

## Youth Wrestling Continues into Midseason

Over the past two weekends, more than 50 members of the Pierre Youth Wrestling team have competed throughout the state at tournaments in Kimball, Whitewood, Aberdeen, Wessington Springs, De Smet, Faulkton and Ft. Pierre. Individual results for each wrestler can be found below. Additionally, members of the club formed two dual teams consisting of wrestlers between pre-school and sixth grade and competed in a quadrangular tournament against teams from Ft. Pierre and Highmore on Friday January 29<sup>th</sup> in the George Morse middle school in Pierre. Teams were comprised of 16 wrestlers varying in weight from 40lbs to 130lbs. Lonnie Stoltenburg, organized the event noting that “providing young kids with an opportunity to compete in a team environment at a young age gives them a great sense for how team oriented the sport of wrestling can be. It was a great opportunity for young wrestlers from each of the towns to compete and experience the team atmosphere that normally isn’t available until they compete at the varsity level.”

Pierre was also represented well at the second annual South Dakota Youth Dual tournament held on Sunday January 31<sup>st</sup> in Brookings. Members of the youth program competed for 15 weight classes on the K-6 team and placed second to a Sioux Falls team consisting of wrestlers from Sioux Falls, Canton, and Flandreau. The tournament used pool formatting for the first three rounds where Pierre defeated West Central, Brookings and Philip. Paul Turman, president of the youth wrestling organization, noted that “We had a number of our kids wrestle extremely well with three going undefeated on the day including William Turman, Jebben Keyes, and Spencer Sarringar. The level of competition at these types of events



*Pictured from left to right are members of the Pierre Youth Wrestling team that competed in the South Dakota Youth Dual tournament. Front row: Grant Judson, Jack Van Camp, Matthew Lusk, Nathan Williams, Blake Judson, Josh Rowse, Will Van Camp, Aric Williams, Gabe Turman, Noah Williams. Second Row: Austin Senger, William Turman, Michael Lusk, Lincoln Turman. Third Row: Garret Leesman, Jebben Keyes, Spencer Sarringar, Lucas Stoltenburg, Quinn Reimers, Nick Wiebe, Skyler Leesman, Levi Stoltenburg.*

is extremely high and it was exciting to have our kids perform so well as a team.” The championship dual came down to the heavyweight match to determine the final outcome. Pierre has placed second at the tournament the last two years. Members of the team included Gabe Turman (40lb), Blake Judson/Noah Williams (45lb), Will Van Camp (50lb), Josh Rowse (55lb), William Turman (60lb), Lincoln Turman (65lb), Austin Senger (70lb), Aric Williams (75lb), Jebben Keyes (80lb), Garrett Leesman (85lb), Spencer Sarringar (90lb), Nick Wiebe (95), Quinn Reimers (100lb), Skyler Leesman (105lb), Levi Stoltenburg (115lb), and Lucas Stoltenburg (130lb).

### **January 30<sup>th</sup> - Kimball & Whitewood**

Cade Hinkle- 1st  
Gage Gehring- 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Gunner Gehring- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Matthew Lusk- 2nd

Grant Judson- 2nd  
Jebben Keyes – 1st  
Maguire Raske- 1st  
Lincoln Turman- 2nd  
Will Turman- 1st  
Austin Senger- 1st  
Will Van Camp- 3rd  
Jack Van Camp- 3rd  
Jayden Wiebe- 1st  
Aric Williams- 2nd

**January 31<sup>st</sup> - Aberdeen Central &  
Wessington Springs**

Jaret Clarke- 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Kahlor Hindman- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Cade Hinkle- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
J.R. Mayer- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Jake Mayer- 1<sup>st</sup>

**February 7<sup>th</sup> - DeSmet**

Michael Lusk- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Matthew Lusk- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Spencer Sarringar- 3<sup>rd</sup>

**February 6<sup>th</sup> - Faulkton**

Cade Hinkle- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Matthew Lusk- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Michael Lusk- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Jerrick Meyer- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Jack Van Camp- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Will Van Camp- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup>

**February 7<sup>th</sup> – Ft. Pierre**

Jace Bresher- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Chase Bunnis- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Aidan Burke- 4<sup>th</sup>  
Jonah Dobbs- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Cord Ellis- 4<sup>th</sup>  
Gage Gehring- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Gunner Gehring- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Brady Getz- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Steven Hasart- 4<sup>th</sup>  
Marcus Neace- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Cade Hinkle- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Kahlor Hindman- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Tyson Johnson- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Tyler Johnson- 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Beau Keith- 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Jebben Keyes- 1<sup>st</sup>

Garrett Leesman – 1<sup>st</sup>  
Skyler Leesman – 1<sup>st</sup>  
Spencer Livingston- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Michael Lusk- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Matthew Lusk- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Jacob Mayer- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
J.R. Mayer- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Jerrick Meyer- 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Logan Meyer- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Carsten Miller- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Tyrone Oldenkamp- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Zachary Oldenkamp- 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Ty Paulsen- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Josh Rowse- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Spencer Sarringar- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Quintin Serbousek- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Sam Slocum- 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Dylan Snyder- 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Lee Snyder- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Luke Snyder- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Tristan Spencer- 4<sup>th</sup>  
Lucas Stoltenburg- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Levi Stoltenburg- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Gavin Stotts- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Gabe Turman- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Lincoln Turman- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Will Turman- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Jayden Wiebe- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Nick Wiebe- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Aric Williams- 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Nathan Williams- 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Noah Williams- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Jack Van Camp- 1<sup>st</sup>  
Will Van Camp- 2<sup>nd</sup>