

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THIS  
YEAR'S SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

NOAH GAINEY – LAKE  
JAGER KENDRICK – LOUISVILLE  
HUNTER KOSCO – NORTHWEST  
CHASE LAUTZENHEISER – LOUISVILLE  
BROCK MEHL – LOUISVILLE  
KORY ROTH – JACKSON  
CHASE SOMMERS – LAKE  
BRUCE WOLFF – HOOVER

**CONGRATULATIONS  
Stark County High School  
Wrestling Hall of Fame**

JUSTIN BUSNICK  
DANTE RINI  
THOMAS STRAUGHN  
MATTHEW WALKER

**CONGRATULATIONS TO**

All the Stark County All★Star Wrestlers

*39th Annual*  
**STARK  
COUNTY  
ALL★STAR  
WRESTLING BANQUET**



*Skyland Pines - Banquet Facility  
3550 Columbus Road NE  
Canton, Ohio 44705  
April 9th, 2017  
6:00 pm*

# TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

WELCOME

*Don Turner*

INVOCATION

*Hunter Kosco*

DINNER

MASTER OF CEREMONIES

*Jeff Sarbaugh*

INTRODUCTION OF COACHES

INTRODUCTION OF WRESTLERS

GUEST SPEAKER

*Josh Malave*

HALL OF FAME INDUCTION

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

*Welcome Wrestlers, Family, Friends and Fans!*

## Special Recognition For Their Contribution

Terry Horner Photography

Canton South Community Mens Club

GlenOak Mat Club

John and Julie McCauley

Chris Mears

Glen Mears JR.

North Canton Wrestling Booster Club

Don and Connie Turner

Doyle and Ellen Clark

Jackson Takedown Club

Tuslaw Mat Backers

Sandy Valley Boosters

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# THE STARK COUNTY WRESTLING SCHOLARSHIP FUND PATRONS

Marty Feldpusch

Rick Tschantz

Nick Stepanovich

Northwest Takedown Club

Dave Tate

North Canton Sideliners

Ron Tschantz

Leonard Bennett

Pat Fladung

Jeff Sarbaugh

Kelly Plottner

Pat Shammo

Advanced Industial Roofing Inc.

Tina McCauley

Mark and Kerri McCauley

Chris and Erica McCauley

Joe Bardin

Perry Wrestling Boosters

Dave Turner

Dan Michel

Rocky Laughlin

Jim Laughlin

Zach Meissner

Carl Young

Doug Prospers

Billy Natale

Chris Franks

Greg Ferrara

Dan Donnelly

Vince Popo

Randy Young

Dick Otani

Canton Wrestling Club

Canton South Wrestling Club

Deanne McCaskey

Ryan Mayle

Dave & Tracy Cline

Joyce Family

Tom & Jill Martin

Steve Anthony

Studio Barber Shop

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## GUEST SPEAKER



### JOSH MALAVE

#### University of Mount Union

Josh Malave is in his second season as head wrestling coach at the University of Mount Union.

Malave produced a national qualifier and three placers in the NCAA Mideast Regional while finishing fourth in the OAC in his first year as head coach. He also coached the OAC Wrestler of the Year and a pair of all-conference selections.

Malave was the head coach at Firelands High School in Oberlin, Ohio, for two years. In his time at Firelands, he was the 2014-15 Lorain County Coach of the Year and the 2015-16 Patriot Athletic Conference Coach of the Year leading the Falcons to Patroit Athletic Conference Individual and Dual Meet titles in 2016 with a total of 13 district qualifiers.

He also spent one year as an assistant coach at Union Pines (N.C.) High School where the team won conference individual and dual meet titles while placing fifth in the state.

Malave is familiar with the Purple Raider program as he was a two-time national qualifier and 2012 All-American at Mount Union. Malave was a three-time All-OAC selection, two-time conference champion who was also a two-time Academic All-OAC and NWCA Scholar All-American selection. A two-time team captain, his 97 wins are still sixth best on the school's all-time wins list.

He is a native of Rocky River, Ohio, who attended Lutheran West High School. He has a bachelor's degree in History from Mount Union and has a master's degree in Education Administration from Findlay.

He and his wife Jillian have two daughters.

## FORMER BANQUET SPEAKERS

Pat Milkovich	Michigan State
Mike Milkovich	Maple Heights
Ron Gray	Kent State University
Doug Blubaugh	Olympic Champion 1960
Bobby Douglas	Arizona State
Frank Vaughn	Hoover Company
Fred Powell	Slippery Rock
Thad Turner	Lehigh
Russell Hellickson	Ohio State
Bruce Baumgratner	Edinboro
C.J. Mears	Hall of Fame Enshrinee
Jeff Greenfelder	Ohio's #1 Wrestling Official for 13 years
John Heropoulos	Iowa State University
Ken Chertow	Penn State University
Dale Bahr	Michigan University
Rande Stottlemeyer	University of Pittsburgh
Jim Jordan	Ohio State University
Mike Funk	Hall of Fame Enshrinee
Don Montgomery	Mount Union College
John Fritz	Penn State University
Joel Greenlee	Ohio University
Tony Cipollone	Muskingum College
Matt Ghaffari	U.S. Olympic Wrestler
Jack Effner	Cleveland State University
Steve Garland	Cornell University
Shawn Nelson	University of Findlay
Jim Andrassy	Kent State University
Jason Miller	Heidelberg College
Cliff Moore	Edinboro University
Tom Borrelli	Central Michigan University
Tom Ryan	Ohio State University
Tim Dernlan	Ashland University
Jim Andressy	Kent State University
Matt Dernlan	Clarion University
Nathan Yetzer	Ferrum College
Jamie Gibbs	Baldwin Wallace University
Zach Mizer	Muskingum College
Ryan Kirst	Ashland University

## THE STARK COUNTY WRESTLING SCHOLARSHIP FUND PATRONS

Bill Murray	Jim and Theresa Blair
Skyland Pines Banquet Hall	Greg Donahue
Tozzi's on 12th	Mike & Chris Mattingly
Derek Diss	Marlington Wrestling Boosters
Jeff Ehmer	Larry & Diane Mizer
Stockers & Streeters Car Club	Tom Kolopus
Louisville Wrestling Club	Dean & Penny Bednarz
Dave Miday	Joe Prusacik
Joseph R. Andretcik D.C.	Gene & Corinne Woods
Jack & Linda Berkebile	Denise Prusacik
Walt Tolarchyk	Ohio Youth Wrestling (GlenOak Div)
David Tolarchyk	Doug Sikora
Amans Collision Center Inc.	Dave Riggs
Todd Kindle	Jim Thornsberry
John & Crystie Groff	David Herbert
Skip & Sherry Laughlin	Kim Gardner
Jason Neading	Rick Crislip
Tim Powell	Hydro Thrift
Curt & Gina Hamilton	Lake Wrestling Club
Jeff Turner	Dennis Turner
Mike Turner	John Heather
Kim Clark	Progressive-Cadillac-Dodge

## PAST RECIPIENTS OF THE STARK COUNTY WRESTLING SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Noah Sanor	Tuslaw
<b>2011</b>	
Sean Hemlick	Lake
Joseph Donley	Jackson
Tyler Newbauer	North Canton
Brandon Wilhelm	Northwest
Parker Cole	Sandy Valley
Ryan Skelly	Massillon
Jordan Walker Hamilton	Marlington
Ryan Teis	North Canton
Jarrod Wendroff	Lake

### 2012

Brittany Kress	Louisville
Joshua Harris	Canton South
Samuel Wakser	North Canton
Tyler Blackiston	Timken
Mitchell Briggs	Perry
Janelle Wendorf	Lake
Colin Carneal	Lake
Collin Flagg	Jackson
David Gonzalez	Marlington
Kyle Nagy	Lake

### 2013

Claire Bast	Perry
Timothy Keblesh	Lake
Jordan Wakser	Hoover
Austin Fowler	McKinley
Lucas Marcelli	Jackson
Jordan Bowman	Northwest
Todd Hamit	Massillon
Robert Bruner	Lake
JoJo Tayse	Perry
Kerri Manns	GlenOak

### 2014

Avery Elifritz	Sandy Valley
Christopher Meffert	Lake
Brittany Yurick	Northwest

Joshua Bostic	Jackson
Colter Flynn	Timken
Hudson Cole	Sandy Valley
Beau Boswell	McKinley
Kelsey Maciag	Louisville
Camern Cononico	Minerva
John DiAntonio	Louisville
Alec Cotton	Lake
Ashley Bonnot	Tuslaw
Jacob Geiger	Sandy Valley

### 2015

Justyn Bostic	Jackson
Jennifer Hamit	Massillon
Clay Haverfield	Hoover
Taylor Heston	Jackson
Marissa Marcelli	Jackson
Austin Phillips	Perry
Wezlee Spence	Hoover
Marshall Vick	Louisville
Jarrod Webb	Marlington
Scott Wohlheter	Tuslaw

### 2016

Erin Cotton	Lake
Alex Cox	McKinley
Jacob Donahue	Massillon
Alexis Meffert	Lake
Jozie Scott	Louisville
Derek Smith	Louisville
Noah Wakser	Hoover
Seth Whitehead	Jackson
Bryan Wuske	Massillon

### 2017

Noah Gainey	Lake
Jager Kendrick	Louisville
Hunter Kosco	Northwest
Chase Lautzenheiser	Louisville
Brock Mehl	Louisville
Kory Roth	Jackson
Chase Sommers	Lake
Bruce Wolff	Hoover

## ALL TIME COUNTY RECORDS DIVISION II & III

Most Takedowns (Season).....	Chris Hahn .....	259
Most Takedowns (Career).....	Chris Hahn .....	751*
Most Team Points (Season) .....	Sam Groff.....	344*
Most Team Points (Career).....	Sam Groff.....	1,116*
Most Pins (Season) .....	Parker Cole.....	44*
Most Pins (Career) .....	Parker Cole.....	101
Most Wins (Season).....	Logan Hall.....	58*
Most Wins (Career).....	Sam Groff.....	193*
Most Wins (Consecutive) .....	Sam Groff.....	58

## DIVISION I

Most Takedowns (Season).....	Casey Sparkman.....	285*
Most Takedowns (Career).....	Thomas Straughn .....	731
Most Team Points (Season) .....	Jax Leonard .....	297.5
Most Team Points (Career).....	Mike Miller .....	1,000
Most Pins (Season) .....	Andrew McNally .....	33
.....	Dillon Smith .....	33
Most Pins (Career) .....	Andrew McNally.....	109*
Most Wins (Season).....	C.J. Mears.....	52
.....	Isaac Bast .....	52
Most Wins (Career).....	Zac Carson .....	179
Most Wins (Consecutive) .....	Bill Lacure.....	80*

\* All Time

**COUNTY RECORDS  
2016-2017 DIVISION II & III**

Most Takedowns (Season).....	Isaac Elliott.....	146
Most Takedowns (Career).....	Hunter Kosco.....	335
Most Team Points (Season) .....	Logan Hall.....	337
Most Team Points (Career).....	Isaac Elliott.....	905
Most Pins (Season) .....	Nick Shephard.....	42
Most Pins (Career) .....	Francesco Borsellino .....	56
Most Wins (Season).....	Logan Hall.....	58
Most Wins (Career).....	Isaac Elliott.....	158

**COUNTY RECORDS  
2016-2017 DIVISION I**

Most Takedowns (Season).....	David Carr .....	166
Most Takedowns (Career).....	Victor Marcelli .....	210
Most Team Points (Season) .....	Jax Leonard .....	297.5
Most Team Points (Career).....	Andrew McNally .....	947.5
Most Pins (Season) .....	Dillon Smith .....	33
Most Pins (Career) .....	Andrew McNally .....	109
Most Wins (Season).....	Emil Soehrlen .....	51
Most Wins (Career).....	Jake Donahue .....	166
	Andrew McNally .....	166
Most Wins (Consecutive) .....	Andrew McNally .....	31

**PAST RECIPIENTS OF THE STARK COUNTY  
WRESTLING SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Rebecca Endress	Northwest	Devin Sanderson	Hoover
Madelyn Young	Canton South	Edward Yerkey	Canton South
Tyler Athony	GlenOak		
Anthony Archual	GlenOak		
		<b>2008</b>	
		Aaron Bednarz	Canton South
		John Piechuta	Marlington
		Matt Skelly	Massillon
		Andrew Lepar	Louisville
		Ryan Smith	Tuslaw
		Ethan Leyda	Sandy Valley
		Jonathan Vanicek	Louisville
		Catherine Hayes	Canton South
		Sam Maj	North Canton
		Jeff Wilhelm	Northwest
		Katie Laughlin	Canton South
		<b>2009</b>	
		Curtis Weiner	Hoover
		Dayne Linhart	Louisville
		Zack Cline	Lake
		Scott Mattingly	Lake
		Eli Donahue	Tuslaw
		Kevin Carper	Louisville
		Dustin Carneal	Lake
		Zackary Hall	Central Catho- lic
		Erika Crone	Sandy Valley
		Payton Cozart	Lake
		Chuck Lennon	McKinley
		Erik McLaughlin	Northwest
		<b>2010</b>	
		Matthew Lioi	GlenOak
		Mark Wiley	Hoover
		Andrew Lioi	GlenOak
		Timothy Dunne	Louisville
		Shawn Everhart	Tuslaw
		Ashley Roberts	Northwest
		Alexander Oesch	Alliance
		Bradley Kress	Louisville

**2005**

Jonathan D. Basso	Jackson
Nick Roman	GlenOak
Jess Groff	Sandy Valley
Stephen Grossi	Sandy Valley
Christopher Finefrock	Northwest
Gregory Busby	Perry
Ben Johnson	Jackson
Andrew Hall	Tuslaw
Britnie Brigham	Minerva
Michael Abbrussi	GlenOak

**2006**

Jenna Graves	Northwest
Zack Mizer	Perry
Seth Bumgardner	Canton South
David Koncsics	GlenOak
Kaitlyn Boatright	Northwest
Andrew Saunier	Northwest
David Stevenkegg	Lake
William Poyser III	Louisville
Zachary Campbell	Lake
Jacob Brown	North Canton
Richard Stridency	Timken

**2007**

Brianna Reichenbach	McKinley
Brett A. Dinger	Louisville
Brock Cline	Lake
Zachary Scott Gwin	GlenOak
Jeremy M. Alfani	Louisville
Corey Tanksley	Northwest
Coltin Rohn	Tuslaw
Brandon Boosz	GlenOak
Patrick S. McLaughlin	Northwest



## PAST RECIPIENTS OF THE STARK COUNTY WRESTLING SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Christopher J. Kuhn Louisville  
 Jennifer L. Montour Fairless  
 Michael J. Salinsky Lake  
 Timothy J. Sikora GlenOak  
 Joshua H. Veigel Canton South  
 Quentin Lee Vickers Canton South  
 Braden Scott Westfall Jackson  
 Matthew R. Wilhelm Massillon  
 Adam S. Zorn Tuslaw  
 \*Carrie J. Sampson Marlinton

### 1999

Dale Thomas Day Sandy Valley  
 Katherine L. Flath Jackson  
 Dominic Golembiewski Jackson  
 Joseph W. Kraft Tuslaw  
 Robert A. McGowan Lake  
 Scott Raber Marlinton  
 Michael D. Simon North Canton  
 Drew C. Zollars Perry  
 Benjamin P. Zorn Tuslaw  
 Scott Radcliff\* North Canton  
 \*Alternate

### 2000

James L. Abbott Sandy Valley  
 Megan Allison Louisville  
 Michael Bourquin Canton South  
 Clinton E. Haney Sandy Valley  
 Jeffrey M. Kiko GlenOak  
 Joseph Laughlin Canton South  
 Amanda Lidderdale Canton South  
 Brian T. Renner St. Thomas  
 Aquinas  
 William E. Veigel Canton South  
 Nathan E. Vickers Perry  
 Brain D. Werstler Hoover

### 2001

Justin Williams Jackson  
 Michael A. Grossi Sandy Valley

Kasey Staib Marlinton  
 Alan F. Raber Marlinton  
 Donald Day Sandy Valley  
 Jared Clouse Perry  
 Eric Wright Louisville  
 Michelle Salinsky Lake  
 Katrina Lynne Miller Minerva  
 Michael Teis Hoover

### 2002

David John Diloreto Washington  
 Alisha D. Rice Hoover  
 Brian Hill Tuslaw  
 Christopher L. Bourquin Canton South  
 Matt McGeorge Jackson  
 Mike McGeorge Jackson  
 Amanda Golembiewski Jackson  
 Anthony Gattuso GlenOak

### 2003

Charles R. Myers Sandy Valley  
 Dan Morolis Jackson  
 William Travis Staib Marlinton  
 Frank Kraft Tuslaw  
 Audra Taylor Louisville  
 Andrea Koerber Lake  
 Mike Grogan North Canton  
 Justin W. Kuhn Louisville  
 Mike Walters Perry  
 Jim Laughlin Canton South  
 Ashley Brook Miller Louisville  
 A.J. Aeschlimann Tuslaw

### 2004

Mark Paquelet Louisville  
 Andy Zalaiklans Massillon  
 Paul Stroney Sandy Valley  
 Michael Wright Hoover  
 Alexander Berger GlenOak  
 Adam Leyda Sandy Valley

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

### WRESTLER OF THE YEAR DIVISION II & III



**FRANCESCO BORCELLINO**  
Sandy Valley

# 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

## COACH OF THE YEAR

### GREG DONAHUE

**Sandy Valley**

Head Wrestling Coach



#### Education and Career

Sandy Valley High school Head Wrestling Coach  
 Graduated from Ashland University 1994  
 Bachelor's Degree in Education – Visual Arts  
 and Master's Degree in  
 Curriculum Instruction, Special Education  
 Currently teaching in Sandy Valley Local School  
 District with 20 years  
 of teaching experience

#### Wrestling Career

Ashland Wrestling – 3 year letterman  
 Fourth place Big East Region (1991)  
 110% Eagle (1993)  
 2017 Coaching Season  
 Fifth place Shadyside Pool Tournament  
 Third place Inter-Valley Conference  
 Third place Sandy Valley Sectional  
 15th place Coshocton District  
 16th place OHSAA State Tournament  
 5 District Qualifiers, 2 State Qualifiers, 1 State Champion (1st in school history)

#### Coaching Experience

St Thomas Aquinas (1994-2001), (2009-2011)  
 Massillon HS Asst. /MS (2001-2004)  
 North Canton Hoover HS (2004-2007)  
 Sandy Valley HS (2012-Present)

#### Coached

13 State Qualifiers  
 7 State placers  
 1 State Champion

Greg currently lives in Magnolia Ohio with his wife Stephanie Donahue and four daughters Ellyse, Alexis, Ashlyn and Avery.

## PAST RECIPIENTS OF THE STARK COUNTY WRESTLING SCHOLARSHIP FUND

**1991**  
 Cynthia Baugh      Marlinton  
 Richard Chaddock      Minerva  
 Daniel Evans      Perry  
 Scott Mercier      Minerva  
 Christopher Chiudioni      Perry  
 Daniel DeHoff      Tuslaw  
 David French      Minerva  
 Terry Spencer      Canton South  
 \*George Papacostas      Central Catholic  
 \*Alternate

**1992**  
 Bruce Daniels      Timken  
 Steve Miller      McKinley  
 Ken Flesher      Sandy Valley  
 Damon Caiazza      GlenOak  
 Barbara Hoover      Perry  
 Heather Kohler      Jackson  
 Chris DiCola      Hoover  
 Jonathan Burnell      Marlinton

**1993**  
 Joel Braun      Jackson  
 Patrick J. Fox      Central Catholic  
 Amanda Halter      McKinley  
 Jayson Hayn      St. Thomas  
 Kenny Mann      Marlinton  
 Edward Metzger      Timken  
 Steven Ramos      Perry

**1994**  
 Matthew Bourn      Lake  
 Christina Bracken      Perry  
 Adam Clark      Canton South  
 LaJuane Cooks      Timken  
 Jennifer Foster      Hoover  
 Todd Heckerson      Marlinton  
 Amy McMasters      Hoover  
 Scott Nicola      St. Thomas

Brent Paulus      Lake

**1995**  
 Rindi Ayers      Perry  
 Fred Metzger      Timken  
 Jamie Elkins      Louisville  
 John Zancourides      Louisville  
 Erin Porter      Marlinton  
 Sean Renner      St. Thomas  
 Valerie Sue Kesterke      Marlinton  
 Jim Bernower      Marlinton

**1996**  
 Michelle Best      Marlinton  
 Jason Dean      Perry  
 Kimberly Ann DeHoff      Tuslaw  
 Rick Everhart      Perry  
 Benjamin Jones      McKinley  
 Danyelle Koller      Marlinton  
 Brock Lindsey      Jackson  
 Nathan Sikora      GlenOak  
 William Soehnlén      Central Catho-  
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 April Lynn Yee      Canton South

**1997**  
 Christopher Antram      Minerva  
 Ronnie Courtney, II      Fairless  
 Eric Gulley      Perry  
 Matthew Nash      Lake  
 Jeremy Neal      Marlinton  
 Jon Neal      Marlinton  
 Mark Scott      Minerva  
 Yatrik Shah      Marlinton  
 Samuel Studer      Massillon  
 Jennifer Vargo      Central Catho-  
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**1998**  
 Ryan K. Ayers      Perry



**PAST RECIPIENTS OF THE STARK COUNTY  
WRESTLING SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

**1980**

Casey Guthridge North Canton  
Tom Baer Canton South

**1981**

Lori Gross North Canton  
Jeff Kullman Perry  
Eric Barnes Louisville

**1982**

Laura Nofsinger Fairless  
David Zimmerman Minerva  
Bill Theis GlenOak  
Robert Yoho Canton South

**1983**

Julie Rebillino North Canton  
Dave Schneider Canton South  
Kevin Snyder Lake

**1984**

Ronda Bair Canton South  
Kevin Pillmer Alliance  
Colleen Kelly St. Thomas  
Tim Hertel Minerva

**1985**

Mike Bruni Fairless  
John Chenevey Jackson  
Brian Dolph North Canton  
Scott Melegari Louisville  
Don Robbins Perry

**1986**

Sean Murphy GlenOak  
Jeff Datkuliak Louisville  
David Feldspuch Jackson  
Mike Gmerek Jackson  
Beverly Graber Massillon  
John Klotz GlenOak

David Tolarchyk North Canton

**1987**

Dan Bowman Northwest  
Kevin Finley North Canton  
Jeff Kiko Central Catho-  
lic  
Rick Leone Tuslaw  
Robin Rodak Louisville  
Brian Scott Minerva  
Wayne Slusser Lake

**1988**

William Berkey Massillon  
Michael Greenfelder Fairless  
Jeffery Keen Minerva  
Jason Kullman Perry  
Hank Lewis Louisville  
Elaine Ward Tuslaw  
Kevin Wilson GlenOak

**1989**

Marcus Benson Marlinton  
Ned Biehl Lake  
Brian Bullock Perry  
Jenifer Byrd Sandy Valley  
Chris Cunningham Minerva  
Greg Donahue Canton South  
Christine Fowler Fairless  
Brian Hartwick Louisville

**1990**

Jeff Battershell Marlinton  
Jason Blackburn Minerva  
Jeremy Drummond Northwest  
Amber Elsass Hoover  
Bill Frase Tuslaw  
Bucky Hall Louisville  
Brian Palmer Tuslaw  
Keith Snyder Sandy Valley

**2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR**

**106 POUNDS**

**JACOB KUHLINS**

**Tuslaw High School - Junior**



Jacob Kuhlins completed his Junior year at Tuslaw High School with a Season Record of 48-11 and Career Record of 85-28. He is a 2X State Qualifier, placing eighth at this year's Tournament. He is a 2X District Qualifier, the Runner-Up at this year's Tournament, placing Fourth in 2016. He was this year's Runner-Up at the Sectional Tournament, placing Third in 2016. He placed sixth at this year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament. He is 2X Runner-

Up at the Pac-7 League Tournament in 2016, 2017. Jacob is The Stark County All-Star for 2016, 2017. He is a member of The Future Farmers of America. His proud parents are David and Sharon Kuhlins.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Luke Chaddock – Minerva High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Hunter Miller – Canton South High School

# 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

## 113 POUNDS



### BEN RUEGG

**Fairless High School – Senior**

Ben Ruegg completed his Senior year at Fairless High School with a Season Record of 38-13 and a Career Record of 104-59. He is a 2017 State Qualifier. He is a 3X District Qualifier, placing Third at this year's Tournament, placing Sixth in 2015. He is this year's Runner-Up at the Sectional Tournament, placing Fifth in 2014, Fourth in 2015 and the Runner-Up in 2016. He placed Third at this year's Wayne Invitational

Tournament, placing Sixth in 2014, Fifth in 2015. He was Fifth at this year's Knights Varsity Invitational. He was the Champion at this year's Loudonville Invitational. He placed Fourth at the Pac-7 League Tournament in 2016, placing Third in 2015. He is a 3X Stark County All-Star Selection, Honorable Mention in 2015 Special Honorable Mention in 2016, and the Stark County All-Star for 2017. His proud parents are Bill and Claudine Ruegg.

#### SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION

Joe Gobbard – Tuslaw High School

#### HONORABLE MENTION

Cooper Hemming – Sandy Valley High School

# STARK COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING HALL OF FAME



### MATTHEW WALKER

**Alliance High School**

3X State Qualifier  
Placing 5th at 215 lbs – 2005  
Placing 5th at Heavyweight – 2007

4X District Qualifier  
Runner-up – 2005  
Placing Third – 2006  
Runner-up 2007

4X Sectional Tournament Placer  
Runner-up – 2004  
Champion – 2005, 2006, 2007

Riverside Tournament – 5th 2004, Champion 2005, Runner-up 2006, 2007  
Josh Hepner Memorial Tournament – 3rd 2004, Runner-up 2005, Champion 2006, 2007

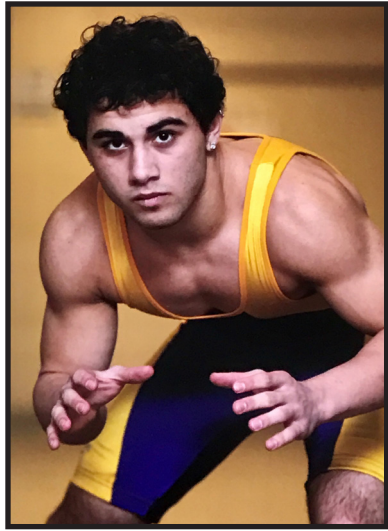
Alliance Top Gun Tournament – Runner-up 2005, 4th 2006, Runner-up 2007  
Eastern Ohio Wrestling League's Tournament – 5th 2004, 4th 2005, Champion 2006, - Runner-up 2007

2X First team MAC League 2004, 2005  
2X Second Team All-NBC League 2006, 2007  
3X Stark County Selection – 2nd Team 2006, First Team 2005, 2007

Alliance School Records–Most Wins 133, Most Pins (Season): 27, Most Pins (Career): 90 Most Team Points (Season): 261, Most Team Points (Career): 958

High School Season Record 2007: 34-7 Career Record: 131-33

# STARK COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING HALL OF FAME



## **DONTE RINI**

### **Jackson High School**

4X State Qualifier  
Placing 3rd at 103 lbs. – 2005  
Runner-Up at 119 lbs. – 2006  
Placing 8th at 119 lbs – 2007

4X District Qualifier: Placing 4th in 2004,  
Champion in 2005, Runner-Up in 2006, 3rd in 2007

4X Sectional Tournament Champion  
2004, 2005, 2006, 2007

Member School Boys National Greco Team –  
Placing 1st at Indiana Nationals – 2003  
Undefeated at Ohio Duals Tournament - 2004  
State Runner-Up in Greco – 2004

Member Ohio Cadet National Free Style Team – 2004

Undefeated at Lakota Duals, Jackson Duals, Nordonias Duals – 2005  
Champion at National High School Coaches Association Tournament – 2005

Runner-up at Josh Hepner Memorial Invitational – 2006

Ohio Team Member Wrestling in Dapper Dan Classic – 2007

3X All Federal Selection – 2nd Team 2005, 1st Team 2004, 2006

4X Stark County Selection – 1st Team 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007

High School Season Record 2007 13-2 Career Record 111-19

Notre Dame College

4X Varsity Letter Winner – 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011

4X NAIA National Qualifier

2X All-American

NAIA Nationals – Placing 7th at 125 lbs. – 2009

NAIA National Champion at 125 lbs. – 2011

3X NWCA Academic All-American

2010 Daktronics Academic All-American

2011 #1 Student Athlete in country for NAIA Wrestling – Based on National Tournament Placement  
(#1) and GPA (3.44)

Varsity Member 2X Team NAIA National Champions – 2010, 2011

Varsity Member 2X Team NAIA National Dual Meet Champions – 2010, 2011

Season Record 2011 : 22-4 Career Record : 77-18

2017 ENSHRINEE

# 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

## 120 POUNDS



## **BRIER MARTHEY**

### **Tuslaw High School – Freshman**

Brier Marthey completed his Freshman year at Tuslaw High School with a Season Record of 40-15 and a Career Record of 40-15. He is a 2017 State Qualifier. He is a District Qualifier, the Runner-Up at this year's Tournament. He was the Runner-Up at this year's Sectional Tournament. He placed Third at this year's Pac-7 League Tournament. Brier is The Stark County

All-Star for 2017. He carries a 3.6 GPA. His proud parents are Ronald and Diane Marthey.

### **SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Nick Cianciola – Central Catholic High School

### **HONORABLE MENTION**

Errick Gerback – Marlinton High School



## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

126 POUNDS

**HUNTER KOSCO****Northwest High School – Senior**

Hunter Kosco completed his Senior year at Northwest High School with a Season Record of 160-18. He is a 4X State Qualifier, the Runner-Up at this year's Tournament, placing Fifth in 2014, Third in 2015 and Fifth in 2016. He is a 4X District Qualifier, a 2X Champion at the Tournament 2016, 2017, the Runner-Up in 2014 and 2015. He is a 4X Sectional Tournament Champion 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017.

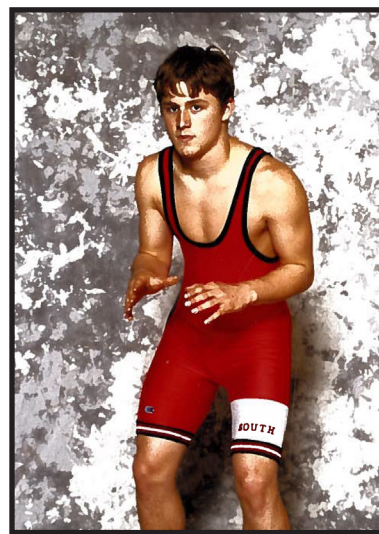
He was the Champion at Cambridge Invitational in 2015, the Runner-Up in 2014. He was the Runner-Up at the North Canton Holiday Invitational in 2015, placing Third in 2014. He was the Champion at the Brecksville Tournament in 2015. He is a 3X Champion at the Alliance Top Gun Tournament 2015, 2016, 2017, placing Sixth in 2014. He is a 2X Champion at the Delaware Hayes Tournament in 2016, 2017, the Runner-Up in 2014, 2015. He placed Eighth at this year's Ironman Tournament. Hunter is a 4X Stark County All-Star, 2014 2015 2016 and 2017. He serves as Student Body Vice President. He is a 2X member of the National Honor Society and serves as Vice President. He carries a 4.2 GPA. He will be attending Brown University and Major in Chemical Engineering. His proud parents are Bruce and Melanie Kosco.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

2017- State Qualifier – Derek Dolph –Canton South High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

2017- State Qualifier Connor Brennan – Tuslaw South High School

STARK COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL  
WRESTLING HALL OF FAME**JUSTIN BUSNICK****Canton South High School**

3X State Qualifier  
Placing Third at 152 lbs. – 2002  
The Runner-Up at 145 lbs. – 2001

4X District Qualifier  
Placing 5th in 1999, Runner-Up in 2001,  
Champion in 2002

4X Sectional Placer  
3X Champion – 1999, 2001, 2002  
Placing 3rd in 2000

North Canton Holiday Invitational – Runner-Up  
2001, Champion 2002

Alliance Top Gun Tournament – Champion 2002

ASICS Coshocton Classic – Runner-Up 2001, Champion 2002

Wadsworth Grizzly Invitational – Champion- 2001, 2002, MVW 2002

Canton South Duals – 4X Champion – 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002

Schoolboy National Champion at 115 lbs. 1997

4X Ohio AAU National Team – 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002 2X All American

4X All NBC Team Selection, Honorable Mention 1999,

First Team – 2000, 2001, 2002, MVW – 2002

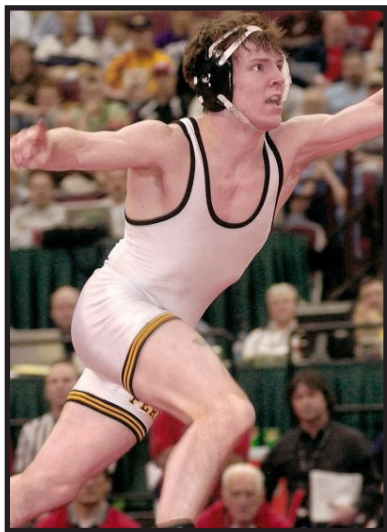
4X Stark County First Team Selection 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002

He held Canton South Team records for: Most Wins-157 (also a county record),  
Most Consecutive Wins 41, Most Take Down Career 564, Most Near Falls,  
Most Technical Falls

He was Canton South's Highest State Placer.

High School Season Record 2002 : 43-1 Career Record: 157-22

# STARK COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING HALL OF FAME



## THOMAS STRAUGHN

### Perry High School

4X State Qualifer  
2X State Champion  
135lbs- 2006  
152lbs-2007

Placing Fifth at 140lbs-2005  
Placing Fourth at 130lbs-2004

4X District Tournament Champion:  
2004,2005,2006,2007

4X Sectional Tournament Champion:  
2004,2005,2006,2007

Ironman Tournament – 5th in 2006, Runner-Up in 2007  
Delaware Hayes Tournament- Champion-2006,2007  
Medina Invitation- 3rd in 2005, Champion in 2006,2007,  
MVW 2006

Mayfield Big 8 Tournament- First Ever 4X Champion  
2004, 2005, 2006, 2007. Outstanding Wrestler 2007

2X Member-USA/Ohio National Freestyle Duel Team-2004,2005  
Ohio Team Member- Wrestling in Dapper Dan Classic in Pittsburg PA, 2007  
He was nationally ranked No.1 in the country by USA Wrestling Magazine-2007

4X First Team All- Akron Beacon Selection-2004,2005,2006,2007  
4X Stark County First Team Selection -2004,2005,2006,2007  
2X Division I Wrestler of the Year – 2006-2007

Set a new All County Division I Record for most Takedowns, Career at 713  
High School Season Record 2007:43-1 Career Record 164-22

Notre Dame College  
3X Varsity Letter Winner-2009,2010,2011  
Team Co-Captain- 2011

3X NAIA- All American:  
NAIA National- Placing 4th at 157lbs -2009  
NAIA National Champion at 157lbs -2010  
NAIA National Runner-Up at 157lbs -2011  
Varsity Member - 2X Team NAIA National Champions -2010,2011  
Varsity Member - 2X Team NAIA National Dual Meet Champions-2010,2011  
Season Record 2011: 27-3 Career Record 2011: 79-12

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# 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

## 132 POUNDS

## ISAAC ELLIOTT

### Tuslaw High School - Senior



Isaac Elliott completed his Senior year at Tuslaw High School with a Season Record of 55-10 and a Career Record of 158-40. He is a 2X State Qualifier, placing Fourth at this year's Tournament, placing Sixth in 2016. He is a 3X District Qualifier placing Third at this year's Tournament, Placing Sixth in 2015, and was Runner-Up in 2016. He is a 4X Sectional Tournament Placer, the Runner-Up at this year's Tournament,

placing Fifth in 2014, the Runner-Up in 2015 and the Champion in 2016. He was the MVW at the Tuslaw Invitational, his Junior and Senior year. He is a 3X Pac-7 Conference Placer, was the Runner-Up at this year's Tournament, the Runner-Up in 2014 and Champion in 2015. He was The Most Outstanding Wrestler at the Pirate Holiday Duals. He won the Tuslaw "Mr. Defense Award" in 2016. He accomplished 150 Career wins during the 2017 season. He received the Wrestling Award at Tuslaw's Top Freshman Wrestler in 2014, in 2015 was Tuslaw's Top Sophomore Wrestler, and in 2016 as the Tuslaw Top Junior Wrestler. He is a 2X Team Captain for the Tuslaw Wrestling Team in 2016 and 2017. He is a 4 year Varsity Letterman for Tuslaw Wrestling. His proud parents are Scott and Shelly Elliot.

### SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION

Josh Smith – Northwest High School

### HONORABLE MENTION

Evan Hertel - Minerva High School



# 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

138 POUNDS



## **PARKAR UTLEY**

**Alliance High School - Junior**

Parkar Utley completed his Junior year at Alliance High School with a Season Record of 29-7 and a Career Record of 49-14. He is a 2X State Qualifier. He is a 2X District Qualifier, placing Fourth at this year's Tournament, placing Fourth in 2016. He is a 2X Sectional Tournament Champion 2016, 2017. He was this year's Champion at the Massillon Tiger Invitational, the Runner-Up in 2016. He was the

Champion at this year's East Liverpool Tournament. He was First Team Eastern Ohio Wrestling League Division II Selection in 2016. He is the Stark County All-Star for 2016, 2017. He is a 2X Scholar Athlete. His proud parent is Tiffany North.



## **INTRODUCTION OF INDUCTEES**

The Stark County Wrestling Hall of Fame was founded in 1986 with the purpose of honoring individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the sport of wrestling in Stark County. This year, the Hall of Fame is pleased to induct four outstanding individuals to the Hall of Fame who are representative of the caliber of wrestling in this County.

### **SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Luke Ezzo – Central Catholic High School

### **HONORABLE MENTION**

Brennan Shidey – Tuslaw High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

145 POUNDS

**KYLE RYDER****Tuslaw High School - Sophomore**

Kyle Ryder completed his Sophomore year at Tuslaw High School with a Season Record of 48-10 and a Career Record of 90-20. He is 2017 State Qualifier. He is 2X District Qualifier, placing Third at this year's Tournament. He was this year's Champion at the Sectional Tournament, the Runner-Up in 2016. He placed Fifth at this year's North Canton Holiday Invitational. He was the Champion at this year's Pac-7

League Tournament, the Runner-Up in 2016. He was a Greco/Freestyle State Champion at 145 pounds in 2016. He won the Lucas Marcelli Iron Man Award for Freestyle/Greco Tournaments. He was a Team Member of the Freestyle/Greco Fargo Team in 2016. He is a 2X Stark County All-Star Selection, Special Honorable Mention in 2016 and The Stark County All-Star for 2017. He is a member of The Samurai Wrestling Club and Stampede Wrestling Club. His proud parents are Dave and Laurie Ryder.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Brailyn Lightner – Alliance High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Nick Blackmer – Canton South High School

**2017 ALL★STAR WRESTLING MATCH PARTICIPANTS**

Thanks to Hallstar Sports for making the tee-shirts



# 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

## 152 POUNDS



### HUNTER STOFFER

SANDY VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL – SENIOR

Hunter Stoffer completed his Senior year at Sandy Valley High School with a Season Record of 28-7 and a Career Record of 84-41. He is a 2X State Qualifier for 2016 and 2017. He is a 2X District Qualifier placing Fourth at this year’s Tournament, placing Fourth in 2016. He was this year’s Runner-Up at the Sectional Tournament, the Runner-Up in 2016. He placed Fifth at this year’s Barnesville Invitational,

placing Fourth in 2016. He was the Champion at this year’s Shadyside Invitational, the Runner-Up in 2016. Hunter was this year’s Champion at the Inter-Valley Conference, placing Third in 2016. He is a 2X Stark County All-Star for 2016, 2017. He plans on attending Muskingum University and Majoring in Computer Science. His proud parents are Byran and Lisa Stoffer.

#### SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION

Stephen Skeens – Tuslaw High School

#### HONORABLE MENTION

Zach Rodgers – Alliance High School

# STARK COUNTY STATE CHAMPIONS

Mike Miller .....	145.....	Lake.....	2003
John Foster .....	152.....	Perry .....	2003
A.J. Aeschliman .....	160.....	Tuslaw .....	2003
Mike Grogan .....	171.....	Hoover.....	2003
*Jason Johnstone.....	135.....	Perry .....	2004
Dustin Schlatter.....	140.....	Perry .....	2004
Cody Butzer .....	152.....	Northwest.....	2004
Mike Miller .....	152.....	Lake.....	2004
**Steve Luke .....	160.....	Perry .....	2004
**Chris Hahn .....	189.....	Minerva.....	2004
+***Dustin Schlatter .....	145.....	Perry .....	2005
**Mike Miller .....	160.....	Lake.....	2005
Thomas Straughn .....	135.....	Perry .....	2006
Cory Nelson .....	160.....	Tuslaw .....	2006
*Thomas Straughn .....	152.....	Perry .....	2007
Sam White.....	103.....	Perry .....	2007
Seth Horner .....	130.....	Perry .....	2008
*Sam White.....	125.....	Perry .....	2009
Nick Heflin.....	171.....	Perry .....	2009
Zack Dailey .....	140.....	Perry .....	2011
*Zack Dailey .....	152.....	Perry .....	2012
*David Bavery .....	106.....	Perry .....	2012
Mitch Newhouse .....	138.....	Perry .....	2012
JoJo Tayse.....	195.....	Perry .....	2012
Jose Rodriguez .....	106.....	Perry .....	2013
Ivan McClay.....	126.....	Massillon.....	2013
*JoJo Tayse .....	195.....	Perry .....	2013
David Bavery .....	126.....	Perry .....	2014
Casey Sparkman.....	152.....	Perry .....	2014
Tony Dailey .....	160.....	Perry .....	2014
Jake Newhouse.....	120.....	Perry .....	2015
Jose Rodriguez .....	126.....	Perry .....	2015
Zac Carson .....	145.....	Lake.....	2015
Andrew McNally .....	170.....	Lake.....	2015
David Carr.....	145.....	Perry .....	2016
David Carr.....	152.....	Perry .....	2017
Emil Soehnlen.....	170.....	Perry .....	2017
Francesco Borsellino.....	285.....	Sandy Valley .....	2017

\* two time State Champion + 2X Stark County - 2X Champaign County  
 \*\*three time State Champion \*\*\*four time State Champion

# STARK COUNTY STATE CHAMPIONS

DIVISION II & III

Charlie Jackson.....	138.....	McKinley .....	1960
Francis Paquin.....	Hwt.....	Hoover.....	1965
John Hahn.....	167.....	Minerva.....	1974
Harold Smith.....	185.....	McKinley .....	1974
John Grasinger.....	126.....	Hoover.....	1978
Rick Horton.....	138.....	Alliance.....	1979
Randy Cole.....	126.....	Lake.....	1980
John Bennett.....	98.....	Hoover.....	1982
C.J. Mears.....	132.....	Hoover.....	1982
Dan Willaman.....	112.....	Hoover.....	1983
Dan Funk.....	167.....	Jackson.....	1983
*Dan Willaman.....	119.....	Hoover.....	1984
Keith Cameron.....	Hwt.....	Alliance.....	1984
Gary Chaddock.....	126.....	Minerva.....	1985
Daryl Mickley.....	167.....	Louisville.....	1985
Mike Funk.....	175.....	Jackson.....	1985
Mike Malcuit.....	126.....	Louisville.....	1986
*Mike Funk.....	185.....	Jackson.....	1986
Mike Elsass.....	105.....	Hoover.....	1987
Roger Loar.....	155.....	Tuslaw.....	1987
Gary Define.....	103.....	Perry.....	1989
Dan Martinez.....	135.....	Lake.....	1989
Brian Slates.....	112.....	Northwest.....	1989
Emil Soehnen.....	160.....	St. Thomas.....	1989
Charlie Sampson.....	103.....	Marlington.....	1990
John Marchette.....	125.....	Hoover.....	1991
Bill Lacure.....	145.....	Hoover.....	1992
*Bill Lacure.....	152.....	Hoover.....	1993
Jayson Hayn.....	Hwt.....	St. Thomas.....	1993
Shaun Smith.....	103.....	Perry.....	1996
Chase Horvath.....	145.....	Tuslaw.....	1996
Brent McBurney.....	103.....	Perry.....	1997
Brian Hilliard.....	135.....	Minerva.....	1997
Jason Bake.....	135.....	Jackson.....	2000
Jared Villers.....	171.....	Northwest.....	2001
Zack Meissner.....	125.....	Jackson.....	2002
Steve Luke.....	135.....	Perry.....	2002
Steve Luke.....	160.....	Perry.....	2003
Chris Hahn.....	160.....	Minerva.....	2002
Chris Hahn.....	171.....	Minerva.....	2003
Jason Johnstone.....	125.....	Perry.....	2003

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

### 160 POUNDS

#### **KHORD MOORE**

#### **Canton South High School – Senior**



Khord Moore completed his Senior year at Canton South High School with a Season Record of 45-9 and a Career Record of 149-49. He is a 2017 State Qualifier, placing Fourth at this year's Tournament. He is a 3X District Qualifier, placing Third at this year's Tournament. He placed Third at this year's Sectional Tournament, placing Third in 2015, the Runner-Up in 2016. He is a 2X Champion at the Beaver Local

Wrestling Tournament 2016, 2017, placing Fourth in 2014, placing Third in 2015. He was this year's Champion at the Coshocton Classic Wrestling Tournament, placing Seventh in 2016. He placed Fifth at the Josh Hephner Memorial Tournament in 2016. He was the Champion at the Canton City Invitational in 2015, the Runner-Up in 2014. He placed Fourth at this year's Tiffin Columbiana Tournament. He was the Runner-Up at this year's Tom Ellis Classic. He is a 4x All-NBC Selection, Honorable Mention in 2014, 2015, Second Team in 2016 and First Team in 2017. He is The Stark County All-Star for 2017. He is a 4X Letter Winner for Canton South High School. His proud parents are Steven and Brandy Moore.

#### **SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

State Qualifier 2017- placing Eighth – Elvis Conkle –Tuslaw High School

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

Coltyn Mylear – Alliance High School

# 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

## 170 POUNDS



### QYSEAN BLACKMON

**Canton South High School – Senior**

QySean Blackmon completed his Senior year at Canton South High School with a Season Record of 44-10 and a Career Record of 92-37. He is a 2017 District Qualifier, placing Fifth at this year's Tournament. He was this year's Champion at the Sectional Tournament, placing Fifth in 2014 and 2015. He was this year's Champion at the Tom Ellis Invitational. He was the Champion at

this year's Beaver Local Hoppel Memorial Tournament. He was the Champion at the Tiffin Columbian Wrestling Tournament. He was the Champion at this year's Cuyahoga Falls Invitational. He placed Sixth at this year's Bill Dies Memorial Tournament. He is a 2X letter winner for Canton South High School and a 1X Letter Winner at Timken High School. He is The Stark County All-Star for 2017. His proud Uncle is Sam Muhammad.

#### SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION

Marcus Davis – Alliance High School

#### HONORABLE MENTION

Jake Loar – Tuslaw High School

## DIVISION I



**Front Row (left to right):** Andy Graham (12), Kyle Murphy (12), Chase Sommers (12)

**Back Row (left to right):** Carter Mickley (9), Jax Leonard (9), Victor Marcelli (11), Jimmy Leonard (12), Dillon Smith (12)

Not Pictured: Kyle Gruber (11), Malachi Strickland (12), David Carr (11), Joe Koontz (12), Matt Carrick (12), Emil Soehnlén (11)

## DIVISION II & III



**Front Row (left to right):** Jacob Kuhlins (11), Ben Ruegg (12), Brier Marthey (9), Hunter Kosco (12)

**Middle Row (left to right):** Parker Utley (11), Kyle Ryder (10), Hunter Stoffer (12), Khord Moore (12)

**Back Row (left to right):** QySean Blackmom (12), Duce Johnson (11), Logan Hall (12), Crawford Hamrick (11), Francesco Barcellino (12)

Not Pictured: Isaac Elliott



## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

## HEAVYWEIGHT

**MATT CARRICK****Perry High School - Senior**

Matt Carrick completed his Senior year at Perry High School with a Season Record of 26-8 and a Career record of 99-29. He is 2X State Qualifier, placing Eighth in 2015. He is a 2X District Qualifier the Runner-Up at this Year's Tournament, placing Fourth in 2015. He was this Year's Sectional Tournament Champion, the Runner-Up in 2015. He placed Fourth at the Beast of the East Tournament in 2015. He

was Fourth at this year's Medina Invitational, placing Seventh in 2015. He placed Third at this year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament, placing Seventh in 2015. He was this year's Runner-Up at the Delaware Hayes Tournament, placing Third in 2015. He was the First Team All-Federal League Selection in 2015. He is a 2X Stark County All-Star Selection, Special Honorable Mention in 2015 and the Stark County All-Star for 2017. His proud parents are Bill and Rhonda Carrick.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Michael Mather – Lake High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Bruce Wolff- North Canton High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

## 182 POUNDS

**DUCE JOHNSON****Alliance High School – Junior**

Duce Johnson completed his Junior year at Alliance High School with a Season Record of 46-7 and a Career Record of 117-24. He is a 2017 State Qualifier placing Third at this year's Tournament. He is 3X District Qualifier, the champion at this year's Tournament. He was the Runner-Up at this year's Sectional Tournament, the Runner-Up in 2015 and the Champion in 2016. He was the Champion at

this year's East Liverpool Tournament. He was Third at this year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament. He was this year's Champion at the Massillon Tiger Invitational and the Champion in 2016. He was this year's Champion at the Eastern Ohio Wrestling League tournament, the Runner-Up in 2016. He is 3X Stark County All-Star Selection, Special Honorable Mention in 2015, 2016 and The Stark County All-Star for 2017. He is a Scholar Athlete, a member of the National Honor Society. He carries a 3.83 GPA. His proud parents are Daijin Johnson and Donisha Hancock.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Nick Shephard – Fairless High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Reggie Hancock – Minerva High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL☆STAR

195 POUNDS

**LOGAN HALL****Tuslaw High School – Senior**

Logan Hall completed his Senior year at Tuslaw High School with a Season Record of 58-5 and Career Record of 165-45. He is a 2017 State Qualifier, the Runner-Up at this year's Tournament. He is a 2X District Qualifier, the Runner-Up at this year's tournament. He was this year's Champion at the Sectional Tournament placing Sixth in 2014, 2015, placing Third in 2016. He is a 2X Champion at the Man of Steel Tournament in 2015, 2016 and MVW in 2016. He was the

Champion and MVW at the Mapleton Schools Fall Tournament in 2016. He was the Champion at the Coshocton Classic Tournament in 2016. He was the Champion at this year's North Canton Holiday Invitational. He placed Fourth at this year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament. He was this year's MVW at Tuslaw Duals. He was this year's MVW and had five pins at the Cardington Duals. He is a 2x Champion at the Pac-7 League Tournament in 2015, 2017. He is a 2X Stark County All-Star Selection, Honorable Mention (Div.I) in 2015 and The Stark County All-Star for 2017. He is the Caption of his Tuslaw Wrestling Team for 2017. He set a new Tuslaw and County Record for the Most wins in a season with 58. He set a new Tuslaw record for the Most Team Points in a season with 337. He is a member of Ohio Model United Nations. At Graduation he will also receive an Associate of Art's Degree and an Associate of Science Degree form Stark State College. He carries a 4.07 GPA at Tuslaw and a 3.36 GPA at Stark State College. His proud parents are Everett and Secret Bridger.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

2X State Qualifier – 2016-2017, placing Sixth in 2017 – Jerrel Martin – Alliance High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Austin Carper – Marlinton High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL☆STAR

220 POUNDS

**DILLON SMITH****North Canton High School –Senior**

Dillon Smith completed his Senior Year at North Canton High School with a Season Record of 50-8 and a Career record of 70-13. He is a 2017 State Qualifier Placing Fifth at this year's Tournament. He is A District Qualifier, the Champion at this year's Tournament. He was this year's Champion at the Sectional Tournament. He was the Runner-Up at this year's North Canton Holiday Invitational. He was the Champion at this year's St. Clairesville

Tournament. He placed Fifth at this year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament. He was Fifth at this year's Wadsworth Grizzly Invitational Tournament. He is a First Team All-Federal League Selection for 2017. He is The Stark County All-Star for 2017. Dillon was The North Canton Team's MVW. He set a new North Canton Team Record for most Pins (season) with 33, this also tied the All-County Division I Record. He carries a 4.01 GPA. He plans to attend Walsh University where he received a Football Scholarship. His proud parents are Toby and Tami Smith.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

2017 State Qualifier – Adam Luster – Perry High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Alex Davis – Lake High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

195 POUNDS

**JIMMY LEONARD****Louisville High School – Senior**

Jimmy Leonard completed his Senior year at Louisville High School with a Season Record of 38-10 and a Career Record of 99-34. He is a 2X State Qualifier 2016, 2017. He is a 2X District Qualifier, placing Third at this year's Tournament, the Runner-Up in 2016. He is a 2X Sectional Tournament Champion 2016, 2017 placing Fifth in 2015. He was the Champion at the Crestview Cougar Classic in 2016.

He was the Runner-Up at this year's North Canton Holiday Invitational, placing Sixth in 2016. He was the runner-Up at this year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament, placing Fifth in 2016. He placed Fourth at this year's Medina Invitational. He was the Champion at this year's Josh Hephner Memorial Tournament, placing Third in 2016. He is 2X First Team All-NBC Selection for 2016 and 2017. He is a 2X Stark County All-Star Selection, Special Honorable Mention in 2016 and The Stark County All-Star for 2017. His proud parents are Jim and Jenise Leonard.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Stoen Poorman – Mckinley High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Ben Smith – North Canton High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

220 POUNDS

**CRAWFORD HAMRICK****Tuslaw High School – Junior**

Crawford Hamrick completed his Junior year at Tuslaw High School with a Season Record of 49-13 and a Career Record of 111-36. He is a 2X District Qualifier, placing Fifth at this year's Tournament. He was the Runner-Up at this year's Sectional Tournament, placing Third in 2015. He placed Fourth at this year's North Canton Holiday Invitational. He was a member of the Greco/Freestyle National Dual Team

in 2014. He was a Greco State Cadet State Champion in 2014, He is a 3X Stark County All-Star Selection Special Honorable Mention in 2015, Honorable Mention in 2016 and The Stark County All-Star for 2017. He set a new season Tuslaw Pin Record at 35. He is a member of The Fellowship of Christian Athletes. He carries a 3.2 GPA. His Proud parents are Paul and Angee Hamrick

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Chavion Young – Alliance High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Garrett Young – Marlinton High School



## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL☆STAR

## HEAVYWEIGHT



## FRENCESCO BORSELLINO

**Sandy Valley High School - Senior**

Francesco Borsellino completed his Senior year at Sandy Valley High School with a Season Record of 18-0 and a Career Record of 103-14. He is a 2X State Qualifier, the Champion at this year's Tournament, placing Fifth in 2016. He is a 3X District Qualifier, the Champion at this year's Tournament, the Runner-Up in 2016. He is a 3X Sectional Tournament Champion 2015,

2016, 2017. He was the Champion at the Barnesville Invitational. He was the Champion at the Waterloo Div. III Classic in 2016. He was the Champion at the Shady Side Invitational in 2016. He was First Team and was Undefeated at the Sandusky St. Mary Div. III Classic in 2016. He is a 2X Champion at the Intervalley Conference Tournament in 2016 and 2017. He is a 3X Stark County All-Star Selection Special, Honorable Mention in 2015 and the Stark County All-Star for 2016 and 2017. Francesco is the The Stark County Wrestler of the Year for Division II and III for 2017. He plans to attend Western Reserve Academy, then attending College and Major in Family and Consumer Science. Francesreco is Sandy Valley High Schools First State Wrestling Champion. His proud parents are John and Liz Borsellino.

### SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION

2017 State Qualifier-Placing-Eight- Brayden Phillips – Tuslaw High School

### HONORABLE MENTION

Alex Leasure – Alliance High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL☆STAR

## 182 POUNDS



## VICTOR MARCELLI

**Jackson High School – Junior**

Victor Marcelli completed his Junior year at Jackson High School with a Season Record of 14-1 and a Career Record of 91-14. He is a 3X State Qualifier, placing sixth at this year's Tournament, placing third in 2016. He is a 3X District Qualifier, the Champion at this year's Tournament, the Runner-Up in 2015, 2016. He was the Champion at this year's Sectional Tournament, the champion in 2015,

the Runner-Up in 2016. He was the Champion and MVW at the North Canton Holiday Invitational in 2016. He placed Third at the Medina Invitational in 2016, placing Fifth in 2015. He was the Champion at the Bill Dies Memorial Tournament in 2016. He was the Runner-Up at the Josh Hephner Memorial Tournament in 2016, the Champion in 2015. He placed Fifth at the 2015 Greco Fargo Cadet Nationals and placed Sixth at the 2015 Freestyle Fargo Cadet Nationals. He is a 2X First Team All-Federal League Selection for 2015, 2016. He is The Stark County All-Star for 2015, 2016 and 2017. He carries a 3.1 GPA. His proud parents are Bryan and Angela Marcelli.

### SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION

2017- State Placer- Eighth in 2015, 2016 –Zach Balckinton – PerryHigh School

### HONORABLE MENTION

Chris Szerokman – GlenOak High School

2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

170 POUNDS



**EMIL SOEHNLEN**

**Perry High School – Junior**

Emil Soehnlen completed his Junior Year at Perry High School with a Season Record of 51-5, and a Career Record of 128-31. He is a 3X State Qualifier, The Champion at this year’s Tournament. He is a 3X District Qualifier placing third at this year’s tournament placing fourth in 2015, placing third in 2016. He is a 2X Sectional Tournament Champion 2016, 2017. The Runner-Up in 2015. He was third at this year’s

Ironman Tournament. He placed seventh at this year’s Beast of the East Tournament, placing eight in 2016. He placed third at this year’s Medina Invitational, placing third in 2015, 2016. He was the Champion at this year’s Alliance Top Gun Tournament, placing seventh in 2015, placing fourth in 2016. He was the Champion at this year’s Delaware Hayes Tournament, the Runner-Up in 2015 and 2016. He is a 3X All Federal League Selection, Second Team in 2015 and First Team for 2016, 2017. He is a 3X Stark County All-Star Selection, Special Honorable Mention in 2015 and The Stark County All-Stars for 2016 and 2017. He is the Stark County Wrestler of the Year for Division I for 2017. His proud parents are Emil and Tamara Soehnlen.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

2017 State, Qualifier, Placing Seventh – Luke Reicosky – North Canton High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Zenik Vovk- Jackson High School

2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

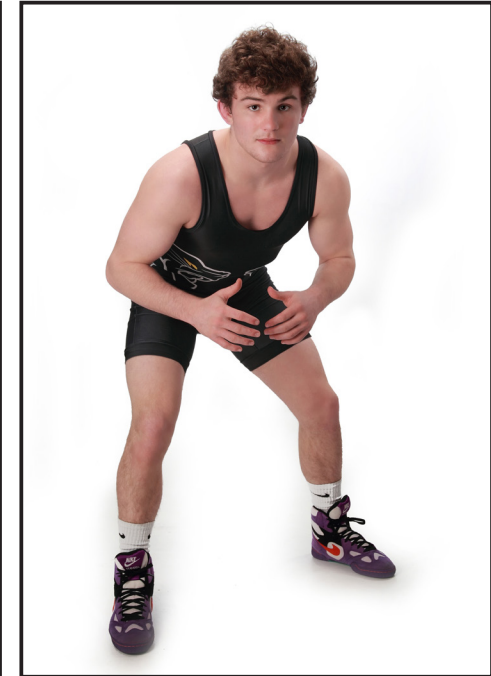
WRESTLER OF THE YEAR

DIVISION I



**DAVID CARR**

**Perry High School**



**EMIL SOEHNLEN**

**Perry High School**



# 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

## COACH OF THE YEAR

### NATE CARR

**Perry High School**

115-7 High School Record

- Won State title @ Erie Tech
- Received a scholarship to wrestle @ Iowa State University
- 3X NCAA Champion @ Iowa State
- 3X National Freestyle Champion
- 3X World Team Member
- Goodwill Games & Pan-American Champion
- World Cup Champion
- Olympic Bronze Medalist



Perry High School Head Coach Stats

- State Champions - 3
- State Place winners - 6
- State Qualifiers - 16
- District Individual Champions - 3
- Sectional Team Champions - 2
- Sectional Individual Champions - 9
- Federal League Team Titles - 2

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## 160 POUNDS

### JOE KOONTZ

**Perry High School – Senior**

Joe Koontz completed his Senior Year at Perry High School with a Season Record of 42-10 and a Career Record of 70-13. He is a 2X State Qualifier, placing seventh at this year's Tournament. He is a 2X District Qualifier, the Runner-Up at this year's Tournament, and The Runner-Up in 2016. He is a 2X Sectional champion for 2016, 2017. He placed sixth at this year's Ironman Tournament. He was

this year's Runner-Up the Medina Invitational. He was the Champion at this year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament, placing Third in 2016. He was the Champion at this year's Delaware Hayes Tournament. He is a 2X First Team All-Federal League selection for 2016, 2017. He is a 2X Stark County All-Star Selection, Special Honorable Mention in 2016, and the Stark County All-Star for 2017. His proud parents are Joe and Michelle.

#### **SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Jace Kendrick- Louisville High School

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

Sean Michael James – Lake High School

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## 152 POUNDS



### DAVID CARR

**Perry High School – Junior**

David Carr completed his Junior year at Perry High School with a Season Record of 48-3, and a Career Record of 144-6. He is a 3X State Qualifier, The Champion at this year's Tournament, The Champion in 2016 and the Champion in 2015 at Dayton Christian High School Division III at 138lbs. He is a 3X District Qualifier, a 3X Champion at the Tournament in 2015, 2016, 2017. He is a 3X Sectional Tournament Champion 2015, 2016,

2017. He was the Champion at the Super 32 Tournament in 2016. He was the Runner-Up at this year's Ironman Tournament, the Champion in 2016. He placed third at this year's Beast of the East Tournament, David was Champion in 2016. He is a 2X Champion at the Medina Invitational for 2016, 2017. He was the Champion at this year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament, the Runner-Up in 2016. He was the Runner-Up at the Delaware Hayes Tournament, the Champion in 2016. David was Ranked No. 3 in The Nation for the past season. As an Eighth Grader, David was a Kentucky High School State Champion at 126lbs. That year- 2014 his Season Record was 49-1. He is a 2X First Team All-Federal League Selection for 2016, 2017. He is the Stark Country All-Star for 2016, 2017 and The Stark County Wrestler of The Year for Division I for 2016, 2017. His proud parents are Nate and Linda Carr.

#### SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION

2017 – State Qualifier – Braxton Freeman – Jackson High School

#### HONORABLE MENTION

Satchel Strickmaker – Louisville High School

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## 106 POUNDS



### ANDY GRAHAM

**Louisville High School - Junior**

Andy Graham completed his Senior year at Louisville High School with a Season Record of 40-12 and a Career Record of 98-35. He is 2017 State Qualifier, placing Eighth at this year's Tournament. He is a 3X District Qualifier, placing Third at this year's Tournament, placing Fifth in 2016. He was this year's Sectional Tournament Runner-Up, placing Fourth in 2015, the Champion in 2016. He placed Third at the Pioneer Invitational in 2015. He is a 2X Runner-Up at the North Canton Holiday

Invitational in 2016, 2017. He is a 2X Champion at the Crestview Cougar Classic, 2016, 2017. He placed Third at this year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament, placing Seventh in 2016. He placed Sixth at this year's Media Invitational Tournament. He was the Runner-Up at this year's Josh Hephner Memorial Tournament, placing Seventh in 2015, placing Third in 2016. He placed Second in Freestyle at the State Tournament in 2016. He was the Champion in Greco at the State Tournament in 2016. He was a member of the Ohio Junior National Freestyle/Greco Team. He is 2X First team All-NBC Selection for 2016, 2017. He is a 3X Stark County All-Star Selection, Honorable Mention in 2105 and The Stark County All-Star for 2016 and 2017. His proud parents are Reed and Gwen Graham.

#### SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION

Josue Tucker – McKinley High School

#### HONORABLE MENTION

Nick Jennings – Massillon High School

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113 POUNDS

**KYLE GRUBER****Perry High School – Junior**

Kyle Gruber completed his Junior Year at Perry High School with a Season Record of 34-12 and a Career Record of 60-32. He is a 2017 State Qualifier, He is a 2X District Qualifier. The Champion at this year's Tournament. He was this year's Sectional Tournament Runner-Up, placing third in 2016. He was the Runner-Up at this year's Medina Invitational. He placed fourth at this

year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament. He was this year's Champion at the Delaware Hayes Tournament. He is a 2X First Team All-Federal League Selection for 2016, 2017. He is a 2X Stark County All-Star selection, Special Honorable Mention in 2016 and The Stark County All-Star for 2017. His proud parents are Kirk and Deena Gruber.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

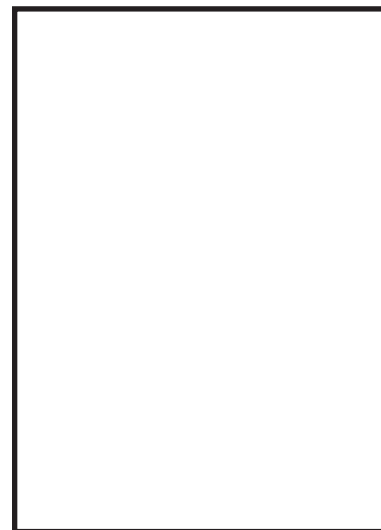
Jimmy Bostic – Jackson High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Logan Vanicek – Louisville High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

145 POUNDS

**MALACHI STRICKLAND****Perry High School - Senior**

Malachi Strickland completed his Senior year at Perry High School with a Season Record of 23-7 and a Career Record of 23-7. He is a 2017 State Qualifier. He is a 3X District Qualifier placing Fourth at this year's Tournament, placing Sixth in 2015 and 2016. He was the Champion at this year's Sectional Tournament, the Champion in 2015, the Runner-Up in 2016. He placed Seventh at this year's Alliance Top Gun Tournament. He was

the Runner-Up at this year's Delaware Hayes Tournament. He is First Team All-Federal League Selection for 2017. He is The Stark County All-Star for 2017. His proud parent is Leslie Strickland.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Noah Gainey – Lake High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Devin Flagg – Jackson High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

138 POUNDS

**JAX LEONARD****Louisville High School – Freshman**

Jax Leonard completed his Freshman year at Louisville High School with a Season Record of 49-14 and a Career Record of 49-14. He is a 2017 State Qualifier, placing Eighth at this year's Tournament. He is a District Qualifier, placing Fourth at this year's Tournament. He was the Runner-Up at this year's Sectional Tournament. He placed Seventh at this year's Medina Invitational Tournament. He placed Sixth at this year's Alliance

Top Gun Tournament. He was the Champion at this year's Josh Hephner Memorial Tournament. He placed Fifth in Freestyle at the State Tournament in 2016. He was the Champion in Greco at the State Tournament in 2016. He was a member of the Ohio Cadet National Freestyle/Greco Team. He is a Second Team All-NBC Selection for 2017. He is The Stark County All-Star for 2017. He ended the season with 32 Pins a new Louisville Record. He had 297.5 Team Points for the season, a New Louisville and Division I Wrestling Record. His proud parents are Jim and Jenise Leonard.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

2X State Qualifier – Gary Define – Perry High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Tyler Hugill – North Canton High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

120 POUNDS

**KYLE MURPHY****Massillon High School – Senior**

Kyle Murphy completed his Senior year at Massillon-High School with a Season Record of 36-12 and a Career Record of 144-48. He is a 3X District Qualifier for 2015, 2016, 2017. He was this year's Runner-Up at the Sectional Tournament, placing Third in 2015, placing Fourth in 2016. He placed Third at this year's Wayne Invitational Tournament, placing Third in 2014, the Runner-Up in 2016. He placed

Third at this year's J.C. Gorman Tournament, placing Third in 2015, placing Fourth in 2016. He was Seventh at this year's Maumee Bay Classic, placing Fifth in 2015. He was the Champion at the Beaver Local Hoppel Tournament in 2015. He is 2X Champion at the Massillon Tiger Invitational 2016, 2017. He is 3X Stark County All-Star Selection, Special Honorable Mention for 2015, 2016 and The Stark County All-Star for 2017. He plans to attend college and Major in Electrical Engineering. His proud parents are Diona and Tod Murphy.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Carl Turner – McKinley High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Ryan Jakubiak – Louisville High School



## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

126 POUNDS

**CHASE SOMMERS****Lake High School – Senior**

Chase Sommers completed his senior year at Lake High School with a Season Record of 30-14, and a Career Record of 90-58. He is a 2016 state qualifier. He is a 2X District Qualifier placing Sixth at this year's tournament, placing fourth in 2016. He was the Champion at this year's Sectional Tournament and the Champion in 2016. He placed sixth at the Alliance Top Gun Tournament in 2016. He placed fourth at this year's Josh

Hephner Memorial Tournament, placing fourth in 2016. Chase placed third at this year's North Canton Holiday Invitational. He is a 3X All-Federal League Selection Honorable Mention in 2015, First Team in 2016, and Second Team in 2017. He is a 2X Stark County All-Star selection for 2016, 2017. He plans to attend Akron University and major in Surveying and Mapping. His proud parents are Wendell Sommers and Debbie and Steve Brooker.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Jonah Wakser – North Canton High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Joe Wickline – Glenoak High School

## 2017 STARK COUNTY ALL★STAR

132 POUNDS

**CARTER MICKLE****Louisville High School – Freshman**

Carter Mickley completed his Freshman year at Louisville High School with a season Record of 25-13 and a Career Record of 25-13. He is a 2017 District Qualifier. He was this year's Runner-up at the Sectional Tournament. He was the Champion at this year's Crestview Cougar Classic. He is a Second Team All-NBC Selection for 2017. He is The Stark County All-Star for 2017 His proud parents are Daryl and Jessycar Mickley.

**SPECIAL HONORABLE MENTION**

Tyler Alazus – GlenOak High School

**HONORABLE MENTION**

Kaleb Jennings – Lake High School