing by four, dropping a 6-3 decision to McKee. While the loss dropped Hildebrandt out of the scoring portion of the tournament, the Lion senior moved into the mini bracket for ninth place since the conference qualifies 10 at 125.

See above story for tonight's recap.

133: #1 Roman Bravo-Young, Sr., Tucson, Ariz. – NCAA Qualifier
Rd. 1: bye
Qtr: #23 Matt Ramos, Purdue – W, 11-3 maj. dec.
Semi: #8 Dylan Ragusin, Michigan – W, 4-0 dec.
Finals: #3 Austin DeSanto, Iowa – W, 3-1 dec.

Bravo-Young, the No. 1 seed at 133, had a first-round bye. He took on No. 23 Matt Ramos of Purdue, the 9th-seed, in the quarterfinals. Bravo-Young broke open an early close match and rolled to an 11-3 major decision with 2:56 in riding time.

Bravo-Young met No. 8 Dylan Ragusin of Michigan in Penn State's first semifinal bout. Bravo-Young dominated the bout, notching the only takedown in the meeting, adding an escape and a riding time point, to roll to a 4-0 win.

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141: #1 Nick Lee, Sr., Evansville, Ind. – NCAA Qualifier
Rd. 1: bye
Qtr: #22 Joe Zargo, Wisconsin – W, 16-0 (TF; 5:06)
Semi: #18 Jake Bergeland, Minnesota – W, 16-1 (TF; 5:06)
Finals: #2 Jaydin Eierman, Iowa – W, med. for.

Lee, the No. 1 seed at 141, had a first-round bye. He met No. 22 Joe Zargo of Wisconsin, the 8th-seed, in the quarterfinals. Lee dominated the action against No. 22 Joe Zargo of Wisconsin, turning a first period takedown into a number of near falls. Lee did not give up a point and finished off a 16-0 tech fall with a reversal at the 5:06 mark.

Lee faced off against No. 18 Jake Bergeland of Minnesota in the semifinals. Lee took Bergeland down twice in the opening minutes and led 12-1 after a handful of nearfalls in the first period. Lee finished off a 16-1 tech fall with a reversal to start the second period, ending the bout at the 5:06 mark.

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149: #17 Beau Bartlett, So., Tempe, Ariz. – NCAA Qualifier
Rd. 1: #30 Michael Blockhus, Minnesota – W, 3-2 dec.
Qtr: #5 Austin Gomez, Wisconsin – L, 4-12 maj. dec.
Cn. 2: #29 Christian Kanzler, Illinois – WBF (3:40)
Cn. 3: #15 Mike VanBrill, Rutgers – L, 1-2 (tb)
7th: Kanen Storr, Michigan – W, 3-1 dec.

Bartlett, the No. 7 seed at 149, met No. 30 Michael Blockhus of Minnesota (the 10th-seed) in the opening round. Bartlett trailed 1-0 after two but used an escape, a takedown, and late defense to notch a 3-2 win to advance to the quarterfinals. He took on No. 5 Austin Gomez of Wisconsin, the 2nd-seed, in the quarters where he dropped an 12-4 major, moving into consolation action.

Bartlett took on No. 29 Christian Kanzler of Illinois in consolation action. Bartlett battled Kanzler through a scoreless first period. He chose down to start the second, quickly reversed the Illini into a cradle and pinned Kanzler at the 3:40 mark. The win moved him into the third round of consolations where he met No. 15 Mike VanBrill of Rutgers. Bartlett took VanBrill through sudden victory tied 1-1 only to lose a close 2-1 (tb) decision on riding time.

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157: #13 Brady Berge, Sr., Mantorville, Minn. – NCAA Qualifier
 Rd. 1: #31 Garrett Model, Wisconsin – W, 10-2 maj. dec.
 Qtr: #9 Kaleb Young, Iowa – W, 5-3 dec.
 Semis: #10 Will Lewan, Michigan – L, 1-3 (sv)
 Cn. Semi: #12 Kendall Coleman, Purdue – WBF (2:59)
 3rd: #9 Kaleb Young, Iowa – W, 3-1 (sv) dec.

Berge, the No. 10 seed at 157, took on No. 31 Garret Model of Wisconsin (the 7th-seed) in the first round. Berge notched two first period takedowns, a third in the second and a fourth in the third to roll to a 10-2 major decision with 1:52 in riding time. He took on No. 9 Kaleb Young of Iowa, the 2nd-seed, in the quarterfinals. Berge notched the bout's only two takedowns and posted a thrilling 5-3 victory.

Berge took on No. 10 Will Lewan of Michigan in the semis. Berge and Lewan battled evenly for seven minutes. Each wrestler notched an escape and the match moved to sudden victory where Lewan scored on a quick scrambling takedown to post the 3-1 (sv) win. Berge's loss moves him into consolation action, still alive for third place.

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165: #23 Creighton Edsell, Jr., Wyalusing, Pa. -- DNP
 Rd. 1: Hayden Lohrey, Purdue – W, 3-1 (sv)
 Qtr: #5 Alex Marinelli, Purdue – L, 2-8 dec.
 Cn. 2: Cael Carlson, Minnesota – L, 2-3

Edsell, the No. 10 seed at 165, met Purdue's Hayden Lohrey (the 7th-seed) in the opening round. Edsell led 1-0 into the third, got hit for a penalty point midway through the final period, but ended the bout with a quick takedown in extra time to notch a 3-1 (sv) win. He took on No. 5 Alex Marinelli of Iowa, the 2nd-seed, in the quarterfinals. Edsell battled the second-seed tough but fell 8-2 to move into the consolation bracket.

Edsell met Cael Carlson of Minnesota in a conso bout. Edsell gave up a first period takedown and dropped a 3-2 decision, ending his tournament run at 1-2.

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174: #1 Carter Starocci, So., Erie, Pa. – NCAA Qualifier
 Rd. 1: bye
 Qtr: Dominic Solis, Maryland – WBF (2:13)
 Semis: #4 Michael Kemerer, Minnesota – W, med. forf.
 Finals: #2 Logan Massa, Michigan – W, 5-1 dec.

Starocci, the No. 1 seed at 174, had a first-round bye. He took on Maryland's Dominic Solis in the quarterfinals. Starocci made fast work of the Terrapin, opening up a 6-2 lead and then ending the match with a pin at the 2:13 mark in the first period.

Starocci was set to meet No. 4 Michael Kemerer of Iowa in the semifinals. Starocci, however, received a medial forfeit victory over the Hawkeye.

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184: #1 Aaron Brooks, Jr., Hagerstown, Md. – NCAA Qualifier
 Rd. 1: bye
 Qtr: #8 Kyle Cochran, Maryland – WBF (1:40)
 Semis: #19 Taylor Venz, Nebraska – W, 7-2 dec.
 Finals: #2 Myles Amine, Michigan – L, 4-6 (sv)

Brooks, the No. 1 seed at 184, had a first-round bye. He battled No. 8 Kyle Cochran of Maryland, the 8th-seed, in the quarterfinals. Brooks, like Starocci just moments before, ended his match quickly. He took Cochran down at the shoulders midway through the first, turned him to his back, reset once and got the fast fall at the 1:40 mark of the opening stanza.

Brooks faced off against No. 19 Taylor Venz of Nebraska in the semis. Brooks controlled the action from the outset and opened things up with a four-point second period, rolling to a 7-2 victory with 3:06 in riding time.

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197: #1 Max Dean, Jr., Lowell, Mich. – NCAA Qualifier
 Rd. 1: bye
 Qtr: #12 Greg Bulsak, Rutgers – W, 6-2 dec.
 Semis: #5 Cameron Caffey, Michigan State – W, 5-2 dec.
 Finals: #2 Eric Schultz, Nebraska – W, 4-2 dec.

Dean, the No. 2 seed at 197, had Penn State's sixth first-round bye. He met No. 12 Greg Bulsak of Rutgers in the quarterfinals, the 7th-seed. Dean collected the bout's only takedowns and rolled to a convincing 6-2 victory.

Dean took on No. 5 Cameron Caffey of Michigan State in the semis. Dean took an early 2-0 lead with a takedown, an escape in the second and third and 1:23 in riding time to roll to a 5-2 win. Dean's victory avenged his only loss of the season in January.

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285: #5 Greg Kerkviet, So., Inver Grove Heights, Minn. – NCAA Qualifier
 Rd. 1: Zach Schrader, Minnesota – WBF (2:13)
 Qtr: #11 Christian Lance, Nebraska – W, 7-1 dec.
 Semis: #4 Tony Cassioppi, Iowa – L, 4-6 (sv)
 Cn. Semi.: #10 Lucas Davison, Northwestern – W, 5-3 dec.
 3rd: #3 Mason Parris, Michigan – W, 5-3 dec.

Kerkviet, the No. 3 seed at 285, wrestled Maryland's Zach Schrader in Penn State's final opening round bout. Kerkviet took Schrader down quickly, turned him three times to open up a 14-0 lead and then pinned him on his fourth turn, getting the fall at the 2:13 mark in the opening period. He took on No. 11 Christian Lance of Nebraska, the 6th-seed, in the quarterfinals. Kerkviet controlled the entire match, getting the bout's only takedowns and rolling to a 7-1 win with over 2:00 in riding time.

Kerkviet met No. 4 Tony Cassioppi of Iowa in the final semifinal match of the night for Penn State. Kerkviet took a 2-1 lead with a reversal in the second, a 4-2 lead with a takedown at the :30 mark but gave up a late reversal and the match moved to sudden victory. Cassioppi scored a quick takedown and notched the 6-4 (sv) win.

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