

**SHADYSIDE'S** Brett Kahl controls the arm of Steubenville Central's Mike Causby during their 132-pound match in the championship round of the Bill Hinegardner OVAC Duals held at Steubenville High School's Crimson Center.

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Bill Hinegardner OVAC Duals

# Shadyside wins 1A/2A title

• Steubenville upends Harrison Central for Class 4A championship

By **KIM NORTH**  
Times Leader Sports Writer

**STEUBENVILLE** — Just a mere 24 hours after being eliminated from the Ohio State Dual Meet Tournament, both Shadyside and Steubenville bounced back in convincing fashion Thursday night.

The Tigers (1A/2A) and Big Red (4A) ruled their respective divisions as the OVAC Bill Hinegardner Dual Meet Championships wrapped up inside Steubenville High School's Crimson Center.

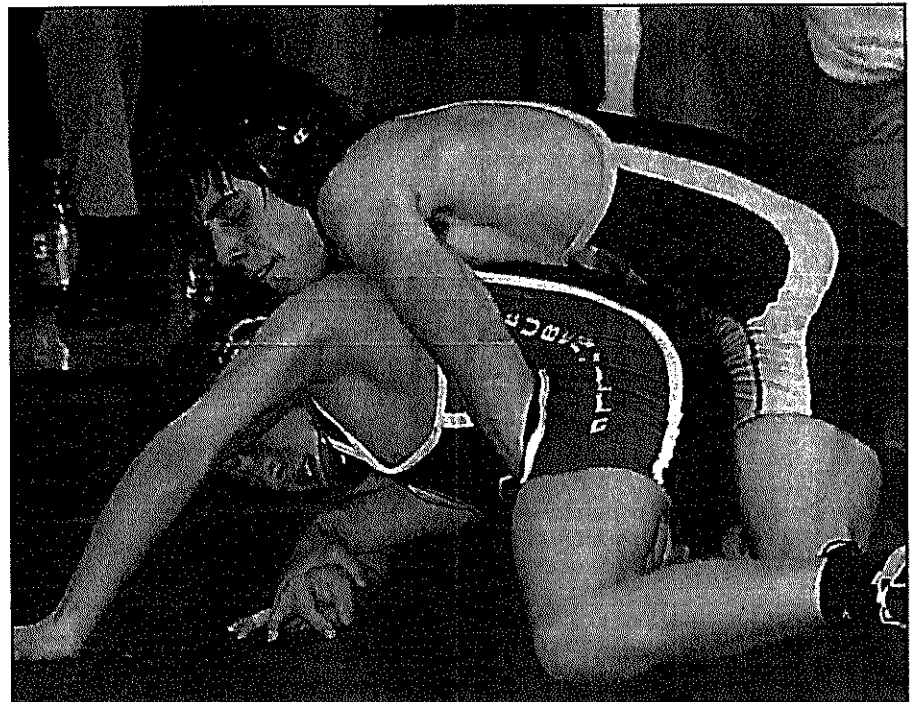


Shadyside, under the direction of head coach Scott Kinemond, rolled past Toronto (62-15) in the semifinals before defeating Steubenville Central (48-23) in the finals.

Steubenville, meanwhile, ran away from Martins Ferry (57-12) and Harrison Central (63-9) in winning its title.

"I'm really happy with the way we wrestled tonight," an elated Kinemond said. "This (the title) is a long time coming. We finally have a nearly full team. The kids have stepped it up every week."

When asked if he was worried about his team bouncing back from the loss to Amanda Clearcreek, Kinemond quickly said, "Maybe a little bit, but these kids have been wrestling for quite a few days. They're wrestlers. They're conditioned



**HARRISON CENTRAL'S** David Forrester works toward points during his 120-pound match against Steubenville's Dakotah Goff. Forrester won with a 4-2 decision. *Additional images may be found at [cu.timesleaderonline.com](http://cu.timesleaderonline.com)*

and always ready to go."

Eight different Tigers collected two victories on the night. In addition to the 'Big 3' senior trio of Ian Baker (145), Alex Quinn (152) and Chase Kinemond (160), also posting a pair of 'Ws' were

sophomores Wyatt Skapik (106), Zach Vaughn (113), freshman Brett Kahl (138) and junior Zach Meadows (285).

"That is what it takes in a dual meet. Everyone has to do their part,"

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Kinemond explained.

"You just can't have four or five kids win, it takes everyone, and that means not getting pinned if you lose."

In the championship bout, which started at 160, Kinemond got the Tigers off to a good start with a technical fall, and they never trailed. The victory also marked the 100th time the Tigers' senior has had his hand raised after a match.

"It's definitely a milestone that I was looking forward to," the two-sport standout allowed. "After missing last year (to an injury), it is quite an accomplishment to do it in just three years."

He said doing it while winning a team title made it more special.

"I didn't know I was going to get it here. I wanted to get it in the OVAC Tournament, but this here is just a great feeling."

Kahl sealed the title when he decisioned the Crusaders' Mike Crosby, 9-1, in their 138-pound match. That gave the Tigers a 35-23 lead with Baker and Quinn up next.

Steubenville Central advanced to the title bout with a thrilling, 39-38, triumph over Caldwell in which the Redskins forfeited the last match while leading by five.

Toronto defeated Caldwell, 48-30, in the consolation finals.

IN Class 5-A, Big Red bounced back from being throttled by Claymont a night earlier as they lost a mere two matches on the night, while giving up a pair of forfeits.

The Huskies' Dennis Forrester prevailed by a 4-2 count over Dakota Goff at 120, while Brandon Foster won by forfeit.

"I thought we did fairly well despite having five starters at home with sicknesses, not that it would've mattered in either match," Harrison Central head coach Bill Bryant said. "We've come a long way from the start of the season."

In the semis, Harrison Central ousted Oak Glen 39-24 by using three forfeits and a pair of pins to build a comfortable, 36-6, advantage.

The Purple Riders claimed third place when they rallied past the Golden Bears, 34-32, on a pin by James Wise in the final match.

"That was a pretty exciting way to end the night," Martins Ferry head coach Scott Roth noted.

"We knew coming in that we had our hands full with Big Red in the first round, but we wrestled decent."

In a re-match of an OVAC Tournament championship bout, Steubenville's Anthony Craig once again defeated Martins Ferry's Damon Outward, this time by an 8-5 count.

Only one Purple Rider, Jonathan Bodkin (285), went 2-0.

He was the lone winner on the mat against Big Red. Trevor Neavin (120) earned a forfeit.

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# River wins OVAC 3A Dual Meet team title

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For The Times Leader

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Almost three weeks after winning the Class 3A crown at the Ron Mauck OVAC Championships, River picked up some more hardware by drubbing Monroe Central.

The Pilots also picked up some momentum heading into next week's sectional tournament.

"It's a big confidence booster for our kids," River coach Eric Rosen said. "We're just happy we can fill almost all the weight classes.

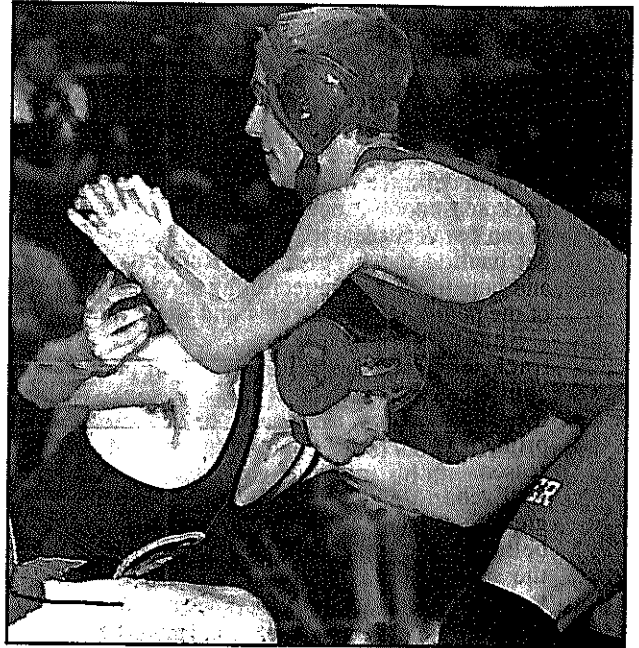
"With the exception of 106, we have a good line-up. We'll keep doing that as we plug our way into sectionals."

River led 18-15 before blowing things open in the later weights. In fact, the Pilots won the final five matches.

Picking up pins for River were Joe Dotson (285), Freddie Mundt (145), Brandon Ruesser (170), Dakota Dunn (182) and Brett Rosen (220), in what was the final bout of the match.

The Seminoles got pins from Jaren Hupp (126) and Chase Carothers (138).

"For us, it's been a total team effort," Rosen said. "Hopefully, we can keep



Photo/RICK THORP

**MONROE CENTRAL'S** Ryan Ruble, left, shoots on River's Chase Schultheis during their 113-pound bout Wednesday night.

this going."

The victory is especially gratifying for Rosen, who has been with the program for five years.

He served as an assistant under Marty Winkler before taking over for legendary mat boss Dr. Vince Monseau upon his retirement.

River advanced to the finals by defeating Tyler Consolidated, 57-24, in the semifinals.

Monroe Central topped Barnesville, 37-36, in its semifinal bout after coming out on top in Criteria D.

The Shamrocks went to capture third place with a 39-36 victory against the Silver Knights in the consolation match.

### Class 5A

The Patriots scored some redemption after falling to the Monarchs in last year's 5A final at WesBanco Arena.

## OVAC Duals Results

### Class 4A

#### Championship Finals

Staubenville 63, Harrison Central 9

- 160 - Anthony O'Dell (S) p. Kyle Dodds, 2:35  
 170 - Mark Cole (S) p. Giovanni Rocchi, 0:48  
 182 - Brandon Jones (S) tech. fall over Westin Fogle, 17-0  
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 126 - Anthony Craig (S) d. Hunter Pizzino, 5-0  
 132 - Anthony Parada (S) tech. fall over Anthony Rissely, 18-3  
 138 - Jake McGrick (S) p. Bryson Porter, 2:20  
 145 - Nico Moray (S) d. Cyle Riedel, 13-1  
 152 - Zach O'Dell (S) p. Danier Hunt, 1:06

#### Consolation Finals

Martins Ferry 34, Oak Glen 32

- 160 - Brodie Bittinger (OG) won by forfeit  
 170 - Mike Wear (MF) won by forfeit  
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#### Championship Semifinals

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 170 - Mark Cole (S) won by forfeit  
 182 - Brandon Jones (S) p. Mike Wear, 1:51  
 195 - Charlie Keenan (S) won by forfeit  
 220 - Greg Moray (S) p. Zac Coole, 0:44  
 285 - Jonathan Bookin (MF) d. Ryan Wood, 3-1  
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### Class 1A/2A

#### Championship Finals

Shadyside 48, Staubenville Central 23

- 160 - Chase Kinemond (S) tech. fall over Leo Hermann, 19-0  
 170 - Jake Duvall (S) p. Harold Rogers, 0:48  
 182 - Isaac Sanford (SC) won by forfeit  
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 182 - Andrew Miller (T) d. Scott Hammond, 3-1  
 195 - Jake Haynes (T) won by forfeit

## OVAC Wrestling

### CLASS 5-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
University	1	0	1	60	60.000
*Wheeling Park	3	2	5	295	59.000
Parkersburg South	3	0	3	170	58.667
*Brooke	4	2	8	310	51.667
*John Marshall	8	3	11	515	46.818
Beaver Local	2	1	3	140	46.667
Cambridge	4	1	5	220	44.000
*Indian Creek	3	2	5	175	35.000
*Morgantown	5	5	10	340	34.000
*Edison	0	2	2	0	0.000

### CLASS 4-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
*Martins Ferry	2	0	2	150	75.000
*St. Clairsville	1	0	1	65	65.000
*Staubenville	10	1	11	650	59.091
Buckeye Local	3	1	4	200	50.000
*H. Central	3	1	4	195	48.750
*Oak Glen	6	5	11	375	34.091
*Union Local	1	4	5	70	14.000
Meadowbrook	1	4	5	50	10.000
East Liverpool	0	0	0	0	0.000
Weir	0	7	7	0	0.000

### CLASS 3-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
Magnolia	8	0	8	290	48.333
*River	3	1	4	135	33.750
*Barnesville	1	1	2	40	20.000
Linsly	2	5	7	110	15.714
*Monroe Central	1	3	4	50	12.500
*Bellairs	0	0	0	0	0.000
*Shenandoah	0	5	5	0	0.000
*Tyler Consol.	0	3	3	0	0.000

### CLASS 2-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
*Caldwell	5	1	6	270	45.000
*Shadyside	3	1	4	175	43.750
*Toronto	4	1	5	190	38.000
*Staub. Central	2	1	3	100	33.333
*Cameron	1	2	3	30	10.000
*Clay-Battle	0	0	0	0	0.000
Bridgeport	0	3	3	0	0.000
Wellsville	0	2	2	0	0.000

### CLASS 1-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
Bealsville	0	3	3	0	0.000
Bishop Donahue	0	0	0	0	0.000
Madonna	0	0	0	0	0.000
St. John Central	0	0	0	0	0.000

## OVAC Mat Glance

### CLASS 5-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
*Wheeling Park	2	0	2	145	72.500
Beaver Local	1	0	1	70	70.000
Parkersburg South	3	0	3	170	56.667
*John Marshall	4	2	6	250	41.667
*Brooke	1	1	2	70	35.000
*Indian Creek	1	1	2	60	30.000
*Edison	0	0	0	0	0.000
*Morgantown	0	2	2	0	0.000
Cambridge	0	0	0	0	0.000
University	0	0	0	0	0.000

### CLASS 4-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
*Martins Ferry	2	0	2	135	67.500
*Staubenville	9	0	9	570	63.333
*Oak Glen	4	3	7	230	32.857
*Harrison Central	1	1	2	50	25.000
*St. Clairsville	0	0	0	0	0.000
*Union Local	0	2	2	0	0.000
Buckeye Local	0	0	0	0	0.000
East Liverpool	0	0	0	0	0.000
Meadowbrook	0	2	2	0	0.000
Weir	0	2	2	0	0.000

### CLASS 3-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
*River	2	0	2	105	52.500
Magnolia	2	0	2	105	52.500
*Barnesville	1	1	2	40	20.000
*Monroe Central	1	2	3	50	16.667
Linsly	1	3	4	60	15.000
*Bellairs	0	0	0	0	0.000
*Shenandoah	0	2	2	0	0.000
*Tyler Consolidated	0	1	1	0	0.000

### CLASS 2-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
*Toronto	2	1	3	115	38.333
*Caldwell	3	1	4	150	37.500
*Shadyside	1	1	2	55	27.500
*Cameron	0	0	0	0	0.000
*Clay-Battle	0	0	0	0	0.000
*Staubenville Central	0	0	0	0	0.000
Bridgeport	0	2	2	0	0.000
Wellsville	0	0	0	0	0.000

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School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
Bealsville	0	0	0	0	0.000
Bishop Donahue	0	0	0	0	0.000
Madonna	0	0	0	0	0.000
St. John Central	0	0	0	0	0.000

## OVAC Wrestling

### CLASS 5-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
Parkersburg South	18	1	19	1370	72.105
Beaver Local	8	1	9	635	70.556
University	9	3	12	785	65.417
*Wheeling Park	10	6	16	855	53.438
Cambridge	5	1	6	300	50.000
*John Marshall	13	10	23	975	42.391
*Brooke	10	14	24	715	29.792
*Morgantown	12	17	29	760	26.207
*Indian Creek	4	9	13	240	18.462
*Edison	1	5	6	90	15.000

### CLASS 4-A

School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
*Harrison Central	7	1	8	525	65.625
*Staubenville	19	3	22	1390	63.182
*Martins Ferry	6	4	10	440	44.000
*Oak Glen	6	8	14	470	33.571
Buckeye Local	6	8	14	455	32.500
*St. Clairsville	1	2	3	75	25.000
Meadowbrook	4	7	11	275	25.000
East Liverpool	4	7	11	190	17.272
*Union Local	3	9	12	190	15.833
Weir	0	7	7	0	0.000

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School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
Magnolia	5	2	7	265	37.857
*Barnesville	3	1	4	140	35.000
*River	4	3	7	235	33.571
Linsly	4	5	9	255	28.333
*Tyler Consolidated	1	5	6	60	10.000
*Monroe Central	1	5	6	50	8.333
*Bellairs	1	9	10	50	5.000
*Shenandoah	0	5	5	0	0.000

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School	W	L	TG	CP	AVE.
*Toronto	6	1	7	305	43.571
*Shadyside	7	4	11	435	39.545
*Staubenville CC	3	2	5	170	34.000
*Caldwell	13	10	23	705	30.652
*Cameron	3	3	6	165	27.500
Bealsville	4	5	9	170	18.889
*Clay-Battle	0	0	0	0	0.000
Bishop Donahue	0	0	0	0	0.000
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- 285—Zach Meadows (S) p. Tim West, 1:13

- 106—Wyatt Skapik (S) d. Alex Anderson, 1-0

- 113—Zach Vaughn (S) d. Donnie Starkey, 3-0

- 120—Bailey Chaplin (S) d. Jerry Savage, 9-4

- 126—Joe Walter (T) p. Austin Allen, 1:34

- 132—Cody King (T) d. Jake Haswell, 10-7

- 138—Brett Kahl (S) d. Zach Price, 5-0

- 145—Ian Baker (S) tech. fall over Drew Lowery

**Steubenville Central 39, Caldwell 38**

- 152—Ricky Happ (SC) won by forfeit

- 160—Leo Hermann (SC) p. Caleb Vanmeter, 5:09

- 170—Kale Flayner (C) tech. fall over Harold Rogers, 17-2

- 182—Jared Leasure (C) tech. fall over Isaac Sanford, 17-2

- 195—Tyson Cartell (C) d. Lucas Borden, 6-4

- 220—Clay Poling (C) p. Caleb Moore, 5:41

- 285—Marty Engle (SC) d. Chance Rutger, 4-3

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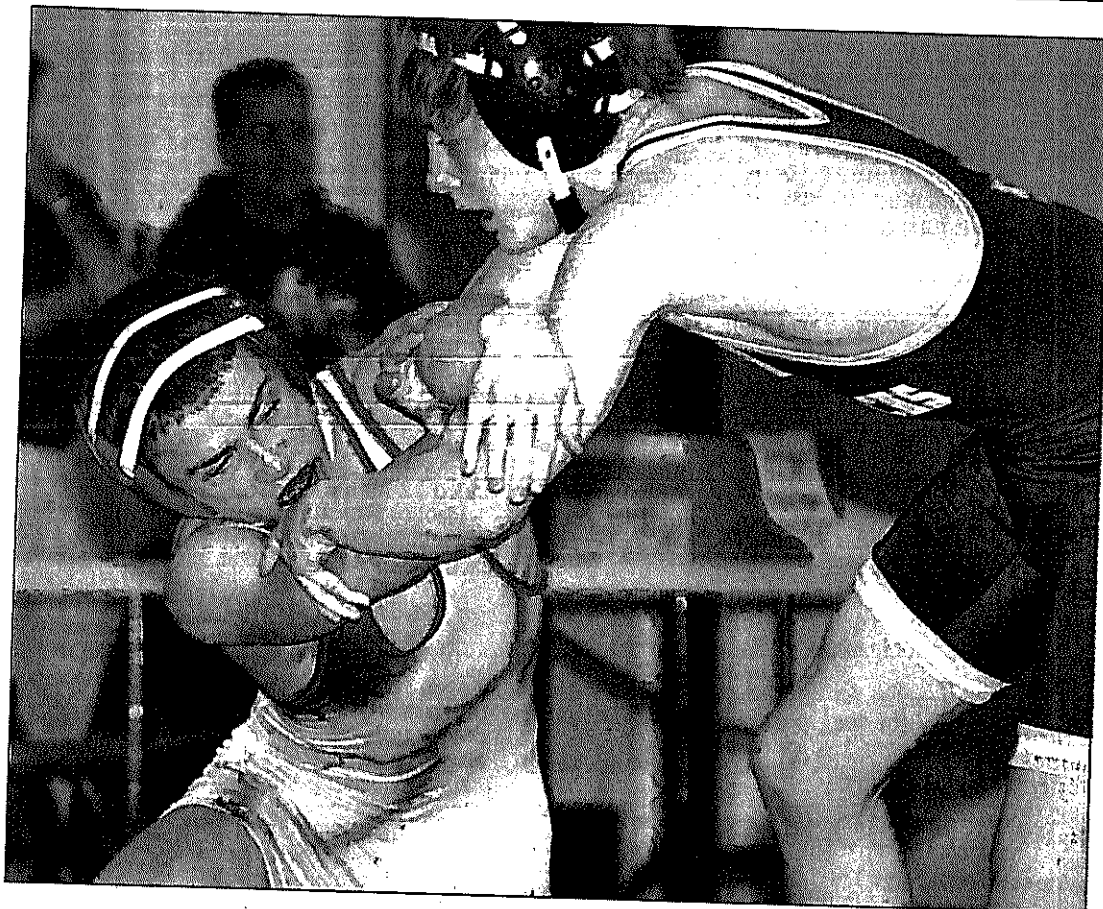


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Wheeling Park's Dallas Baciak ties up with John Marshall's Brandon Bertrand during their 113-pound bout Wednesday night. Baciak won by technical fall.

# Park, River Victorious

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Staff Writer

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"We felt like we really didn't wrestle our best last season," Wheeling Park coach Jack Doyle said. "So, we were out to make sure it didn't happen again."

"We didn't want to leave any doubt."

They didn't.

With the score knotted at 18-18, Park won seven of the final eight bouts, the final two by fall.

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"I told the kids we were going to go on a run starting with 138 (pounds)," Doyle said. "And with Dylan (Taylor) getting a pin at 138 and Johnny Davis wrestling against a good kid at 145 and Alex McGlumphy at 152, we had the ball rolling.

"It's easy to win after you follow a guy that just won. It's a nice wave you can really ride."

Danny Colby, who won his 100th career match Wednesday, secured a technical fall at 160. Later, Isaiah Myers won at 182 before Cody Amos and Jeremy Paige finished things off at 195 and 220.

Amos pinned his oppo-

nent in 16 seconds before Paige pinned his in 28.

John Marshall's Cullen Ebbert got things started by pinning Casey Hewitt in 2:36. It was Cullen's 101st career triumph. He reached the century mark in his first match of the night.

Dallas Baciak won by technical fall at 113 before JM went on a tear.

Zach Tubaugh (120), Tyler Goode (126) and Casey Mowder (132) won three straight matches to tie the score.

The Patriots, who thrashed Morgantown, 62-9, in the semifinals, are off until next week's West Virginia Class AAA regional at Brooke High School. The Monarchs, who topped

Brooke, 39-21, in their semifinal, will also be there, along with Morgantown and perennial favorite Parkersburg South.

The Mohigans defeated the Bruins, 47-24, in the consolation match.

"We'll be ready," Doyle said.

### Class 3A

Almost three weeks after winning the Class 3A crown at the Ron Mauck OVAC Championships, River picked up some more hardware by drubbing Monroe Central.

The Pilots also picked up some momentum heading into next week's sectional tournament.

"It's a big confidence booster for our kids,"

River coach Eric Rosen said. "We're just happy we can fill almost all the weight classes. With the exception of 106, we have a good lineup. We'll keep doing that as we plug our way into sectionals."

River led 18-15 before blowing things open in the later weights. In fact, the Pilots won the final five matches.

Picking up pins for River were Joe Dotson (285), Freddie Mundt (145), Brandon Ruesser (170), Dakota Dunn (182) and Brett Rosen (220), in what was the final bout of the match.

The Seminoles got pins from Jaren Hupp (126) and Chase Carothers (138).

"For us, it's been a total

team effort," Rosen said. "Hopefully, we can keep this going."

The victory is especially gratifying for Rosen, who has been with the program for five years. He served as an assistant under Marty Winkler before taking over for legendary mat boss Dr. Vince Monseau upon his retirement.

River advanced to the finals by defeating Tyler Consolidated, 57-24, in the semifinals.

Monroe Central topped Barnesville, 37-36, in its semifinal bout after coming out on top in Criteria D.

The Shamrocks went to capture third place with a 39-36 victory against the Silver Knights in the consolation match.

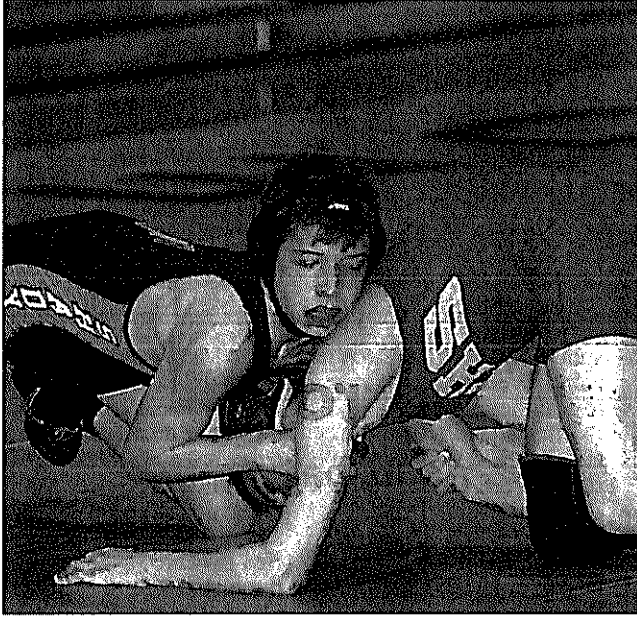


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Shadyside's Wyatt Skapik, left, and Steubenville Catholic Central's Isaac Kiedrowski, right, engage during their 106-pound match in Steubenville.

## Tigers Prevail in 1A/2A

### Steubenville Cath. puts up good battle

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STEUBENVILLE — While Steubenville Catholic Central didn't win the 2013 Ohio Valley Athletic Conference Bill Hinegardner Class 1A/2A Dual Meet Championship on Thursday at the Crimson Center, coach Aaron Henry realizes his program is moving forward after finishing runner-up to Shadyside.

"I'll tell you what, this is the first piece of hardware this team has got at Central in a long, long time," Henry said. "It means a lot to us. We've worked really hard for this."

The Tigers topped the Crusaders 48-23 to claim the title.

"Real happy with that," Shadyside coach Scott Kinemond said. "It's been a long time coming. Final-

ly got almost a full team this year. "The kids have been stepping it up every week. I'm real happy with them."

Chase Kinemond got Shadyside rolling with a 19-0 tech fall victory against Leo Herrmann at 160 pounds in the first match. At 170, Jake Duvall gave the Tigers an 11-0 lead after pinning Harold Rogers in :48.

Isaac Sanford gave Catholic Central its first points via forfeit at 182, making the match 11-6.

Scott Hammond squeaked out a 2-1 decision against Lucas Borden at 195 to put Shadyside back in control.

The tide seemed to swing toward the Crusaders when Caleb Moore dominated his way to a pin of Dante DeFelice in 1:09, but Zach Meadows pin of Marty Engle at 285 and Wyatt Skapik's 6-0 decision of Isaac Kiedrowski at 106 put the Tigers up 23-12.

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Zach Vaughn's forfeit at 113 pounds pushed the score to 29-12 before Catholic Central attempted to storm back.

Blake Kiedrowski (120) and Cuyler Ledyard (132) earned one-sided victories with Blake Kiedrowski pinning Bailey Chaplin in 59 seconds and Ledyard grinding out Jake Haswell for a 16-0 tech fall victory.

"Against Shadyside we got a few matches," Henry said. "Blake Kiedrowski got a big pin. Cuyler Ledyard with a big tech fall. We were getting a little bit of momentum there, but it fizzled off."

Between those matches, at 126 pounds, the Crusaders' Cedro Parise was an eyelash away from pushing his 4-2 loss to Austin Allen into overtime when the official ruled a takedown wasn't completed until just after time expired.

The Tigers closed strong with Brett Kahl (138) earning 9-1 major decision against Mike Crosby, Alex Quinn (145) pinning Pat Hernon in 21 seconds, and Ian Baker pinning Ricky Happ in 3:13.

Steubenville Catholic punched its ticket to the final via a 39-38 victory against Caldwell. Ledyard and Herrmann each rolled to victories by pin during the Crusaders semifinal match. Engle secured a hard-fought 4-3 decision victory.

Toronto placed third after stopping Caldwell 48-30 in the consolation finals. Cody King (132) won by pin with Donnie Starkey (113) and Jake Haynes (220) picking up 11-5 and 6-1 wins respectively.

"I think we wrestled really well," Toronto coach John Parker said. "Shadyside is a great program. You've got to give it to them. We've come a long way in five years from starting our program."

The Red Knights lost to Shadyside in the semifinals, 62-15.

**Big Red Claims 4A title**  
**STEUBENVILLE** — Steubenville coach Mike Blackburn wanted his wrestlers to make a statement Thursday in the Class 4A portion of the Bill Hinegardner Ohio Valley Athletic Conference Dual Meet Championships.

Mission accomplished

Competing on the home mats, Big Red disposed of Martins Ferry 57-12 and Harrison Central 63-9 to claim the 4A crown. The victories give Blackburn's squad a sweep of OVAC titles. In January, Big Red earned the overall championship in the conference's Ron Mauck Tournament.

"We wrestled pretty and it's quite an accomplishment to win the OVAC dual title for the third straight year," Blackburn said. "These kids deserve it, they have been working hard."

According to the Big Red coach, capturing both the Mauck event and the Hinegardner duals means "we have a lot of real good individuals and we are pretty solid as a team."

Big Red's victory against Martins Ferry came in the semifinals. Harrison Central reached the title match by disposing of Oak Glen 39-24. In the battle for third place, Martins Ferry clipped the Golden Bears, 34-32.

In the championship bout, Big Red received pins

from Andrew O'Dell (160), Mark Cole (170), Jake McKittrick (138) and Zach O'Dell (152). Of the matches contested, Big Red lost one. Harrison Central's David Forrester recorded a 4-2 decision at 120.

"I thought we did fairly well," Harrison Central coach William Bryant noted. "We had a couple of kids home sick. I'm not saying that would have made a difference in either match. We're still a young team and we have grown a long way from the beginning of the season. I'm proud of them."

As far as Oak Glen's Patrick McGillian was concerned, his Golden Bears gave up too many forfeits.

In the consolation match against Martins Ferry, each team won four of the eight matches wrestled. The Purple Riders got a victory thanks to three forfeits. Against Harrison Central, the Golden Bears won six of the matches contested.

"Plus, we just didn't wrestle well," he added. "I didn't feel like they were prepared and it showed. We have wrestled some of the kids we faced before and we wrestled them better."

Eight Big Red wrestlers went 2-0 on the night. They were Tariq Wilson (106, he recorded a pin against his Martins Ferry opponent in just 10 seconds), Anthony Craig (126), Anthony Parada (132), McKittrick, the O'Dell twins, Cole and Brandon Jones (182).

Greg Moray, who competes at 220 for Big Red, needed 44 seconds to dispose of his Martins Ferry foe. Moray earned a forfeit victory against Harrison Central.