

Governor Youth Program Wrestles into Midseason

As the youth wrestling season continued into its fifth week of competition, members of the Pierre youth wrestling program competed in six tournaments throughout the state, producing a total of 18 individual champions.

The closest action for the local youth wrestlers was in Onida on Friday January 31st, where 18 wrestlers competed in their annual youth tournament. Almost half of the Governor youth wrestlers were champions in their weight and age divisions including Caynen Carr, Matthew King, Noah Williams, Walker West, Justyce Murphy, Elijah Boutchee, Tyson Nemeć, and Rylan Shrake. Five runner up finishes were also produced including Kenyone Kuiper, Nathan Williams, Tyson Johnson, and Nicholas Murphy. A number of other wrestlers also placed either third (Christian Rogers, Hayes Frahm, Evan McFarling, and Tristen Nemeć) or fourth at the event (Blake Tostenson). “We traditionally have a good showing at this tournament each year with a Friday night event. We would have had more but we had 18 wrestlers also competing at the Spearfish K-6 Youth Dual tournament held on the same night,” said Paul Turman, Governor advance group youth coach.

Also on Friday evening, the Governor Youth Dual team competed in the King of the Hills K-6 dual tournament. Of the four duals the Governors faced their toughest test against Gillette in the opening round with the team



River Iverson works to turn his Douglas opponent during the King of the Hills Duals in Spearfish on Friday January 31st. Iverson went on to earn a pin and help the Governors in the 83-3 victory in the dual.

winning 46-33. Other wins for the team were over Spearfish (75-6), Sturgis (48-35) and Douglas (83-3). Undeclared wrestlers at the dual tournament included Ethan Martinmaas, Gabe Turman, Will Van Camp, Jack Van Camp, & Maguire Raske. Going 3-1 on the night included Jayden Wiebe, Cade Hinkle, and Jace Bench Bresher.

On Saturday, a series of other tournaments in Brookings, Coleman and Spearfish also drew wrestlers from around the area. At these three events Pierre produced eight individual champions (Nathan Williams, Hayden Shaffer, Maguire Raske, Tristan Spencer, Broch Zeeb, Jayden Wiebe, Jack Van Camp, and Will Van Camp) and runner ups (Ridge Leimbach and Bryant Zeeb). Noah Williams, Daniel Mason, Jacob Mason, Hudson Shaffer, Jacob Larson and Samuel Larson each all placed at one of these events. Trevor Weibe, club president noted, “At this point in the season we start seeing wrestlers spread out across the state to face some different competition. With the postseason just under a month away, these additional tournaments provide a great opportunity to see how we match up with wrestlers from those regions we normally only see at the state tournament.”

Finally, Sunday February 2nd also provided for wrestling at the annual Highmore youth tournament where 9 Pierre wrestlers competed. Individual champions were Tyrone Oldenkamp, Cade Hinkle, and Cooper Terwilliger. A number of other wrestlers placed second (Cayne Carr, Matthew King, Tyson Johnson, Owen Heiss), and third (Max Hunsley, Evan McFarling, Ridge Leimbach).

Action will continue this coming weekend as Governors wrestlers will compete in Gillette and Rapid City. The majority of wrestlers will compete at the Ft. Pierre invitational tournament on February 9th, or travel to Faulkton or Redfield for district four level competition. Individual results for all Pierre Youth Wrestling members include:

Onida

- Caynen Carr - 1st
- Matthew King - 1st
- Noah Williams - 1st
- Walker West - 1st
- Justyce Murphy - 1st
- Elijah Boutchee - 1st
- Tyson Nemece - 1st
- Rylan Shrake - 1st
- Gavin Stotts - 2nd
- Kenyon Kuiper - 2nd
- Nathan Williams - 2nd
- Tyson Johnson - 2nd
- Nicholas Murphy - 2nd
- Christian Rogers - 3rd
- Hayes Frahm - 3rd
- Evan McFarling - 3rd



Members of the Governor Youth Dual Team competing at the Spearfish King of the Hills Dual Tournament include: Front Row – Ethan Martinmaas, Hudson Shaffer, Jacoby Taylor, Samuel Larson. Second Row: Jayden Wiebe, Jace Bench Bresher, Preston Dyk, Hayden Shaffer, Will Van Camp. Back Row: Jacob Larson, Cade Hinkle, Maguire Raske, Gray Zabel, Reagan Bollweg, River Iverson & Jack Van Camp.

- Tristen Nemec - 3rd
- Blake Tostenson - 4th

Brookings & Coleman

- Nathan Williams - 1st
- Ridge Leimbach - 2nd
- Noah Williams - 3rd
- Daniel Mason - 3rd
- Jacob Mason - 3rd

Spearfish

- Hayden Shaffer - 1st
- Maguire Raske - 1st
- Tristan Spencer - 1st
- Broch Zeeb - 1st
- Jayden Wiebe - 1st
- Jack Van Camp - 1st
- Will Van Camp - 1st
- Bryant Zeeb - 2nd
- Hudson Shaffer - 3rd
- Jacob Larson - 3rd
- Samuel Larson - 3rd

Highmore & Plankinton

- Tyrone Oldenkamp - 1st
- Cade Hinkle - 1st
- Cooper Terwilliger - 1st
- Caynen Carr - 2nd
- Matthew King - 2nd
- Tyson Johnson - 2nd
- Owen Heiss - 2nd
- Max Hunsley - 3rd
- Evan Mcfarling - 3rd
- Ridge Leimbach - 3rd

Individual dual results for the Governor
Youth Dual team include:

Gillette			
45- Jacoby Taylor	LBF	0	6
50-EthanMartinmaas	WBTF	5	0
55- Gabe Turman	WBF	6	0
60- Tristan Spencer	LBF	0	6
65- Jayden Wiebe	LBF	0	6
70- Will Vancamp	WBMD	4	0
75-HaydenShaffer	LBD	0	3
80-Preston Dyk	LBD	0	3

85 - Jace Bench Brescher	LBD	0	3
90- Jack Vancamp	WBF	6	0
95 – Cade Hinkle	LBD	0	3
100- Jacob Larson	WBF	6	0
107 – Maguire Raske	WBF	6	0
118 – River Iverson	LBD	0	3
125 - Reghan Bollweg	WBF	6	0
Hwt – Grey Zabel	WBF	6	0
		46	33

Spearfish			
45- Jacoby Taylor	WBF	6	0
50-EthanMartinmaas	WBF	6	0
55- Gabe Turman	WBF	6	0
60- Tristan Spencer	LBD	0	3
65- Jayden Wiebe	WBF	6	0
70- Will Vancamp	WBF	6	0
75-HaydenShaffer	WBD	3	0
80-Preston Dyk	WBF	6	0
85 - Jace Bench Brescher	WBF	6	0
90- Jack Vancamp	WBD	3	0
95 – Cade Hinkle	WBF	6	0
100- Jacob Larson	WBD	3	0
107 – Maguire Raske	WBF	6	0
118 – River Iverson	WBF	6	0
125 - Reghan Bollweg	WBF	6	0
Hwt – Grey Zabel	LBD	0	3
		75	6

Sturgis			
45- Jacoby Taylor	LBF	0	6
50-EthanMartinmaas	WBTF	5	0
55- Gabe Turman	WBMD	4	0
60- Tristan Spencer	WBF	6	0
65- Jayden Wiebe	WBF	6	0
70- Will Vancamp	WBF	6	0
75-HaydenShaffer	LBTF	0	5
80-Preston Dyk	LBF	0	6
85 - Jace Bench Brescher	WBF	6	0
90- Jack Vancamp	WBD	3	0
95 – Cade Hinkle	WBF	6	0
100- Jacob Larson	LBF	0	6
107 – Maguire Raske	WBF	6	0
118 – River Iverson	LFD	0	3
125 - Reghan Bollweg	LBF	0	6
Hwt – Grey Zabel	LBD	0	3
		48	35

<i>Douglas</i>			
45- Jacoby Taylor	WBF	6	0
50-EthanMartinmaas	WBF	6	0
55- Gabe Turman	WBF	6	0
60- Tristan Spencer	WBF	6	0
65- Jayden Wiebe	WBF	6	0
70- Will Vancamp	WBF	6	0
75-HaydenShaffer	WBF	6	0
80-Forfeit	Open	0	0

85 - Jace Bench Brescher	WBF	6	0
90- Jack Vancamp	WBTF	5	0
95 – Cade Hinkle	WBF	6	0
100- Jacob Larson	WBF	6	0
107 – Maguire Raske	WBF	6	0
118 – River Iverson	WBF	6	0
125 - Reghan Bollweg	WBF	6	0
Hwt – Grey Zabel	WBF	0	3
		83	3

