

1969 Class A State Results

95- First Round- 21-2 Ron Smith (11), Kearney, def **3-2 Manuel Barrera (11)**, Omaha Bryan, 10-1. **11-9 Randy Morton (11)**, Scottsbluff, def **6-1 Steve Wall (10)**, Bellevue, 4-0. **12-5 Jeff Kupfer (10)**, Fremont, def **12-6 Verlin McIntosh (11)**, Omaha South, 7-2. **15-5 Rodney King (10)**, Beatrice, def **18-7 Randy Penke (9)**, Papillion, 6-5.

Quarterfinals- 20-0 John Lowe (11), Lincoln East, pinned Ron Smith, Kearney, 1:36. Randy Morton, Scottsbluff, def **12-2 Gene Koberg (11)**, Omaha Westside, 7-5. **26-1 Phil Gonzalez (10)**, Boys Town, pinned Jeff Kupfer, Fremont, 3:20. **20-3 Dan Nielsen (12)**, Gering, def Rodney King, Beatrice, 6-0.

Semifinals- John Lowe, Lincoln East, pinned Randy Morton, Scottsbluff, 5:47. Phil Gonzalez, Boys Town, def Dan Nielsen, Gering, 12-6.

Consolation Semifinals- Randy Morton, Scottsbluff, def Ron Smith, Kearney, 8-4. Dan Nielsen, Gering, def Jeff Kupfer, Fremont, 7-1.

Third Place- Dan Nielsen, Gering, def Randy Morton, Scottsbluff, 7-0.

Finals- Phil Gonzalez, Boys Town, def John Lowe, Lincoln East, 4-3.

103- First Round- 18-9 Chris Darrell (12), Bellevue, def **7-6 Michael Sambasile (12)**, Omaha Creighton Prep, 7-0. **11-4 Rickey Partridge (11)**, Omaha North, def **16-4 Ruben Caldera (11)**, Boys Town, 12-0. **3-2 Kevin Puderbaugh (10)**, Lincoln East, def **13-9 Larry Kay (11)**, Kearney, 8-6. **19-4-1 Marvin Hefti (12)**, Alliance, def **12-4 Jerry Primm (12)**, Fremont, 3-2.

Quarterfinals- 16-3 Steve Briscoe (10), Beatrice, def Chris Darrell, Bellevue, 8-2. **15-2 Mike Mowry (10)**, Scottsbluff, def Rickey Partridge, Omaha North, 5-1. **12-6 Gary Richards (11)**, Omaha Tech, def Kevin Puderbaugh, Lincoln East, 5-4. **27-0 Shay Beninato (12)**, Omaha Ryan, def Marvin Hefti, Alliance, 5-4.

Semifinals- Mike Mowry, Scottsbluff, def Steve Briscoe, Beatrice, 7-0. Shay Beninato, Omaha Ryan, def Gary Richards, Omaha Tech, 2-1.

Consolation Semifinals- Steve Briscoe, Beatrice, def Rickey Partridge, Omaha North, 4-0. Marvin Hefti, Alliance, def Gary Richards, Omaha Tech, 4-3 OT.

Third Place- Steve Briscoe, Beatrice, pinned Marvin Hefti, Alliance, 2:42.

Finals- Mike Mowry, Scottsbluff, def Shay Beninato, Omaha Ryan, 13-5.

112- First Round- 9-3 Gary Carpenter (12), Alliance, def **7-6 Charles Nelson (12)**, Omaha Tech, 14-8. **21-3-1 George Edward (10)**, Boys Town, def **16-3 Ron Breckner (11)**, Hastings, 15-7. **15-5 Bob Sailors (12)**, Omaha South, def **8-8 Art Longoria (10)**, Lincoln Northeast, 2-1 OT. **15-8 Todd Rowe (12)**, Omaha Westside, def **13-3-1 Jerry Wilcox (12)**, Fremont, 4-0.

Quarterfinals- 20-2 Monty Halstead (12), Lincoln High, def Gary Carpenter, Alliance, 6-2. **8-8 Dan Lujano (11)**, Omaha Ryan, def George Edward, Boys Town, 5-4. **28-5 George Rybar (11)**, Bellevue, def Bob Sailors, Omaha South, 7-4. **17-0-1 Ervin Gonzales (11)**, Scottsbluff, def Todd Rowe, Omaha Westside, 8-0.

Semifinals- Monty Halstead, Lincoln High, def Dan Lujano, Omaha Ryan, 5-4. George Rybar, Bellevue, def Ervin Gonzales, Scottsbluff, 2-0.

Consolation Semifinals- Gary Carpenter, Alliance, def Dan Lujano, Omaha Ryan, 5-1 OT. Ervin Gonzales, Scottsbluff, def Bob Sailors, Omaha South, 2-1.

Third Place- Ervin Gonzales, Scottsbluff, def Gary Carpenter, Alliance, 13-0.

Finals- George Rybar, Bellevue, def Monty Halstead, Lincoln High, 7-2.

120- First Round- 8-2 **Bill Sturgeon (10)**, Bellevue, def 15-7 **Ron Garrett (12)**, Grand Island, 8-7. 11-1-2 **David Rosas (11)**, Scottsbluff, pinned 12-6 **Marvin Bergers (12)**, Omaha Benson, 4:52. 13-4 **Art Carter (12)**, Omaha South, def 11-7 **Dan Petri (12)**, Lincoln High, 9-2. 13-4 **Craig Tische (12)**, Lincoln Northeast, def 10-5 **Craig Anderson (11)**, Omaha Westside, 9-0. **Quarterfinals-** 14-6 **Tim Shelley (12)**, Lincoln Southeast, def Bill Sturgeon, Bellevue, 2-0. 27-2 **Bob Billesbach (12)**, Omaha Ryan, def David Rosas, Scottsbluff, 14-3. Art Carter, Omaha South, def 15-4 **Bill Bissett (11)**, Boys Town, 4-0. 19-6 **Ron Eilers (12)**, Kearney, pinned Craig Tische, Lincoln Northeast, 5:47.

Semifinals- Bob Billesbach, Omaha Ryan, def Tim Shelley, Lincoln Southeast, 8-0. Ron Eilers, Kearney, def Art Carter, Omaha South, 4-2.

Consolation Semifinals- David Rosas, Scottsbluff, def Tim Shelley, Lincoln Southeast, 6-2. Craig Tische, Lincoln Northeast, def Art Carter, Omaha South, 8-4.

Third Place- David Rosas, Scottsbluff, def Craig Tische, Lincoln Northeast, 4-3.

Finals- Bob Billesbach, Omaha Ryan, pinned Ron Eilers, Kearney, 3:43.

127- First Round- 24-7 **Pat Kuhl (11)**, Omaha Ryan, def 10-7-2 **Tim Landis (12)**, Scottsbluff, 2-1 OT. 18-3-1 **Louie Burton (12)**, Gering, def 7-5 **Mozette Edwards (12)**, Omaha North, 6-5. 18-2 **Charles Varland (11)**, Lincoln High, pinned 15-6 **Vic Duran (11)**, Boys Town, 3:10. 14-3-1 **George Thompson (11)**, Omaha Central, def 12-9 **Tom Graham (11)**, Lincoln East, 4-1. **Quarterfinals-** 13-2 **Jim Thompson (12)**, Lincoln Southeast, def Pat Kuhl, Omaha Ryan, 4-0. Louie Burton, Gering, def 25-4 **Ted Butts (12)**, Bellevue, 5-0. Charles Varland, Lincoln High, pinned 15-4 **Mike Brimmer (12)**, Ralston, 4:53. 21-4 **Steve Babcock (12)**, North Platte, def George Thompson, Omaha Central, 4-0.

Semifinals- Jim Thompson, Lincoln Southeast, def Louie Burton, Gering, 6-0. Charles Varland, Lincoln High, def Steve Babcock, North Platte, 2-0 OT.

Consolation Semifinals- Louie Burton, Gering, def Pat Kuhl, Omaha Ryan, 3-0. Steve Babcock, North Platte, def Mike Brimmer, Ralston, 3-1.

Third Place- Louie Burton, Gering, def Steve Babcock, North Platte, 7-1.

Finals- Jim Thompson, Lincoln Southeast, def Charles Varland, Lincoln High, 4-0.

133- First Round- 18-7-1 **Jerry Welsh (12)**, North Platte, def 14-6 **Jim Smith (11)**, Omaha South, 6-3. 29-6 **Dick Henn (10)**, Papillion, def 16-6 **Roger Pedroza (12)**, Grand Island, Judges Decision. 13-3 **Tony Phillips (12)**, Boys Town, def 16-2 **Larry Wilcox (11)**, Lincoln Northeast, 6-2. 15-7 **Mike Sacridier (11)**, Omaha Benson, def 10-7 **Steve Hastings (11)**, Lincoln East, 2-0. **Quarterfinals-** 16-2 **Bob Nimic (12)**, Lincoln High, pinned Jerry Welsh, North Platte, 1:55. 15-3 **Mike Estes (11)**, Omaha Tech, def Dick Henn, Papillion, 13-3. 12-4 **Mark Gordon (12)**, Omaha Westside, def Tony Phillips, Boys Town, 5-1. 19-3 **Gale Epp (12)**, Kearney, pinned Mike Sacridier, Omaha Benson, 2:34.

Semifinals- Bob Nimic, Lincoln High, pinned Mike Estes, Omaha Tech, 3:27. Gale Epp, Kearney, def Mark Gordon, Omaha Westside, 11-0.

Consolation Semifinals- Jerry Welsh, North Platte, def Mike Estes, Omaha Tech, 7-5. Mike Sacrider, Omaha Benson, def Mark Gordon, Omaha Westside, 9-1.

Third Place- Jerry Welsh, North Platte, def Mike Sacrider, Omaha Benson, 5-3.

Finals- Gale Epp, Kearney, def Bob Nimic, Lincoln High, 12-2.

138- First Round- 29-4 Byron Hough (11), Papillion, pinned **9-9 Doug Wilson (12)**, Kearney, 1:40. **11-5 Steve Schledewitz (11)**, Scottsbluff, def **5-7 David Eller (11)**, Omaha North, 2-0 OT. **12-5 Larry Reigert (11)**, Lincoln Southeast, def **9-1-1 Tom Jackson (11)**, Bellevue, 3-0. **9-5 Bob Sadler (10)**, Omaha Benson, def **13-7 Steve Bush (11)**, Lincoln East, 7-5.

Quarterfinals- 17-1 Ron Bousquet (12), Lincoln High, pinned Byron Hough, Papillion, 5:36.

24-0 Joe Ortiz (12), Boys Town, def Steve Schledewitz, Scottsbluff, 15-3. **24-4 Joe Vazzano (12)**, Omaha Ryan, def Larry Reigert, Lincoln Southeast, 7-2. **20-3 John Golden (10)**, North Platte, pinned Bob Sadler, Omaha Benson, 1:41.

Semifinals- Ron Bousquet, Lincoln High, def Joe Ortiz, Boys Town, 4-2. Joe Vazzano, Omaha Ryan, def John Golden, North Platte, 4-0.

Consolation Semifinals- Byron Hough, Papillion, def Joe Ortiz, Boys Town, 6-3. John Golden, North Platte, pinned Larry Reigert, Lincoln Southeast, 2:42.

Third Place- Byron Hough, Papillion, def John Golden, North Platte, 10-2.

Finals- Ron Bousquet, Lincoln High, pinned Joe Vazzano, Omaha Ryan, 3:31.

145- First Round- 15-4 Tom Campbell (11), Omaha Westside, def **7-6 Mike Smith (11)**, McCook, 5-3. **6-6 David Goers (11)**, Omaha North, def **16-7 Tom Luth (11)**, Grand Island, 5-1. **21-5 Jim Jicha (12)**, Columbus, def **9-4 Doug Teachman (11)**, Omaha Benson, 7-6. **26-5 Len McKenzie (11)**, Bellevue, def **13-4 Don Stamm (12)**, Lincoln High, 5-3.

Quarterfinals- 21-0 Len Dickinson (11), Lincoln East, pinned Tom Campbell, Omaha Westside, 3:08. **18-4 Kent Titze (12)**, Omaha Burke, def David Goers, Omaha North, 11-2. **22-3 Mark Porter (11)**, Ralston, def Jim Jicha, Columbus, 7-2. **15-1-1 Allen Splichal (12)**, Scottsbluff, def Len McKenzie, Bellevue, 2-0.

Semifinals- Len Dickinson, Lincoln East, def Kent Titze, Omaha Burke, 6-2. Allen Splichal, Scottsbluff, def Mark Porter, Ralston, 1-0.

Consolation Semifinals- Kent Titze, Omaha Burke, pinned Tom Campbell, Omaha Westside, 4:58. Len McKenzie, Bellevue, def Mark Porter, Ralston, FFT.

Third Place- Kent Titze, Omaha Burke, pinned Len McKenzie, Bellevue, 2:51.

Finals- Len Dickinson, Lincoln East, def Allen Splichal, Scottsbluff, 2-0.

154- First Round- 17-5 Mark Schmeckle (12), Gering, def **7-5 Larry Travis (12)**, Omaha Tech, 11-1. **17-4 Steve Parker (12)**, Omaha Benson, def **11-11-2 Dave Best (11)**, Alliance, 12-3. **4-5 Pat Adams (10)**, Lincoln Southeast, def **19-4 Jim Elder (12)**, Omaha South, 8-4. **7-10 Jim Kelley (12)**, Omaha Westside, def **8-5 Jud Hall (11)**, Fremont, 6-2.

Quarterfinals- 15-4 Tom Simpson (12), Lincoln High, def Mark Schmeckle, Gering, 8-4. **16-1 William Goers (12)**, Omaha North, def Steve Parker, Omaha Benson, 6-0. **28-3 Lou Kessler (11)**, Bellevue, def Pat Adams, Lincoln Southeast, 8-1. **16-1-1 Bill Snocker (12)**, Scottsbluff, def Jim Kelley, Omaha Westside, 5-4.

Semifinals- Tom Simpson, Lincoln High, pinned William Goers, Omaha North, 4:51. Lou Kessler, Bellevue, def Bill Snocker, Scottsbluff, 2-1 OT.

Consolation Semifinals- William Goers, Omaha North, def Mark Schmeackle, Gering, 5-1. Bill Snocker, Scottsbluff, def Pat Adams, Lincoln Southeast, 8-6.

Third Place- William Goers, Omaha North, def Bill Snocker, Scottsbluff, 7-0.

Finals- Lou Kessler, Bellevue, def Tom Simpson, Lincoln High, 3-2.

165- First Round- 8-8 Tom Peterson (12), Omaha Westside, def **14-6 Don Wilson (11)**, Omaha Benson, 4-2. **12-7 Earl Baker (12)**, Omaha Ryan, def **16-4 Dennis Franks (11)**, Omaha Bryan, 2-1 OT. **17-4 Boyd Jones (12)**, Lincoln East, def **15-9-1 Kent Buehler (12)**, Gering, 6-0. **16-5 Craig Heidecker (12)**, Beatrice, def **14-3 Craig Scott (12)**, Scottsbluff, 4-3.

Quarterfinals- **15-2 Duayne Nelson (12)**, Lincoln High, def Tom Peterson, Omaha Westside, 7-1. **15-8-1 Larry Tierney (12)**, Grand Island, pinned Earl Baker, Omaha Ryan, 3:25. Boyd Jones, Lincoln East, def **17-2-1 Bob Vittitoe (11)**, Bellevue, 16-6. **17-0 Terrance Murtaugh (12)**, Omaha North, def Craig Heidecker, Beatrice, 7-0.

Semifinals- Duayne Nelson, Lincoln High, def Larry Tierney, Grand Island, 5-1. Terrance Murtaugh, Omaha North, def Boyd Jones, Lincoln East, 8-3.

Consolation Semifinals- Larry Tierney, Grand Island, def Tom Peterson, Omaha Westside, 10-5. Boyd Jones, Lincoln East, def Craig Heidecker, Beatrice, 9-3.

Third Place- Larry Tierney, Grand Island, def Boyd Jones, Lincoln East, 13-4.

Finals- Terrance Murtaugh, Omaha North, def Duayne Nelson, Lincoln High, 4-0.

175- First Round- 25-5 Cliff Stovall (12), Bellevue, pinned **13-7 Brad Cottington (12)**, Ralston, 5:28. **16-3 Ray Brust (11)**, Omaha Bryan, def **6-7 Pat Willing (11)**, Omaha South, 4-3. **19-2 Chuck Estes (12)**, Beatrice, def **12-8-1 Bill Baum (12)**, Gering, 5-0. **10-4 Greg Sparks (12)**, Scottsbluff, def **6-8 Don Leishman (12)**, Lincoln Northeast, 6-1.

Quarterfinals- **15-0-1 Lee Hall (12)**, Fremont, def Cliff Stovall, Bellevue, 7-3. **21-3 Mike Keith (11)**, North Platte, def Ray Brust, Omaha Bryan, 7-2. **27-0 Tony Ross (12)**, Omaha Central, def Chuck Estes, Beatrice, 7-1. **17-6 Fred Sacco (11)**, Omaha Westside, def Greg Sparks, Scottsbluff, 6-0.

Semifinals- Lee Hall, Fremont, def Mike Keith, North Platte, 2-1 OT. Tony Ross, Omaha Central, def Fred Sacco, Omaha Westside, 6-2.

Consolation Semifinals- Cliff Stovall, Bellevue, def Mike Keith, North Platte, 9-1. Chuck Estes, Beatrice, def Fred Sacco, Omaha Westside, 9-2.

Third Place- Cliff Stovall, Bellevue, def Chuck Estes, Beatrice, 13-5.

Finals- Tony Ross, Omaha Central, def Lee Hall, Fremont, 8-2.

HWT- First Round- 7-9 Jerry Allen (10), Boys Town, def **19-9 Randy Thatcher (11)**, Omaha Westside, 3-2 OT. **19-4 Al Rocek (11)**, Omaha Creighton Prep, def **5-4 Randy Peoples (11)**, Omaha Tech, 5-0. **16-2 Greg Anderson (11)**, Fremont, def **8-10 Mark Cavane (11)**, McCook, 10-0. **14-6 Jerry Stoner (11)**, Lincoln East, def **11-6-1 Alan Kawaguchi (11)**, Scottsbluff, 5-2.

Quarterfinals- **11-3 Steve Tonkin (12)**, Lincoln Southeast, pinned Jerry Allen, Boys Town, 5:15. Al Rocek, Omaha Creighton Prep, def **13-3 Mike Johnson (12)**, Alliance, **31-0 Phil**

Painter (12), Bellevue, def Greg Anderson, Fremont, Jerry Stoner, Lincoln East, def **18-3**

Wayne Bradley (12), Papillion,

Semifinals- Steve Tonkin, Lincoln Southeast, def Al Rocek, Omaha Creighton Prep, 8-6. Phil Painter, Bellevue, def Jerry Stoner, Lincoln East, 9-0.

Consolation Semifinals- Al Rocek, Omaha Creighton Prep, def Jerry Allen, Boys Town, 4-0. Greg Anderson, Fremont, def Jerry Stoner, Lincoln East, 6-2.

Third Place- Al Rocek, Omaha Creighton Prep, def Greg Anderson, Fremont, 7-0 OT.

Finals- Phil Painter, Bellevue, pinned Steve Tonkin, Lincoln Southeast, 2:52.

Class A Team Standings - Lincoln High 65, Bellevue 52, Scottsbluff 45, Omaha Ryan 34, Lincoln East 32, Lincoln Southeast 25, Kearney 24, Omaha North 20, Boys Town 17, North Platte 17, Fremont 14, Gering 14, Beatrice 13, Omaha Central 13, Alliance 8, Creighton Prep 8, Omaha Burke 8, Papillion 8, Grand Island 7, Omaha Benson 6, Omaha Westside 6, Lincoln Northeast 4, Omaha South 3, Omaha Tech 2, Columbus 1, Omaha Bryan 1, Ralston 1.