

## **Mt. St. Joe Grapplers Win the War**

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*The Gaels Crown 3 Champs at The War On the Shore Tournament.*

Mt. St. Joe kicked off their season in grand fashion on Wednesday night by picking off a powerful John Carroll squad. They kept the momentum rolling this weekend by capturing the team title at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual War On the Shore Tournament hosted by Stephen Decatur.

The Gaels had ten wrestlers place among the top eight in their weight class, including five finalists. Winning titles were Sam Rowell (160), Dan Hawkins (195), and Shane Lowman (285). Zeke Salvo (132) and Malik Woody (120) finished as runner-ups.

Hawkins is currently ranked 16<sup>th</sup> nationally by Intermat.

Vince Oneto (106, 3<sup>rd</sup>), Turner Wilson (113, 8<sup>th</sup>), Dean Rill (126, 5<sup>th</sup>), Neil Schuster (145, 8<sup>th</sup>), and Logan Rill (182, 3<sup>rd</sup>) were Mt. St. Joe's other placewinners.

Father Judge from Philadelphia came in second finishing 10.5 points behind Mt. St. Joe (176.5-166). The Crusaders placed four grapplers in the finals and came away with two champions; Tim McCall (106) and Vickson Krah (152). Taking home silver were Idris White (170) and Eric Drains (285).

Virginia's New Kent came in third on the strength of two finalists, including BC LaPrade who had an impressive 16-3 win in the finals over former National Prep Champion Corey Huntley (Curley) to win the 138lb crown. Duncan Jones (106) came up short in his title quest.

Rounding out the top five were two squads from Maryland, Stephen Decatur and Curley.

Stephen Decatur had ten guys place, but came away with no champions. Finishing in second for the Seahawks were Andy McKahan (113), Nate Rosenblatt (126), and Nick Bennett (152). Their other placewinners were Robert Kaminski (106, 5<sup>th</sup>), T.J. Scafone (120, 6<sup>th</sup>), Joseph Rodriguez (132, 8<sup>th</sup>), Andrew Borradaile (160, 6<sup>th</sup>), Brett Kim (170, 8<sup>th</sup>), Marwan Saleh (195, 8<sup>th</sup>), and Caleb Massey (285, 3<sup>rd</sup>).

Curley's Tyshawn Williams defeated Mt. St. Joe's Salvo 14-6 in the 132lb final. Going into the match they were 2-2 vs. each other, so this was one of the most anticipated bouts of the finals.

The Friars had two other wrestlers reach the finals, Huntley and Fred Johnson (160), but both had to settle for silver. Kyle Masemore (126, 7<sup>th</sup>), Morgan McColgan (182, 4<sup>th</sup>), and Kevin Sigwart (285, 4<sup>th</sup>) were the other grapplers to earn spots on the podium for Curley.

St. Mary's-Ryken crowned two champions in Steven Simpson (120) and Josh Llopez (170). Simpson pinned all four of his opponents. None of his matches made it out of the first period until the finals in which he pinned Mt. St. Joe's Woody at the 4:23 mark of the third period.

Lopez, who is currently ranked 11<sup>th</sup> in the nation by InterMat, followed Simpson's path to a t with four falls. All were in the first period except his finals match which, like Simpson, came in the third period.

The other champions were JuWan Massey (Sussex Tech, 113), Caleb Corbett (Hickory, 126), Dylan Taylor (Wheeling Park, 145), Clay Conaway (Sussex Central, 182), and Jake Temple (Avella, 220).

#### Team Scores (top ten)

- 1-Mt. St. Joe 176.5
- 2-Father Judge (PA) 166
- 3-New Kent (VA) 138
- 4-Stephen Decatur 127
- 5-Curley 112
- 6-Sussex Tech (DE) 110
- 7-Sussex Central (DE) 102
- 8-Hickory (VA) 98
- 9-St. Mary's Ryken 90
- 10-Avella (PA) 86

#### Championship Finals

- 106-Tim McCall (Father Judge) pinned Duncan Johns (New Kent)
- 113-JuWan Massey (Sussex Tech) pinned Andy McKahan (Stephen Decatur), 4:32
- 120-Sтивен Simpson (St. Mary's Ryken) pinned Malik Woody (Mt. St. Joe), 4:23
- 126-Caleb Corbett (Hickory) maj. dec. Nate Rosenblatt (Stephen Decatur), 8-0
- 132-Tyshawn Williams (Curley) maj. dec. Zeke Salvo (Mt. St. Joe), 14-6
- 138-BC LaPrade (New Kent) maj. dec. Corey Huntley (Curley), 16-3
- 145-Dylan Taylor (Wheeling Park, WV) maj. dec. Casey Brown (Hylton, VA), 12-3
- 152-Vickson Krah (Father Judge) dec. Nick Bennett (Stephen Decatur), 5-4
- 160-Sam Rowell (Mt. St. Joe) dec. Fred Johnson (Curley), 8-3
- 170-Josh Lopez (St. Mary's Ryken) pinned Idris White (Father Judge), 4:48
- 182-Clay Conaway (Sussex Central) pinned Erich Schneider (Middletown, DE), 2:49
- 195-Dan Hawkins (Mt. St. Joe) dec. Anthony Mancini (Salesianum, DE), 7-3
- 220-Jake Temple (Avella) dec. Mac Meehan (DeMatha), 8-2
- 285-Shane Lowman (Mt. St. Joe) dec. Eric Drains (Father Judge), 4-1

#### Third Place Matches

- 106-Vince Oneto (Mt. St. Joe) dec. Daniel Horowitz (Hickory), 8-3
- 113-Logan Wilson (DeMatha) dec. Trevor Elfvin (Father Judge), 1-0
- 120-Dallas Baciak (Wheeling Park) tech-fall Tyler Jump (Sussex Tech), 15-0
- 126-William Ortiz (Sussex Central) maj. dec. Adam White (Father Judge), 8-0
- 132-Matt Linehan (Severna Park) dec. Tony Amendolare (Hickory), 5-3
- 138-Clint Ferrazzo (Caravel Academy, DE) tech-fall Shane Wilson (DeMatha), 15-0
- 145-Justin Bennett (Sussex Central) dec. Blake Hohman (New Kent), 3-0
- 152-Chris Tibbetts (Hickory) dec. Dane Diksa (Salesianum, DE), 2-0
- 160-Donovan Hall (St. Mary's Ryken) dec. Carter McClung (Middletown), 4-3
- 170-Shawn Carl (Avella) pinned Jake Wensvel (Wheeling Park), 3:37
- 182-Logan Rill (Mt. St. Joe) dec. Morgan McColgan (Curley), 3-1 OT
- 195-Cameron Houston (Avella) dec. Zack Hamm (Hylton), 4-0
- 220-Garrett Miller (Salesianum) dec. Sebastian Silva (Stafford), 5-0
- 285-Caleb Massey (Stephen Decatur) dec. Kevin Sigwart (Curley), 2-1

#### Fifth Place Matches

106-Robert Kaminski (Stephen Decatur) dec. Ryan Perpall (DeMatha), 8-7  
113-Joshua Beacorn (Stafford, VA) dec. Jackson Gray (New Kent), 4-2  
120-Jack Brown (Sussex Central) dec. T.J. Scafone (Stephen Decatur), 8-3  
126-Dean Rill (Mt. St. Joe) dec. Cole Hinehine (Sussex Tech), 4-3  
132-Kyle Mallon (Father Judge) dec. Kade Sanders (New Kent), 7-3  
138-David White (Father Judge) pinned Kris Cannon (Sussex Tech), 1:33  
145-Nick Kusich (Avella) dec. Devon Bornschein (Stafford), 7-2  
152-Jonny Davis (Wheeling Park) won by default over Matt Tull (Sussex Tech)  
160-Isaac Garrett (Stafford) pinned Andrew Borradaile (Stephen Decatur), 4:18  
170-Paul Kalafos won by forfeit by Codie Bowers (Hylton)  
182-Zach Edmonds (New Kent) pinned Lawrence Hunt (Hylton), 2;25  
195-Ryan Parker (Sussex Tech) dec. Derek Allen (Avella), 5-0 TB  
220-Wilson Gregory (New Kent) won by forfeit by Ryan Zwier (Caravel Academy)  
285-Zach Rodriguez (New Kent), dec. Andrew Haskakis (Avella), 2-1

#### Seventh Place Matches

106-Nick Accord (Sussex Central) maj. dec. Jacob Dillion (Stafford), 14-6  
113-Nino Susi (Sussex Central) pinned Turner Wilson (Mt. St. Joe), 1:35  
120-Jason Stevens (Salesianum) dec. Bryson Mitchell (New Kent)  
126-Kyle Masemore (Curley) maj. dec. Zac Perkins (New Kent)  
132-Christian Green (Sussex Central) maj. dec. Joseph Rodriguez (Stephen Decatur)  
138-Hunter Foutz (Hickory) maj. dec. Dylan Whittles (St. Mary's Ryken), 9-1  
145-Nick Tibbetts (Hickory) dec. Neil Schuster (Mt. St. Joe), 7-2  
152-James Giffin (New Kent) pinned Cameron Wright (Stafford), 4:22  
160-Jake Ward (Hylton) pinned Darryl Taylor (DeMatha), 2:03  
170-Thomas Lopez (Middletown) dec. Brett Kim (Stephen Decatur), 8-6  
182-Josh James (Sussex Tech) pinned Kyle Palinkas (Father Judge), :43  
195-Jamie Hunter (DeMatha) pinned Marwan Saleh (Stephen Decatur)  
220-Tom Bayer (Father Judge) dec. Zach Bell (Sussex Tech), 3-2 OT TB  
285-Matt Santacecilia (Salesianum) dec. Tristin Sellers (Hickory), 1-0