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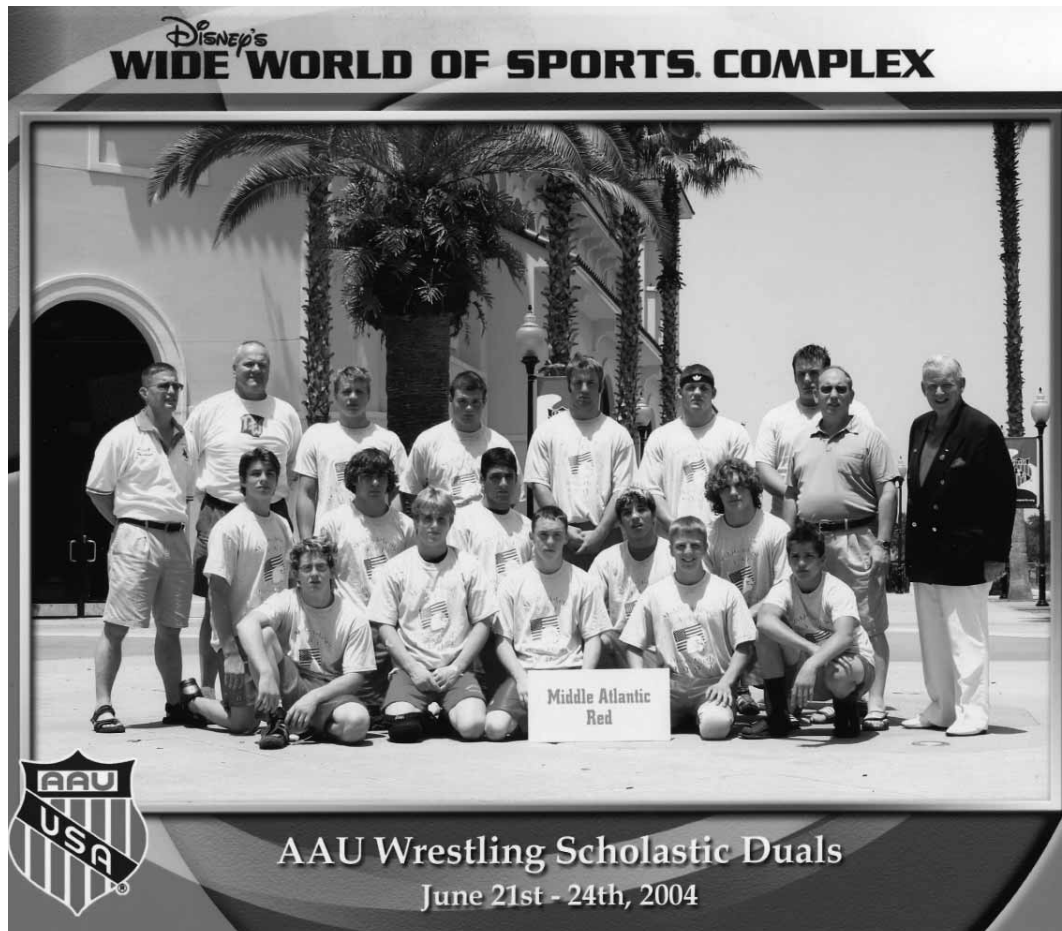
From: Michael Smith

Time is almost upon us again to start thinking about the upcoming season of the Middle Atlantic Wrestling Association. Again the Middle Atlantic Wrestling Association is offering a comprehensive schedule of competition. We are beginning the 38th year of the Middle Atlantic Scholastic Wrestling Program in which 11,300 wrestlers participated last year. There are 29 District Tournaments conducted at the following locations: Mifflinburg, Hughesville, North Schuylkill, Athens, Lehman, Factoryville, Allentown, Quakertown, King of Prussia, Thorndale, Leola, Wexford, Mifflintown, Glen Rock, Mechanicsburg, Waynesboro and State College, PA; Sewell, Pennsville, Columbus and Toms River, NJ; Parkersburg, WV; Johnson City and Campbell, NY; Newark, DE; Warrenton, VA; Willimantic, CT; and Clarksburg and Salisbury, MD. This year the District Tournaments will be held on four weekends - March 12-13 at Campbell, NY; Parkersburg, WV and State College, PA; March 19-20 at Mifflinburg, North Schuylkill, Athens, Lehman, King of Prussia, Allentown, Thorndale, Quakertown, Mechanicsburg, Wexford, Glen Rock and Mifflintown, PA; Johnson City, NY, Willimantic, CT, Warrenton, VA, Sewell and Columbus, NJ; March 25-26 at Factoryville, Hughesville, Leola and Waynesboro, PA; and April 2-3 at Clarksburg and Salisbury, MD and Toms river and Pennsville, NJ. If you are not sure of which tournament is in your area, feel free to contact me. From these District Tournaments, the top three in each weight class will advance to the Regional Tournament in that area.

This year Regional Tournaments will be held on April 2-3 at Shamokin High School, Coal Township, PA and at Liberty High School, Bethlehem, PA; and on April 9-10 at Shippensburg University, Shippensburg, PA and the Wicomico Civic Center, Salisbury, MD. From these Regional Tournaments the Top Four will advance to the Middle Atlantic Wrestling Association's Eastern National Wrestling Championships to be held on April 16-17 at Penn State University, University Park, PA. There is an additional \$10.00 entry fee required for the regionals and the finals.

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Again this year the Middle Atlantic Wrestling Association will send a team selected from the finalists of the elite Division in the Eastern Nationals to the National Scholastic Duals at Walt Disney World, Lake Buena Vista, FL on June 19-23. In 2004 the Middle Atlantic Teams finished first and fifth in the National Championships.



National Champions...Participating team members and personal pose for a picture after capturing the AAU Scholastic Dual Meet Championship at the Wide World of Sport Complex in Orlando, Florida's Disney World June 21-24, 2004. The team won eleven consecutive meets en route to winning the gold medal. Team personnel included: Front row (l to r) Seth Ciasulli (125), Joe Kemmerer (119), Justin Shorts (112), Brad Pataky (112) and Matt Moley (103). Second row (l to r) Nate Nauroth (130), Dan Vallimot (135), Joe Caramanica (140), Mike Kessler (145), Chris Chambers (152), Norm Palovcsik (Team Leader) and Mike Smith (MAWA Wrestling Chairman). Back row (l to r) Steve Hamer (Head Coach), Al Fricke (Scorekeeper), Chris Decker (160), Harry Keyser (1710), Brian Shaw (189), Keith Dobish (215) and Terry Tate (275)



NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY

MIDDLE ATLANTIC WRESTLING ASSOCIATION
SCHOLASTIC DISTRICT TOURNAMENTS

NORTH REGION

- March 12 Campbell-Savona High School, Campbell, NY. Contact: Dominick Scolaro, Box 26, Coopers Plains, NY 14827. Home Phone: 607-527-8464, Business Phone: 607-527-4551, Ext. 478.
- March 18-19 Mifflinburg High School, Mifflinburg, PA Contact: Rob Rowe, 180 Rabbit Hill Road, Mifflinburg, PA. Home Phone: 570-966-4675, Business Phone: 814-238-7117.
- March 19 North Schuylkill High School, Fountain Springs, PA Contact: David L. Brown, 111 Valley Hill Road, Ashland, PA 17921. Home Phone: 570-875-4491, Business Phone: 570-875-2371
- March 19 Athens High School, Athens, PA. Contact: Shawn Bradley, 150 McDuffee Street, Sayre, PA 18840. Home Phone: 570-882-8594
- March 20 Johnson City high School, Johnson City, NY. Contact: Greg Matyas, 46 Orchard Avenue, Johnson City, NY 13790. Home phone: 607-797-7568, Business Phone: 607-644-1107
- March 20 Lake Lehman High School, Lehman, PA. Contact: Charles Kopetche, 3950 Chase Road, Shavertown, PA 18708. Home Phone: 570-696-1351, Business Phone: 570-833-3685
- March 25-26 Factoryville High School, Factoryville, PA. Contact: Frank Wadas, 19 Thunderbird Trail, Tunkhannock, PA 18657. Home Phone: 570-836-2312, Business Phone: 570-836-8255
- March 25-26 Hughesville high School, Hughsville, PA. Contact: Brad Foresman, 1448 Limebluff, Muncy, PA 17756. Home Phone: 570-584-3727, Business Phone: 570-546-8312.

EAST REGION

- March 19 Upper Merion High School, King of Prussia, PA. Contact: Jacob Laffredo, 1001 Skippack Pike, Blue Bell, PA 19422. Home Phone: 215-646-6323, Business Phone: 732-684-6405.
- March 19 Salisbury Middle School, Allentown, PA. Contact: Barbara Harakal, 809 Nantucket Circle, Bethlehem, PA 18015. Home Phone: 610-797-8216
- March 19-20 Windham High School, Willimantic, CT. Contact: Lawrence Goodwin, 215 Oakwood Drive, Windham, CT 06280. Home Phone: 860-423-9535, Business Phone: 401-275-7079.
- March 19 United Sports Complex, Thorndale, PA. Contact: Chris Henry, 9 Quarterwood Road, Malvern, PA 19355 Home Phone 610-296-5488, Business Phone: 610-344-7007, Ext. 302
- March 20 Quakertown High School, Quakertown, PA. Contact: Paul Edwards, 2035 Esten Road, Quakertown, PA 18951. Home Phone: 215-538-1745, Business Phone: 267-241-9649.

SOUTH REGION

- March 19 Newark High School, Newark, DE. Contact: Benny Mitchell, 26 Chesterfield Drive, Lewes, DE 19958. Home Phone: 302-645-7319.
- March 19 Washington Township High School, Sewell, NJ. Contact: Terrence O'Hara, 368 Johnson Road, Sicklerville, NJ 08081. Home Phone: 856-728-2604, Business Phone 856-467-9226 Ext. 650.
- March 19-20 Fauquier County High School, Warrenton, VA. Contact: Marcy Haun, 318 West Park Avenue, Culpeper, VA 22701. Home Phone: 540-825-3208, Business Phone: 703-633-8300 Ext 4067
- March 20 Northern Burlington Middle School, Columbus, NJ. Contact: Ron Van Sciver, 110 Public Road, Columbus, NJ 08022. Home Phone: 609-298-2642, Business Phone: 856-235-3668.
- April 2 Toms River East High School, Toms River, NJ. Contact: Richard J. Strifolino, 118 Oak Hill Drive, Toms River, NJ 08753. Home Phone: 732-255-7842, Business Phone: 732-505-6400.
- April 2 Pennsville High School, Pennsville, NJ. Contact: Richie G. Raine, 149 North River Drive, Pennsville, NJ 08070. Home Phone: 856-678-6405.
- April 2-3 River Hill High School, Clarksville, MD. Contact: Bill Filbert, 1600 Idlewilde Avenue, Catonsville, MD 21228. Home Phone: 410-747-5294, Business Phone: 410-799-8443 or Earl Lauer, 13263 Styer Court, Highland, MD 20777, Home Phone: 410-531-2109, Business Phone: 410-313-7120.
- April 3 Wicomico Civic Center, Salisbury, MD. Contact: John Terrell, 500 Glen Avenue, Salisbury, MD 21804. Business Phone: 410-548-4900 Ext. 107.

WEST REGION

- March 12 Parkersburg South High School, Parkersburg, WV. Contact: Dean R. Moore, Rt. 1, Box 74, Elizabeth, WV 26143. Home Phone: 304-474-3327, Busines Phone: 304-665-3109
- March 13 Nittany Middle School, State College, PA. Contact: Shawn Kauffman, 105 Pin Oak Road, Port Matilda, PA 16870. HOME PHONE: 814-234-7462, BUSINESS PHONE: 814-231-3060.
- March 19 Cumberland Valley High School, Mechanicsburg, PA. Contact: Steve Stoner, 5195 Wertzville Road, Enola, PA 17025. Home Phone: 717-732-2000, Cell: 717-433-4000.
- March 19 Juniata High School, Mifflintown, PA. Contact: Garry Price, R.R. #4, Box 958, Mifflintown, PA 17059. Home Phone: 717-436-6725, Business Phone: 717-772-5630.
- March 19 Susquehannock high School, Glen Rock, PA. contact: Wade Winemiller, 24 Valley Road, Shrewsbury, PA 17361. Home Phone: 717-235-3280, Business Phone: 410-316-4000 Ext. 7170
- March 20 North Allegheny Middle School, Pittsburgh, PA. Contact; David Marx, 10194 Hideaway Lane, Wexford, PA 15090. Home Phone: 724-933-4658, Cell: 724-612-8910.
- March 26 Conestoga Valley High School, Leola, PA. Contact: Thomas F. Abram, II, 2499 Ellendale Drive, Lancaster, PA 17602. Home Phone: 717-393-4675, Business Phone: 717-413-3743.
- March 26 Waynesboro High School, Wyanesboro, PA. Contact: Eric Mowen, 13915 Crest Avenue, Waynesboro, PA 17268. Home Phone: 717-762-9319, Business Phone: 717-217-2230.

REGIONAL TOURNAMENTS

NORTH

- April 2-3 Shamokin High School, Coal Township, PA. Contact: Michael L. Smith, P.O. 146, Newport, PA 17074. Home Phone: 717-567-9212 Business Phone: 717-567-7840, Cell Phone: 717-580-0127.

EAST

- April 2-3 Liberty High School, Bethlehem, PA. Contact: Paul Edwards, 2035 Esten Road, Quakertown, PA. Home Phone: 215-538-1745. Business Phone: 267-241-9649

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- April 9-10 Shippensburg University, Shippensburg, PA. Contact: Michael L. Smith, P.O. Box, 146 Newport PA 17074. Home Phone: 717-567-9212, Business Phone: 717-567-7840, Cell Phone: 717-580-0127

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- April 9-10 Wicomico Civic Center, Salisbury, MD. Contact: John Terrell, 500 Glen Avenue, Salisbury, MD 21804. Business Phone: 410-548-4900, Ext 107

EASTERN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

- April 16-17 Penn State University, University Park, PA. Contact: Michael L. Smith, P.O. Box 146, Newport, PA 17074, Home Phone: 717-567-9212 Business Phone: 717-567-7840, Cell Phone: 717-580-0127