

## 1978 Class A Wrestling Results

**98- First Round-** 21-5 Ken Bergers (12), Millard, def 14-9 Bob Moss (12), Kearney, 7-1. 15-9 Darrel Pirrone (10), Omaha Bryan, pinned 9-9 Steve Connelly (10), Fremont, 2:02. 11-2 Neal Stepanek (10), Omaha Northwest, def 9-11-1 Tim Koch (11), Lincoln Northeast, 9-1. 23-0 Kirk McAndrew (12), Columbus, pinned 2-2 Steve Schmidt (12), Omaha Benson, 3:34. 24-0 David Washington (10), Omaha Tech, pinned 11-14 Alan Brady (10), Omaha Burke, 2:37. 10-2 Jim Stewart (12), North Platte, pinned 3-3 Bryan Prochnow (9), Omaha Roncalli, 3:12. 17-7-1 Ricky Limon (10), Scottsbluff, pinned 17-7 Milt Weatherly (10), Bellevue West, 1:49. 21-5 Jeff Brudigan (11), Norfolk, def 15-12-1 Bryan Barnes (10), Papillion, 7-2.

**Quarterfinals-** Ken Bergers, Millard, def Darrel Pirrone, Omaha Bryan, 11-2. Kirk McAndrew, Columbus, pinned Neal Stepanek, Omaha Northwest, 5:23. David Washington, Omaha Tech, def Jim Stewart, North Platte, 8-4. Ricky Limon, Scottsbluff, def Jeff Brudigan, Norfolk, 4-2.

**Semifinals-** Kirk McAndrew, Columbus, pinned Ken Bergers, Millard, 3:12. David Washington, Omaha Tech, def Ricky Limon, Scottsbluff, 7-6.

**Fifth Place-** Neal Stepanek, Omaha Northwest, def Ken Bergers, Millard, 6-0.

**Third Place-** Jim Stewart, North Platte, pinned Ricky Limon, Scottsbluff, 1:23.

**Finals-** Kirk McAndrew, Columbus, def David Washington, Omaha Tech, 10-3.

**105- First Round-** 21-5 Kirk Belville (11), Norfolk, def 8-16 James Lee (11), Bellevue West, 10-5. 21-3 John Shearer (12), Omaha Northwest, def 9-12 Keith Morse (10), Kearney, 13-1. 19-4 Scott Wiens (12), Beatrice, def 17-10 Mike Hazen (10), Papillion, 5-2. 18-3 Keith Sortino (11), Omaha Westside, pinned 11-16 Mike Russell (10), Omaha Burke, 1:40. 21-2 Scott Stansbury (11), Scottsbluff, def 17-9 Tony Gute (11), Ralston, 18-1. 10-10 Joel LaRocca (11), Fremont, def 14-6 Jim Baughman (11), Millard, 12-3. 21-4 Ray Pearson (12), South Sioux City, def 9-11 Randy Johnson (11), Omaha Benson, 7-3. 23-5 Al Brown (12), Omaha South, def 11-6 Rob Hotz (10), Grand Island, 13-1.

**Quarterfinals-** John Shearer, Omaha Northwest, def Kirk Belville, Norfolk, 9-5. Keith Sortino, Omaha Westside, def Scott Wiens, Beatrice, 10-3. Scott Stansbury, Scottsbluff, def Joel LaRocca, Fremont, 8-2. Al Brown, Omaha South, def Ray Pearson, South Sioux City, 9-2.

**Semifinals-** Keith Sortino, Omaha Westside, def John Shearer, Omaha Northwest, 7-1. Al Brown, Omaha South, def Scott Stansbury, Scottsbluff, 8-6.

**Fifth Place-** Scott Wiens, Beatrice, def Ray Pearson, South Sioux City, 4-1.

**Third Place-** John Shearer, Omaha Northwest, def Scott Stansbury, Scottsbluff, 6-0.

**Finals-** Al Brown, Omaha South, def Keith Sortino, Omaha Westside, 8-5.

**112- First Round-** 20-2 Tim Daniels (12), Grand Island, def 6-6 Evan Hoover (10), Omaha Burke, 11-2. 23-5 Fred Martinez (12), Omaha South, def 13-7 Terry Gargano (11), Omaha Central, 4-1. 21-7 Wynn Jennings (10), Omaha Benson, def 22-4-1 Bob Tatten (12), Omaha Creighton Prep, 6-4. 18-5-1 Tim Fuehrer (12), Norfolk, def 23-3 Tony Limon (11), Scottsbluff, 5-1. 6-6 Rick Caveye (12), Omaha Bryan, def 8-4 Carl Brandt (11), Omaha North, FFT. 19-7 Mike Sackett (12), Columbus, pinned 13-6 Tim LaFond (11), Fremont, 5:31. 16-9 Waco Carpenter (10), Kearney, def 10-18 Robert Wiseman (11), South Sioux City, 20-0. 22-1 Phil

**Pisasale (12)**, Omaha Northwest, pinned **15-6 Scott Menolascino (10)**, Omaha Westside, 1:47.

**Quarterfinals-** Tim Daniels, Grand Island, def Fred Martinez, Omaha South, 5-2. Wynn Jennings, Omaha Benson, def Tim Fuehrer, Norfolk, 8-7. Mike Sackett, Columbus, pinned Rick Caveye, Omaha Bryan, 4:51. Phil Pisale, Omaha Northwest, def Waco Carpenter, Kearney, 4-0.

**Semifinals-** Tim Daniels, Grand Island, def Wynn Jennings, Omaha Benson, 4-2. Phil Pisasale, Omaha Northwest, def Mike Sackett, Columbus, 5-0.

**Fifth Place-** Waco Carpenter, Kearney, def Mike Sackett, Columbus, 2-1 OT.

**Third Place-** Tim Fuehrer, Norfolk, def Wynn Jennings, Omaha Benson, 3-0.

**Finals-** Phil Pisasale, Omaha Northwest, def Tim Daniels, Grand Island, 2-1.

**119- First Round-** **19-4 Jerry McCaw (11)**, Bellevue West, def **11-13 Ky McCarty (11)**, Kearney, 4-2 OT. **18-7-1 Bob Mancuso (11)**, Omaha Creighton Prep, def **9-11 Mike Ames (12)**, Omaha Burke, 5-3. **27-1 Tim Loosemore (12)**, Papillion, pinned **9-11 Greg Teichmeier (12)**, Lincoln Northeast, 5:52. **18-1-1 Al Hiavala (12)**, Grand Island, def **21-7 Kevin Kimsey (10)**, Omaha Central, 2-1. **14-2 Vince Lahoda (12)**, Omaha Bryan, pinned **4-6 Terry Sohler (12)**, Norfolk, 3:17. **13-10 Matt Spain (11)**, Bellevue East, def **18-5 John Tremain (12)**, Columbus, 7-2. **17-10 Jeff Beekley (11)**, Omaha Benson, pinned **16-6 Randy Reed (12)**, Hastings, 1:05. **23-5-1 Mel Kotolik (12)**, South Sioux City, def **11-12 Leo Cabral (11)**, Ralston, 6-3.

**Quarterfinals-** Jerry McCaw, Bellevue West, def Bob Mancuso, Omaha Creighton Prep, 11-3. Al Hiavala, Grand Island, pinned Tim Loosemore, Papillion, 5:13. Vince Lahoda, Omaha Bryan, def Matt Spain, Bellevue East, 8-4. Mel Kotolik, South Sioux City, def Jeff Beekley, Omaha Benson, 5-0.

**Semifinals-** Jerry McCaw, Bellevue West, def Al Hiavala, Grand Island, 2-1 OT. Vince Lahoda, Omaha Bryan, def Mel Kotolik, South Sioux City, 7-6.

**Fifth Place-** Mel Kotolik, South Sioux City, def Matt Spain, Bellevue East, 10-5.

**Third Place-** Tim Loosemore, Papillion, def Al Hiavala, Grand Island, 4-0.

**Finals-** Jerry McCaw, Bellevue West, def Vince Lahoda, Omaha Bryan, 9-2.

**126- First Round-** **20-2 Rod Cargill (12)**, Grand Island, def **3-9 Brett Randal (12)**, Lincoln Southeast, 9-0. **16-5 Dale Beavers (12)**, Omaha Bryan, def **15-11 Joel Beebe (11)**, Omaha Benson, 9-2. **8-8 Mark Allor (11)**, Bellevue East, pinned **8-9-1 Chuck Smith (11)**, Papillion, 4:50. **19-1 Mike Ryan (10)**, Lincoln Northeast, pinned **9-15 Reynold Castaneda (10)**, Scottsbluff, :43. **24-4 Greg Marino (12)**, Omaha Westside, def **11-14-1 Joe Mancuso (10)**, Omaha Creighton Prep, 9-4. **17-9-1 Bob Turner (12)**, Kearney, def **18-6 Steve Welch (11)**, Norfolk, 7-5. **19-7 Doug Adams (12)**, Hastings, pinned **14-8 Jose Rodriguez (12)**, Lincoln High, 2:53. **20-2 Paul McNeil (11)**, Omaha Tech, def **8-10-1 Mac Autenrieth (11)**, Millard, 8-0.

**Quarterfinals-** Dale Beavers, Omaha Bryan, def Rod Cargill, Grand Island, 3-0. Mike Ryan Lincoln Northeast, pinned Mark Allor, Bellevue East, 1:04. Bob Turner, Kearney, def Greg Marino, Omaha Westside, 11-4. Paul McNeil, Omaha Tech, pinned Doug Adams, Hastings, 4:15.

**Semifinals-** Mike Ryan Lincoln Northeast, def Dale Beavers, Omaha Bryan, 6-4 OT. Bob Turner, Kearney, def Paul McNeil, Omaha Tech, 9-8.

**Fifth Place-** Doug Adams, Hastings, pinned Mark Allor, Bellevue East, 3:11.

**Third Place-** Paul McNeil, Omaha Tech, def Dale Beavers, Omaha Bryan, 1-0 OT.

**Finals-** Mike Ryan Lincoln Northeast, def Bob Turner, Kearney, 7-5.

**132- First Round-** **13-10-2 Tim Bourke (12)**, Grand Island, def **18-2 Dave Haldeman (11)**, Bellevue West, 4-2 OT. **19-10 Mark Naylor (12)**, Omaha Creighton Prep, def **16-8 Rick Stroud (11)**, Omaha Burke, 2-1. **15-8 Frank Uhlarik (12)**, Omaha Bryan, def **12-8-1 Skip Madsen (11)**, Lincoln High, 4-2. **22-2-1 Lon Persinger (12)**, Hastings, def **20-8 Rich Brauckman (12)**, Millard, 2-0 OT. **27-0 Jeff Miller (11)**, Papillion, pinned **10-13 Mark Winkelman (11)**, Fremont, 4:34. **18-5-1 Greg Rojas (11)**, Scottsbluff, def **16-9 Jim Haver (10)**, Omaha Benson, 2-0. **20-7-1 Doug Rice (10)**, Columbus, def **12-8 Pat Zabrocki (11)**, Bellevue East, 7-1. **13-2 Todd Kohl (11)**, Norfolk, def **9-14 Todd Negley (10)**, Ralston, 17-2.

**Quarterfinals-** Mark Naylor, Omaha Creighton Prep, def Tim Bourke, Grand Island, 5-1. Lon Persinger, Hastings, def Frank Uhlarik, Omaha Bryan, 9-2. Jeff Miller, Papillion, def Greg Rojas, Scottsbluff, 7-5. Todd Kohl, Norfolk, def Doug Rice, Columbus, 7-1.

**Semifinals-** Lon Persinger, Hastings, def Mark Naylor, Omaha Creighton Prep, 2-0. Todd Kohl, Norfolk, def Jeff Miller, Papillion, 7-6.

**Fifth Place-** Rich Brauckman, Millard, def Mark Naylor, Omaha Creighton Prep, 3-2.

**Third Place-** Jeff Miller, Papillion, def Greg Rojas, Scottsbluff, 5-2.

**Finals-** Todd Kohl, Norfolk, def Lon Persinger, Hastings, 7-1.

**138- First Round-** **20-3 Bob Lineberry (12)**, Bellevue West, def **12-15 Mark Brill (12)**, Kearney, 17-0. **12-9 Dan Bice (12)**, Fremont, def **8-8-1 Brian Loye (12)**, Omaha Bryan, 9-3. **13-9 Donnie Harvey (11)**, Omaha Tech, def **14-11 Brent Hirschbach (11)**, South Sioux City, 9-5. **18-4-2 Craig Gay (12)**, Beatrice, def **5-10 Mitch Baer (12)**, Omaha Benson, 11-0. **19-8-1 John Skochdopole (12)**, Omaha Creighton Prep, pinned **8-8-1 Tod Roth (12)**, Lincoln High, 2:53. **20-4-1 Jim Currin (12)**, Millard, def **14-3 Scott Loseke (12)**, Columbus, 6-0. **14-9-1 Dave Weaver (11)**, Grand Island, def **12-5 Bill Stock (10)**, Omaha Westside, 4-2. **19-4-1 Rob Huber (12)**, Norfolk, def **12-8 Dan McCormick (12)**, Omaha Gross, 3-2.

**Quarterfinals-** Bob Lineberry, Bellevue West, def Dan Bice, Fremont, 10-2. Craig Gay, Beatrice, pinned Donnie Harvey, Omaha Tech, 5:37. Jim Currin, Millard, def John Skochdopole, Omaha Creighton Prep, 5-3. Rob Huber, Norfolk, def Dave Weaver, Grand Island, 10-7.

**Semifinals-** Bob Lineberry, Bellevue West, def Craig Gay, Beatrice, 11-7. Jim Currin, Millard, def Rob Huber, Norfolk, 2-0.

**Fifth Place-** Craig Gay, Beatrice, def Donnie Harvey, Omaha Tech, 10-2.

**Third Place-** Scott Loseke, Columbus, def Rob Huber, Norfolk, 2-0.

**Finals-** Bob Lineberry, Bellevue West, def Jim Currin, Millard, 5-0.

**145- First Round-** **24-0 Dan Bonge (12)**, Norfolk, def **11-6 Dave Mann (12)**, Bellevue West, 5-0. **20-4 Dan Prusha (12)**, Omaha Bryan, def **13-12-1 Randy Rasmussen (11)**, North Platte, 6-0. **18-5 Brent Arment (11)**, Columbus, def **20-6 Russ Pierce (11)**, Papillion, Referee Decision. **19-7 Joe Scarpello (12)**, Omaha Central, def **8-8-1 Rustin Hitz (11)**, Lincoln High, 20-4. **22-7 Roy Bravo (12)**, Omaha South, def **13-6-1 Russ Poppe (12)**, Hastings, 10-6. **6-5 Scott Bostwick (11)**, Omaha North, pinned **15-3 Brian Kleinweber (11)**, Lincoln Southeast,

:55. **15-6 Mark Husar (11)**, Fremont, def **14-3 Dave Wienert (12)**, Omaha Westside, 9-7. **22-1 Ray Oliver (12)**, Omaha Tech, def **15-6 Russ Baker (12)**, Scottsbluff, 4-0.

**Quarterfinals-** Dan Prusha, Omaha Bryan, def Dan Bonge, Norfolk, 6-5. Joe Scarpello, Omaha Central, def Brent Arment, Columbus, 9-4. Roy Bravo, Omaha South, def Scott Bostwick, Omaha North, 9-6. Ray Oliver, Omaha Tech, def Mark Husar, Fremont, 18-0.

**Semifinals-** Dan Prusha, Omaha Bryan, def Joe Scarpello, Omaha Central, 5-2. Ray Oliver, Omaha Tech, def Roy Bravo, Omaha South, 5-0.

**Fifth Place-** Joe Scarpello, Omaha Central, def Roy Bravo, Omaha South, 6-5 OT.

**Third Place-** Dan Bonge, Norfolk, def Russ Poppe, Hastings, 7-2.

**Finals-** Ray Oliver, Omaha Tech, def Dan Prusha, Omaha Bryan, 9-2.

**155- First Round-** **20-4 Brad Hatt (12)**, Lincoln Northeast, def **15-10 Jeff Good (11)**, Millard, 5-3. **17-3 Chris Bachman (12)**, Hastings, def **18-9 Roger Clark (12)**, Papillion, 6-5. **12-13 Joe Skochdopole (10)**, Omaha Creighton Prep, def **15-8 Mark Perry (11)**, Grand Island, 2-0. **14-3 Joe Armentrout (12)**, Omaha Westside, def **15-12 Ron Cherington (11)**, Norfolk, 8-1. **19-5 Mark Fiedler (12)**, North Platte, def **21-8 Tim Gillespie (12)**, Omaha Gross, 7-1 OT. **8-6 Jerry Jones (12)**, Lincoln East, pinned **15-6 Dave Flattery (12)**, Bellevue East, 3:44. **15-7 Jeff Peterson (12)**, Bellevue West, def **19-7-2 Ed Mahon (12)**, South Sioux City, 4-1. **17-4 Jerry Prusha (11)**, Omaha Bryan, def **14-6 John Justice (12)**, Columbus, 13-2.

**Quarterfinals-** Chris Bachman, Hastings, def Brad Hatt, Lincoln Northeast, 5-3. Joe Armentrout, Omaha Westside, def Joe Skochdopole, Omaha Creighton Prep, 4-2. Jerry Jones, Lincoln East, def Mark Fiedler, North Platte, 9-3. Jeff Peterson, Bellevue West, def Jerry Prusha, Omaha Bryan, 6-1.

**Semifinals-** Joe Armentrout, Omaha Westside, def Chris Bachman, Hastings, 7-5. Jeff Peterson, Bellevue West, def Jerry Jones, Lincoln East, 3-1.

**Fifth Place-** Chris Bachman, Hastings, def Jerry Jones, Lincoln East, 18-4.

**Third Place-** Jerry Prusha, Omaha Bryan, def Roger Clark, Papillion, 5-1 OT.

**Finals-** Jeff Peterson, Bellevue West, def Joe Armentrout, Omaha Westside, 1-0 OT.

**167- First Round-** **24-1 Jerry Eichman (12)**, Hastings, def **12-13-1 Mike Molini (10)**, Norfolk, 4-1. **22-3 Tom Stokes (12)**, Ralston, def **12-8 Glen Rumbaugh (12)**, Omaha Westside, 8-1. **21-7-1 Rick Heckdorn (11)**, Papillion, def **20-7-1 Bill Sinclair (10)**, Millard, 3-1. **26-1 Dave Kotalik (12)**, South Sioux City, pinned **11-12-3 Tim Summers (12)**, Beatrice, 4:31. **12-9 Steve Terwilleger (12)**, Omaha Bryan, def **13-5 Ben Davis (12)**, Bellevue East, 5-3. **14-7 Darran Granger (12)**, Columbus, def **18-9 Dan Larson (12)**, Omaha Burke, 7-6. **23-1 John Mead (12)**, Scottsbluff, def **14-9-1 Joel Heck (12)**, Lincoln East, 9-2. **26-1 Jim Kimsey (12)**, Omaha Tech, pinned **8-6 Tom Macdissi (12)**, Omaha North, 3:22.

**Quarterfinals-** Tom Stokes, Ralston, def Jerry Eichman, Hastings, 13-7. Dave Kotalik, Omaha South Sioux City, def Rick Heckdorn, Papillion, 4-3. Steve Terwilleger, Omaha Bryan, def Darran Granger, Columbus, 8-6. Jim Kimsey, Omaha Tech, def John Mead, Scottsbluff, 3-2 OT.

**Semifinals-** Dave Kotalik, South Sioux City, def Tom Stokes, Ralston, 5-1. Jim Kimsey, Omaha Tech, pinned Steve Terwilleger, Omaha Bryan, 5:46.

**Fifth Place-** John Mead, Scottsbluff, def Steve Terwilleger, Omaha Bryan, 7-3.

**Third Place-** Rick Heckdorn, Papillion, def Tom Stokes, Ralston, 2-0 OT.

**Finals-** Jim Kimsey, Omaha Tech, def Dave Kotalik, South Sioux City, 7-3.

**185- First Round- 20-2 Randy Griffith (11)**, Columbus, pinned **14-6-1 Dan Kilgore (12)**, Lincoln Southeast, 1:43. **18-10 Dean Kennedy (12)**, Papillion, def **6-4 Matt Anderson (12)**, Omaha Benson, 6-1. **19-9 Jim Wisinski (11)**, Omaha Gross, def **14-8 Kevin Jensen (12)**, Omaha Westside, 11-1. **15-4 Bob Warta (12)**, Lincoln High, def **6-10-1 Steve Crabtree (10)**, Hastings, 7-3. **21-5 Mark Rigatuso (11)**, Omaha Central, pinned **6-15 John Hansen (12)**, Ralston, 5:42. **16-7-2 Russell Strauch (12)**, Lincoln Northeast, pinned **10-14-1 Marty Thalken (12)**, North Platte, 2:55. **15-13 Jerry Keown (12)**, Omaha Burke, def **12-8 Tim Benson (12)**, Kearney, 5-2. **25-2 Greg Wilcox (12)**, Omaha Tech, pinned **5-5 Kerry Zubrod (11)**, Bellevue East, 2:26.

**Quarterfinals-** Randy Griffith, Columbus, pinned Dean Kennedy, Papillion, 5:37. Jim Wisinski, Omaha Gross, pinned Bob Warta, Lincoln High, 3:37. Mark Rigatuso, Omaha Central, def Russell Strauch, Lincoln Northeast, 6-2. Greg Wilcox, Omaha Tech, def Jerry Keown, Omaha Burke, 5-2.

**Semifinals-** Randy Griffith, Columbus, def Jim Wisinski, Omaha Gross, 10-3. Mark Rigatuso, Omaha Central, def Greg Wilcox, Omaha Tech, 19-10.

**Fifth Place-** Greg Wilcox, Omaha Tech, def Jim Wisinski, Omaha Gross, 5-2.

**Third Place-** Bob Warta, Lincoln High, def Russell Strauch, Lincoln Northeast, 1-0.

**Finals-** Randy Griffith, Columbus, def Mark Rigatuso, Omaha Central, 10-9.

**HWT- First Round- 24-3 Mike Keeler (11)**, Omaha Burke, pinned **15-9 Mark Traynozowicz (10)**, Bellevue West, 5:14. **25-3 Dave Marr (12)**, Ralston, pinned **12-10 Jay Merritt (11)**, Grand Island, :45. **15-4-1 Deacon Nausler (12)**, Omaha Creighton Prep, pinned **10-5 Reed Showalter (11)**, Hastings, 1:58. **14-9 Mark McClellan (11)**, Omaha Westside, def **8-8 Greg Kriwan (12)**, Lincoln Northeast, 6-3. **17-7 Eugene Stevenson (11)**, North Platte, def **10-9 Rick Huffman (12)**, Papillion, 10-6. **19-7 Mike Cross (11)**, Omaha Central, pinned **5-1 Mark Steer (11)**, Lincoln High, 2:34. **21-4 Mark Schwede (12)**, Norfolk, pinned **13-9 Marty Glover (12)**, Bellevue East, 1:20. **29-0 John Sherlock (11)**, Omaha South, pinned **13-13 Stacy Pearson (12)**, Kearney, 2:49.

**Quarterfinals-** Dave Marr, Ralston, def Mike Keeler, Omaha Burke, 1-0. Deacon Nausler, Omaha Creighton Prep, def Mark McClellan, Omaha Westside, 2-1. Mike Cross, Omaha Central, pinned Eugene Stevenson, North Platte, 4:17. John Sherlock, Omaha South, def Mark Schwede, Norfolk, 1-0.

**Semifinals-** Dave Marr, Ralston, def Deacon Nausler, Omaha Creighton Prep, 9-0. John Sherlock, Omaha South, pinned Mike Cross, Omaha Central, 5:59.

**Fifth Place-** Mark Schwede, Norfolk, def Mike Cross, Omaha Central, 3-0.

**Third Place-** Mike Keeler, Omaha Burke, pinned Deacon Nausler, Omaha Creighton Prep, 2:06.

**Finals-** John Sherlock, Omaha South, def Dave Marr, Ralston, 5-0.

**Class A Team Standings-** Omaha Tech, 104.5, Columbus 89.5, Norfolk 84.5, Omaha Bryan 83.5, Bellevue West 68, Omaha South 61, Papillion 58.5, Hastings 57.5, Scottsbluff 53.5, Omaha Northwest 48, Omaha Westside 46, Grand Island 42.5, Lincoln Northeast 42, Omaha

Central 41.5, South Sioux City, 36, Ralston 33.5, Millard 32.5, Kearney 32, Omaha Creighton  
Prep 30, North Platte 27, Beatrice 23, Omaha Burke 21, Bellevue East 21, Omaha Benson 16.5,  
Lincoln High 14, Omaha Gross 9.5, Lincoln East, 9, Fremont 9, Omaha North 4, Lincoln  
Southeast 3.