

“Clash of Champions”

Wrestling Match

M.A.C. vs. O.V.A.C.

Hosted by 2006-07
M.A.C. Champion
West Allegheny HS

March 14, 2007

On behalf of the West Allegheny
School District and Athletic
Department we welcome you to this
year's annual match-up featuring
student-athletes from the Midwestern
Athletic Conference and the Ohio
Valley Athletic Conference.

We want to congratulate tonight's
participants and wish them well in
their future academic and athletic
endeavors.

Special thanks go to those who are
volunteering their time and services
for the benefit of tonight's match.



MAC Wrestlers

112	Corey James	West Allegheny
119	Gary Shay	Laurel
125	Rocco Levine	West Allegheny
130	Jeff Linder	Blackhawk
135	T.J. Helch	Freedom
140	Darren Bollman	West Allegheny
145	Derrick Juszczak	Hopewell
152	Keagan Donnan	South Side Beaver
160	Nick Noyes	West Allegheny
171	Sal Ruggeri	South Side Beaver
171	Corey O'Keefe	Chartiers Valley
189	Kevin Rosinsky	Ambridge
215	Ryan Wade	Montour
285	Jimmy Martz	Freedom

Head Coach: Mike Johnson – West Allegheny

Biographies

Corey James – West Allegheny

Sophomore year – 35-7 record; 3rd place at Chartiers Houston tournament; 1st at Montour Spartan Classic; 3rd at Allegheny County Tournament; 3rd at Sectionals; WPIAL Qualifier; voted “Rookie of the Year”

Junior year – 27-7 record; 3rd at Char-Houston tournament; 2nd at MAC’s; 2nd at Sectionals; WPIAL Qualifier; Team captain

Senior year – 27-6 record; 1st at Char-Houston tournament; 1st at MAC’s; 6th at Allegheny County tournament; 2nd at Sectionals; team captain

Other sports and extracurriculars are fishing and going to the beach
Future plans are to attend California University of PA and major in Athletic Training.

Gary Shay – Laurel

A six year member of the sport and a four year letter winner.

3rd at MAC’s and 4th in Sectionals

Other sports and extracurriculars include track and hunting & fishing.

Future plans are to attend college to become a Registered Nurse.

Rocco Levine – West Allegheny

A 12 year member of the sport; 3rd place in Cleveland Catholic Invitational; placed in JO’s; and honor roll student each year in college-based computer studies.

Future plans are to attend either Cal. U of PA or Kent State for computer science/programming.

Jeff Linder – Blackhawk

A 13 year member of the sport and a three year letter winner;

Freshman year - 3rd place at East Liverpool (10-12 record);

Sophomore year – did not compete due to injury from previous year.

Junior year – record of 15-11

Senior year – 3rd place MAC’s; 17-9 record

Other sports and extracurriculars include playing several instruments and writing music; art and computers.

Future plans are to graduate from the PA Cyber School and attend college for music and music production.

TJ Helch – Freedom

A senior captain on this year's wrestling team, TJ placed 3rd at the MAC tournament. He's also a four year member of the football team where he played the split guard position and was one of three team captains, as voted on by the players.

He was a nominee to the Homecoming Court at Freedom this year. He enjoys hunting, fishing, quad riding and camping.

His future plans are to attend Penn State-Beaver and study engineering.

Darren Bollman – West Allegheny

An 11 year member of the sport and a three year letterman. MAC tournament champion in 2004, 2006 and 2007. He was a runner-up in 2005; Chartiers Houston tournament champion and runner-up; Placed 6th in the Allegheny County tournament and named to the "All-County Team"; record for 2007 is 22-9; overall career record is 90-41.

An integral part of the WA "Crazies" student support section.

Future plans are to attend Clarion University for Earth Sciences/Meteorology.

Derrick Juszczak – Hopewell

A 14 year member of the sport he is a three year letter winner at Hopewell. 4th place in Burgettstown tournament in 2005; 3rd place in 2005 sectionals; 2006 and 2007 MAC Champion; 2005 Eastern Area Invitational-3rd place; 2006 Burgettstown Champion; 2nd place in 2007 sectionals and WPIAL qualifier; 4.0 Honor Student; Other sports are a four year member of the golf team.

Future plans are to attend the University of Pittsburgh and major in history.

Keegan Donnan – South Side Beaver

An 11 year member of the sport and a three year letter winner; 2005 and 2007 section runner-up; 2006 section champ; 5th in WPIAL's in 2007; 3rd in MAC's in 2005; 2006 and 2007 MAC runner-up'.

Other extracurriculars included being a State Qualifier for FBLA; enjoys motocross and is a member of Millcreek United Presbyterian Church of Hookstown.

A distinguished honors student who plans on attending W&J College and major in engineering.

Nick Noyes – West Allegheny

An eight year member of the sport and a three year letter winner; 2006 2nd place MAC's; 2nd place in sections; 3rd place South Side Tournament-2004;

Other sports and extracurriculars include inline hockey, varsity football and the Crossroads United Methodist Church Mission trip. Future plans are to attend a four college and wrestle.

Sal Ruggeri – South Side Beaver

A tri-letterman in wrestling, football and track; a four year member of the sport and a three year letterman; 2006 - 3rd place MAC and Section champion; 2007 – 2nd place MAC and 2nd at Sectionals; Other sports awards include being a 2006 WPIAL Champion in track; football 2005 & 2006 Big 7 conference 1st team linebacker and 1st team running back; 2005 1st team all-conference fullback and linebacker; 2006 Associated Press 1st team All-State linebacker.

An honor roll student who plans to attend a four year college.

Corey O'Keefe – Chartiers Valley

A wrestler since the age of 5; three time Area 7 champion; 3rd and 4th place in PA Junior Olympics; High school career record of 101-42; three time section runner-up and one time section champ; 2005 Chartiers Houston and 2007 Allegheny County Champion.

Future plans for this honor student is to attend college to further his education. ♡

Kevin Rosinsky – Ambridge

A six year member of the sport and four year letterman; 2nd place MAC tournament 2006 and 2007; 1st place Montour and Seneca Valley tournaments – 2006; WPIAL qualifier 2006 & 2007; Other extracurriculars include being a ski club member; TSA member and Exploratory Dining Club member.

An honor student all four years of high school who plans to attend the United States Air Force Academy in July to become a computer programmer.

Ryan Wade – Montour

A three year letterman with a 42-26 varsity career record and a 2006-07 record of 23-11.

Other sports and extracurriculars include being a three year editor on the Montour school newspaper, as well as being sports producer on the weekly TV show at Montour. He is a baseball and ultimate Frisbee athlete.

Future plans are to attend Duquesne University and major in journalism and broadcasting.

Jimmy Martz – South Side Beaver

A 3 Year Varsity Football Letterman; 2 Year Varsity Wrestling Letterman (currently wrestling senior year); Junior Year-Varsity Football All-Conference Honorable Mention Offensive and Defensive Tackle Senior Year-Varsity Football All-Conference 1st String Offensive Guard, 2nd String Defensive Line; 2002 Cliff Keen Athletics, Great Lake National Wrestling Tournament **Runner-Up** 200lbs; 2003 Virginia Challenge Middle School National Open Wrestling Championships **Third Place** 171 lbs; 2004 Cliff Keen Athletics, Great Lake National Wrestling Tournament, **Runner-Up** 200lbs; 2004 National High School Coaches Association, National Open Wrestling Championships **Champion** 190 lbs; 4 time Middle School All American; 2005 Ohio Tournament of Champions **7th Place** 200 lbs; 2006 Ohio Tournament of Champions **Runner-Up** 220 lbs; Holds the school record for Single Season Pin Leader with 30 pins; Section Place Winner, Sophomore & Junior & Senior; WPIAL Place Winner, Sophomore & Junior & Senior; Regional Competitor Sophomore & Junior & Senior 2007 MAC Champion;

Athletics & Extracurricular Clubs Varsity Football

F.B.L.A. – senior year

Future plans are to attend a four year college and continue wrestling while majoring in special education or math.

