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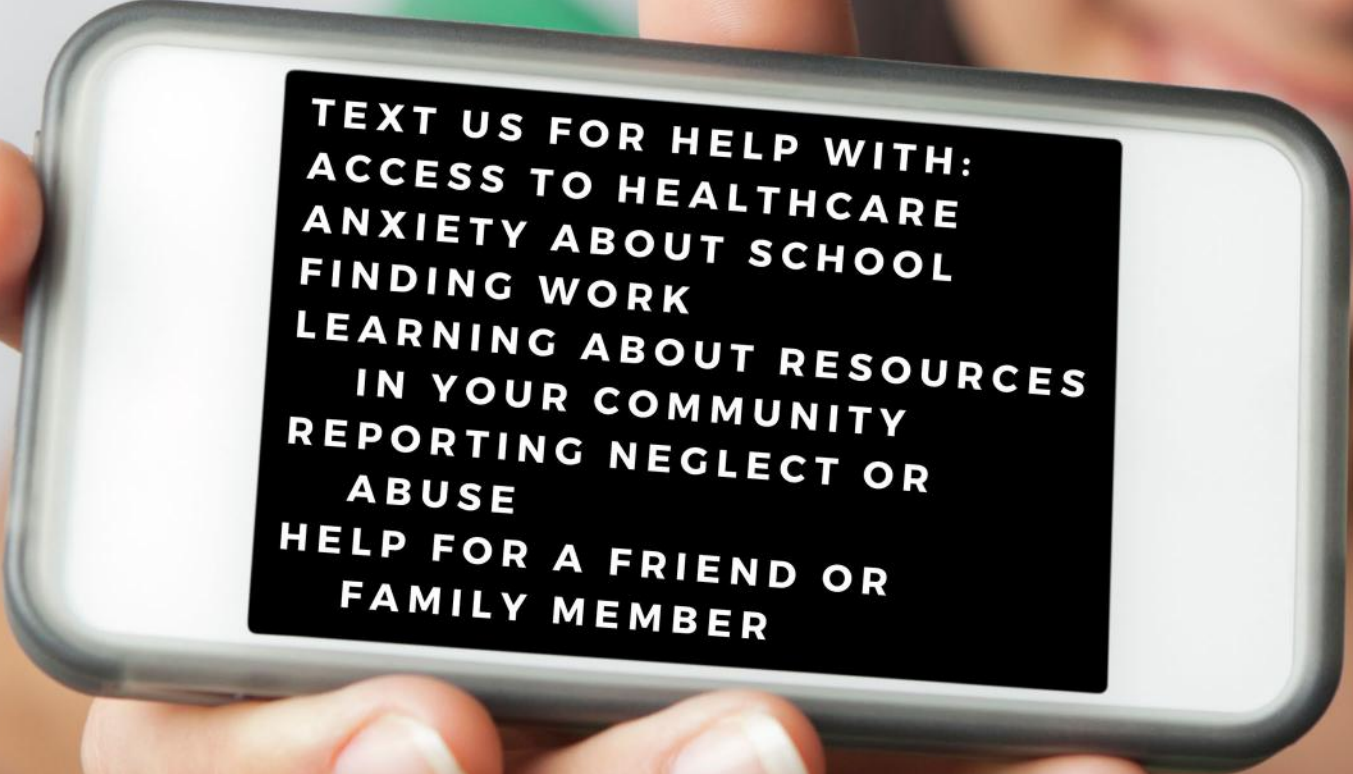
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# Welcome from NMAA Executive Director



**Sally Marquez**  
**NMAA**  
**Executive Director**

It is funny how certain seemingly insignificant moments in our lives come rushing back to us from time to time. As I sat down to craft this letter, I remembered my high school days, sitting in History class, learning about the Spanish Flu. My teacher for that class was a coach, so I, of course, was deeply engaged and sitting in the front row. I can vividly remember him bringing in a mask to demonstrate how society lived and managed during that time and the measures they took to stay safe. It was the first time I had ever heard the word “pandemic.”

Honestly, those memories were washed into the far corners of my mind, as they likely were for most of my classmates, as we considered it history and not something that would have any relevance in our lives. Fast forward over 40 years and the voice of my teacher and his lessons of the Spanish Flu have come back to me, as though my days in his class were just yesterday.

I had always wanted to be an educator. My teachers and coaches became my role models, so knowing what I wanted to study in college came at an early age. As educators, we are taught how to manage a classroom, how to deliver the curriculum in several different manners, how to write lesson plans, and how to communicate with our students. As administrators, we are taught how to evaluate teachers, how to ensure we are following both Federal and State standards, how to manage a budget, and how to

communicate with parents, the community and any other parties within our reach.

Of all of the lessons we were taught and the tools in our proverbial toolboxes, we were never taught how to handle a pandemic! We may have learned about crisis management or how to deal with stressful situations in our classrooms and our schools, but the management of a pandemic was never a lesson taught to or learned by any of us.

However, through our education, experiences, and backgrounds, we learned how to see the light through darkness and how to find the silver lining in the gloomiest and most dismal looking clouds.

“I will love the light for it shows me the way, yet I will endure the darkness for it shows me the stars.” - Og Mandino

We learned how to endure difficult, treacherous and uncertain times.

“I ask not for a lighter burden, but for broader shoulders.” – Jewish Proverb

We learned how to find success in the midst of our most challenging adversities.

“Tough times never last, but tough people do.”– Robert Schuller

Most of all, we learned how to achieve, no matter the circumstances.

“Things turn out the best for the people who make the best of the way things turn out.” – John Wooden

We are all in this together. The membership of the NMAA will persevere and overcome, fueled by the knowledge that what we do matters and is important to the students we serve and to the communities from every part of the Land of Enchantment. Our country endured and overcame the 1918 Pandemic, and we, too, will persist and reemerge from the 2020 pandemic stronger than we were before.

“I learned there are troubles of more than one kind. Some come from ahead, others come from behind. But I’ve bought a big bat. I’m all ready, you see. Now my troubles are going to have trouble with me.” – Dr. Seuss

Let us all carry an attitude of positivity and success forward knowing that how we handle today will affect future generations.

Sally Marquez  
Executive Director





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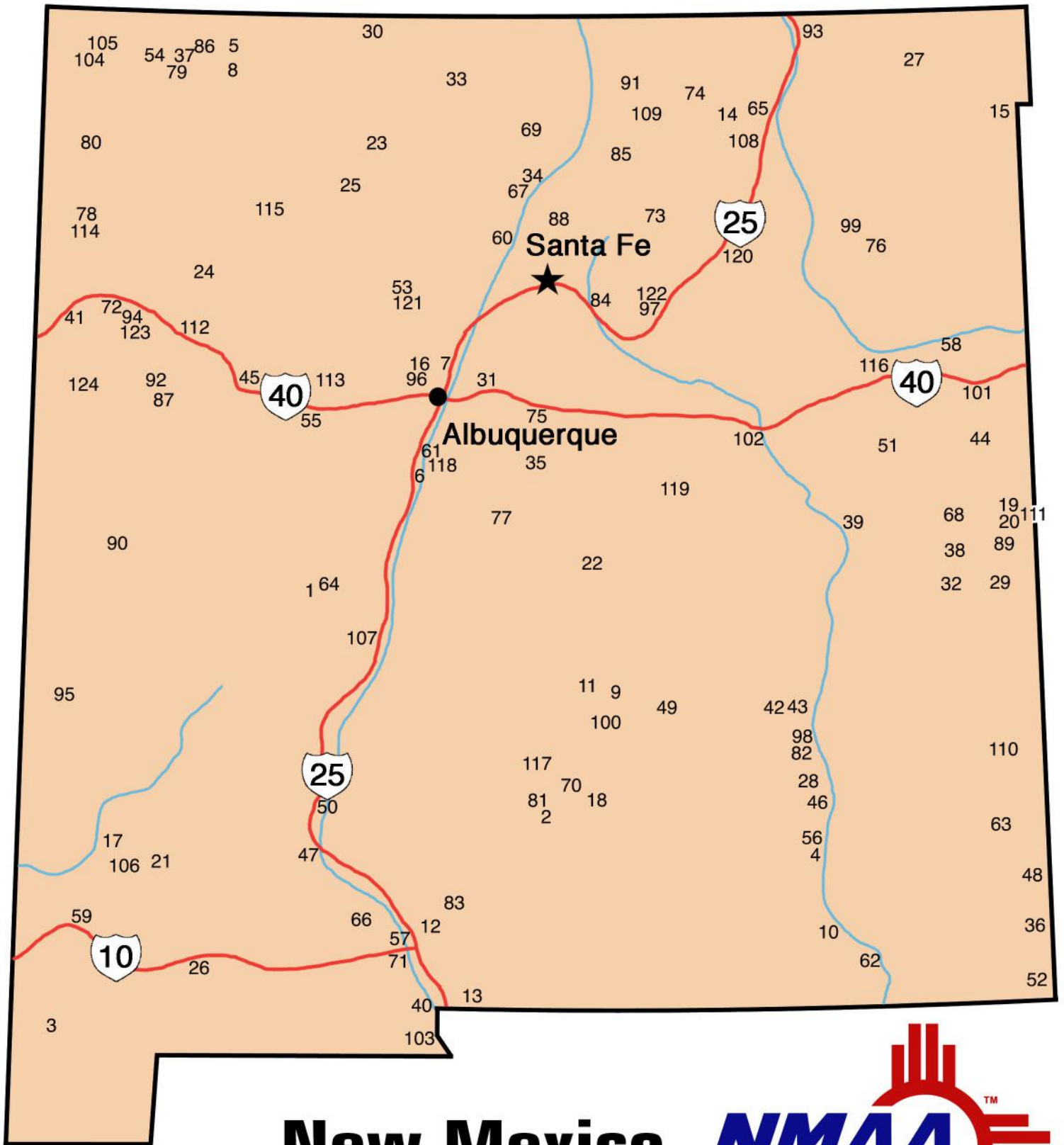
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La Cueva  
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1 Alamo Navajo  
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4 Artesia  
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6 Belen  
7 Bernalillo  
8 Bloomfield  
9 Capitan  
10 Carlsbad  
11 Carrizozo  
12 Centennial  
13 Chaparral  
14 Cimarron  
15 Clayton  
16 Cleveland  
17 Cliff  
18 Cloudcroft  
19 Clovis  
20 Clovis Christian

21 Cobre  
22 Corona  
23 Coronado  
24 Crownpoint  
25 Cuba  
26 Deming  
27 Des Moines  
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31 East Mountain  
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87 Pine Hill  
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89 Portales  
90 Quemado  
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92 Ramah  
93 Raton  
94 Rehoboth Christian  
95 Reserve  
96 Rio Rancho  
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99 Roy  
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102 Santa Rosa  
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# State Championship Schedule

DATE	TIME	SITE	EVENT
Thurs., May 27	11:00 am	Rio Rancho Events Center	Weigh-ins
	11:00 am	Rio Rancho Events Center	Doors Open to Spectators
	12:00 pm	Rio Rancho Events Center	<b>Session I</b> 4A Championship Rd. 1 (12:00-12:45) 4A Championship Quarterfinals (12:45-1:45) 4A Consolation Rd. 2 (1:45-2:30) <b>Break (2:30-3:00)</b>
Thurs., May 27	3:00 pm	Rio Rancho Events Center	<b>Session II</b> 3A Championship Semis (3:00-4:30) 4A Championship Semis (3:00-4:30) 4A Consolation Rd. 3 (3:00-4:15) 4A Consolation Semis (4:30-5:15) <b>Break (5:15-5:30)</b>
Thurs., May 27	5:30 pm	Rio Rancho Events Center	<b>Session III – Medal Matches</b> 3A 1st/3rd Place (5:30-7:00) 4A 1st/3rd Place (5:30-7:00)
Sat., May 29	11:00 am	Rio Rancho Events Center	Weigh-ins
	11:00 am	Rio Rancho Events Center	Doors Open to Spectators
	12:00 pm	Rio Rancho Events Center	<b>Session I</b> 5A Championship Rd. 1 (12:00-12:45) 5A Championship Quarterfinals (12:45-2:00) Girls Championship Quarterfinals (12:45-2:15) 5A Consolation Rd. 2 (2:00-3:00) <b>Break (3:00-3:15)</b>
Sat, May 29	3:15 pm	Rio Rancho Events Center	<b>Session II</b> 5A Championship Semis (3:15-4:45) 5A Consolation Rd. 3 (3:15-5:00) Girls Championship Semis (3:15-4:15) Girls Consolation Rd. 1 (3:15-4:45) 5A Consolation Semis (5:00-5:45) Girls Consolation Semis (5:00-5:45) <b>Break (5:45-6:00)</b>
Sat., May 29	6:00 pm	Rio Rancho Events Center	<b>Session III – Medal Matches</b> Girls 1st/3rd Place (6:00-7:30) 5A 1st/3rd Place (6:00-7:30)

*Note: All times (in brackets) are tentative.*



# Wrestling State Qualifiers

Wt. Cl.	Name	School	Yr.	Wt. Cl.	Name	School	Yr.
4A 113	Jackson Rodgers	Academy	Sr.	4A 126	Noe Rivas	Bernalillo	Jr.
4A 120	Allen Potts	Academy	Fr.	4A 145	Joaquin Mares	Bernalillo	Jr.
4A 126	Alex Coker	Academy	So.	4A 195	George Griego	Bernalillo	Sr.
4A 132	Sam Budagher	Academy	Jr.	Girls 120	Lilyanna Griego	Bernalillo	So.
4A 152	Simon Lane	Academy	Fr.	Girls 160	Yaracely Saenz	Bernalillo	Jr.
4A 160	Dalton Lee	Academy	Fr.				
4A 170	John Cartwright	Academy	Fr.	4A 106	Elias Johnson	Bloomfield	8th
4A 195	Clark Hager	Academy	Jr.	4A 113	Gabe Horton	Bloomfield	Jr.
4A 220	Michael Hulett	Academy	So.	4A 120	Adan Benavidez	Bloomfield	So.
4A 285	Brodi Whitaker	Academy	Fr.	4A 126	Matthais DeHerrera	Bloomfield	Jr.
Girls 100	Maile Maldonado	Academy	8th	4A 132	Markus DeHerrera	Bloomfield	Jr.
Girls 132	Melinda Modisette	Academy	Sr.	4A 138	Ayden Reinhardt	Bloomfield	Sr.
				4A 145	Diego Snell-Martinez	Bloomfield	Jr.
5A 106	Estevan Gomez	Atrisco Heritage	Jr.	4A 152	Sam Eveland	Bloomfield	So.
5A 113	Anastacio Martinez	Atrisco Heritage	Fr.	4A 160	J Gutierrez	Bloomfield	Fr.
5A 120	Joshua Sadler	Atrisco Heritage	Jr.	4A 170	Caedyn Kinslow	Bloomfield	So.
5A 132	Santiago Lopez	Atrisco Heritage	Jr.	4A 182	Steven Gallegos	Bloomfield	8th
5A 145	Emilio Cordova	Atrisco Heritage	Sr.	4A 195	Augustine Aguilar	Bloomfield	So.
5A 152	Sergio Molina	Atrisco Heritage	Jr.	4A 220	Leilynd Yazzie	Bloomfield	Jr.
5A 160	Johnathan Casaus	Atrisco Heritage	So.	4A 285	Robert Williams	Bloomfield	Fr.
5A 170	Jacob Vialpando	Atrisco Heritage	Jr.				
Girls 113	Santii Santiago	Atrisco Heritage	Sr.	5A 106	Sevastian Madrid	Capital	Fr.
Girls 145	Maile Ruiz	Atrisco Heritage	Sr.	5A 120	Roman Ulibarri	Capital	Jr.
Girls 160	Priscilla Gonzalez	Atrisco Heritage	Jr.	5A 195	Andres Alvarado	Capital	Sr.
				5A 220	Julian Sanchez	Capital	Sr.
4A 106	Bryson Valdez	Aztec	Fr.				
4A 113	Talan Olguin	Aztec	Fr.	5A 106	Marcus Najera	Carlsbad	So.
4A 120	Jaren McBride	Aztec	Sr.	5A 113	Aiden Rodriguez	Carlsbad	8th
4A 126	Zach Sanders	Aztec	8th	5A 120	Dallas Dunn	Carlsbad	Jr.
4A 132	Sammy Minton	Aztec	Sr.	5A 126	Logan Romero	Carlsbad	Jr.
4A 145	Tony Thompson	Aztec	Fr.	5A 132	Luke Waters	Carlsbad	So.
4A 152	Hunter Riddick	Aztec	Sr.	5A 138	Matthew Najera	Carlsbad	Jr.
4A 160	Logan Barboa	Aztec	Fr.	5A 170	Trystan Rogers	Carlsbad	Sr.
4A 170	John Villarrial	Aztec	So.	5A 182	Jacob Fuentes	Carlsbad	Jr.
4A 182	Malcolm Altisi	Aztec	Sr.	Girls 100	Rosalia Rubio	Carlsbad	Fr.
4A 195	Jacob Greyeyes	Aztec	So.				
4A 220	Brody Dalton	Aztec	Jr.	5A 113	Xavier Salaiz	Centennial	Jr.
4A 285	Caleb Varzeas	Aztec	Sr.	5A 138	Tye Barker	Centennial	So.
Girls 126	Makayla Munoz	Aztec	So.	Girls 126	Adriana Gutierrez	Centennial	Sr.
Girls 145	Princess Altisi	Aztec	Jr.	Girls 160	Amya Aguilera	Centennial	So.
Girls 160	Brynn Kirby	Aztec	Jr.				
				4A 106	Sebastian Chavez	Chaparral	Jr.
4A 106	Marcus Rimorin	Belen	So.	Girls 106	Karla Garcia	Chaparral	So.
4A 113	Julian Sisneros	Belen	Jr.				
4A 120	Josiah Pemble	Belen	Jr.	5A 126	Layne Kohn	Cibola	Sr.
4A 126	Peter Duran	Belen	Jr.	5A 132	Joshua George	Cibola	So.
4A 132	Diego Avila	Belen	Fr.	5A 138	Adin Sanchez	Cibola	Sr.
4A 138	Ely Gutierrez	Belen	So.	5A 145	Aaron Lockey	Cibola	Sr.
4A 145	Damien Wood	Belen	So.	5A 182	Levi Gustafson	Cibola	Sr.
4A 152	Coleton Gonzalez	Belen	Sr.	5A 220	Brandon Asi	Cibola	Jr.
4A 160	Gabriel Tharnish	Belen	Jr.	Girls 160	Alexa Valdez	Cibola	Jr.
4A 170	Issiah Lopez	Belen	Sr.				
4A 182	Bobby Orona	Belen	So.	5A 106	Damian Lucero	Cleveland	Sr.
4A 195	Jesse Silva	Belen	Jr.	5A 120	Matthew Dixon	Cleveland	So.
4A 220	Tregg Johnson	Belen	Jr.	5A 126	Garrett Keene	Cleveland	Sr.
4A 285	Sotero Maestas	Belen	Sr.	5A 132	Tyler Gabaldon	Cleveland	Sr.
Girls 220	Serena Saiz	Belen	Sr.	5A 138	Joe Coon	Cleveland	Fr.





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Wt. Cl.	Name	School	Yr.	Wt. Cl.	Name	School	Yr.
5A 145	Julian Rojas	Cleveland	Jr.	5A 195	Ezequiel Borunda	Farmington	Jr.
5A 152	Damien Bachicha	Cleveland	Jr.	5A 220	Victor Borunda	Farmington	Jr.
5A 160	Xzavier Romero-Trujillo	Cleveland	Sr.	5A 285	Kioni Benally	Farmington	Jr.
5A 170	Josh Coon	Cleveland	Jr.				
5A 182	Joshua Perry	Cleveland	So.	5A 132	Anthony Alvarez	Gadsden	So.
5A 195	Kymani Castillo	Cleveland	Jr.	5A 145	Rocky Mendoza	Gadsden	Sr.
5A 220	Tiger Munoz	Cleveland	Sr.	5A 152	Anthony Gonzalez	Gadsden	Jr.
5A 285	John Taylor	Cleveland	Sr.	5A 160	Ivan Escajeda	Gadsden	Sr.
Girls 126	Amanda Smith	Cleveland	Sr.	5A 170	Jose Hernandez	Gadsden	Jr.
Girls 132	Gianna Coon	Cleveland	8th	5A 182	Thomas Herrera	Gadsden	So.
				5A 285	Aaron Orozco	Gadsden	Sr.
3A 106	John Roybal	Cobre	Fr.				
3A 120	Isaiah Marquez	Cobre	Sr.	4A 120	Joseph Baca	Gallup	Sr.
3A 138	Niko Trujillo	Cobre	Fr.	4A 132	Jacob Duncan	Gallup	So.
3A 145	Esteban Molina	Cobre	Sr.	4A 138	Josiah Carl	Gallup	Fr.
3A 160	Ishya Delatorre	Cobre	Sr.	4A 160	Johnathan Romero	Gallup	Sr.
3A 182	Alex Holguin	Cobre	Sr.	4A 220	Shawn Gomez	Gallup	Jr.
3A 220	Arthur Quintana	Cobre	Jr.				
3A 285	Aiden Quintana	Cobre	So.	4A 145	Garrett Langley	Goddard	Fr.
				4A 152	Julian Morando	Goddard	Jr.
4A 106	Kenneth Estrada	Del Norte	Fr.	4A 160	Hector Salvarrey	Goddard	So.
4A 138	James Norman	Del Norte	Sr.	4A 170	Aidan Werts	Goddard	So.
4A 160	Angelo Maechtien	Del Norte	So.	4A 182	Pablo Zaragoza	Goddard	Jr.
4A 170	Xander Griffin	Del Norte	Jr.	4A 195	Julio Flores	Goddard	Sr.
4A 182	Estevan Sierra	Del Norte	Jr.	4A 285	Devin Spicer-Lucero	Goddard	So.
4A 220	Porter Shaw	Del Norte	Jr.	Girls 113	Esmeralda Meraz	Goddard	8th
				Girls 145	Kylee Sisneros	Goddard	8th
5A 106	Miguel Pena	Deming	Jr.				
5A 113	Xavier Almanza	Deming	Fr.	Girls 182	Tristian Martinez	Grants	Sr.
5A 120	Michael Farano	Deming	Jr.				
5A 126	Ernesto Triste	Deming	Fr.	4A 113	Daniel Guerra	Highland	So.
5A 145	Rocco Farano	Deming	So.	4A 126	Adan Sanchez	Highland	So.
5A 220	Anthony Carter	Deming	Jr.	4A 160	Joel Salazar	Highland	So.
Girls 113	Laila Hussein	Deming	Jr.	4A 170	Xhane Williams	Highland	Fr.
Girls 120	Savanna Noriega	Deming	Fr.	4A 195	Abraham Lopez	Highland	Jr.
				4A 285	Diego Torres	Highland	Jr.
5A 126	Deshawn Geather	Eldorado	Jr.	Girls 132	Tanya Aquirre	Highland	Fr.
5A 182	Armino Otero	Eldorado	Jr.	Girls 145	Myra Ortega	Highland	Fr.
				Girls 160	Hope Bryant	Highland	Jr.
4A 106	Devin Atencio	Española Valley	Sr.	Girls 220	Ariana Galindo	Highland	Jr.
4A 113	Landon Atencio	Española Valley	So.				
4A 126	Cruz Sandoval	Española Valley	Fr.	5A 106	Manny Slate	Hobbs	8th
4A 132	Simon Montoya	Española Valley	Sr.	5A 132	Brayden Strickland	Hobbs	Sr.
4A 138	Kevin Coffeen	Española Valley	Fr.	5A 138	Kendall Herbst	Hobbs	So.
4A 145	Kyle Coffeen	Española Valley	So.	5A 145	Cameron Hernandez	Hobbs	Fr.
4A 152	Noah Maez	Española Valley	Fr.	5A 152	Alex Meyer	Hobbs	Jr.
4A 195	Aaron Altamirano	Española Valley	Sr.	5A 160	Caleb Hedrick	Hobbs	Sr.
4A 285	Adrian Padilla	Española Valley	Jr.	5A 195	Rene Pages	Hobbs	So.
				5A 220	Cutter Fink	Hobbs	Sr.
5A 106	Trevon Lee	Farmington	Sr.	5A 285	Carter Johnson	Hobbs	Sr.
5A 113	Julian Juarez	Farmington	So.	Girls 160	Ja`Nay Banks	Hobbs	Jr.
5A 132	Taeoma Frank	Farmington	Sr.				
5A 138	Chance Carrillo	Farmington	Jr.	4A 126	David Iturralde	Kirtland Central	Sr.
5A 145	Daxton Allison	Farmington	So.	4A 138	Nathan Tom	Kirtland Central	8th
5A 160	Ivan Smith	Farmington	So.	4A 145	Quade Silago	Kirtland Central	So.
5A 170	Tyler Savell	Farmington	Sr.	4A 152	Kyler Joe	Kirtland Central	So.
5A 182	Zackary Small	Farmington	Sr.	4A 170	Tyler Huttinga	Kirtland Central	Sr.



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Wt. Cl.	Name	School	Yr.	Wt. Cl.	Name	School	Yr.
4A 182	Byron Gibbs	Kirtland Central	Sr.	5A 195	Andrew Romero	Los Lunas	Fr.
4A 220	Skyler Bailey	Kirtland Central	Jr.	5A 220	Filomeno Fliss	Los Lunas	Jr.
4A 285	Ben Decker	Kirtland Central	So.	5A 285	Zach Doyle	Los Lunas	Sr.
Girls 160	Angelicia Deschillie	Kirtland Central	So.	Girls 100	Kiyah Padilla	Los Lunas	So.
Girls 220	Jojera Dodge	Kirtland Central	Jr.	Girls 126	Julianna Lucero	Los Lunas	Jr.
5A 106	Nathan Silva	La Cueva	Fr.	5A 106	Josh Nieto	Manzano	Fr.
5A 126	Joseph Garcia	La Cueva	So.	5A 120	Francisco Trujillo	Manzano	Sr.
5A 132	Diego Herrera	La Cueva	So.	5A 152	Kris Clark	Manzano	Sr.
5A 152	Jayden Luttrell	La Cueva	Jr.	5A 160	Daniel Montano	Manzano	Sr.
5A 160	Tyler Ek	La Cueva	Jr.	5A 170	Ryan Cronrath	Manzano	Sr.
5A 170	James Silva	La Cueva	Jr.	5A 285	Dylan Langhoff	Manzano	Jr.
5A 195	Hunter Haemker	La Cueva	Jr.	Girls 132	Brianna Johnson	Manzano	Sr.
5A 285	Edgar Cuvas	La Cueva	Jr.	Girls 145	Breanna Samora	Manzano	So.
Girls 126	Nicole Woisin	La Cueva	Jr.	5A 126	Chase Kaufman	Mayfield	8th
5A 113	Zavier Udero	Las Cruces	Fr.	5A 195	Elijah Ortiz	Mayfield	Sr.
5A 120	Aden Martinez	Las Cruces	Fr.	5A 285	Canaan Bower	Mayfield	Sr.
5A 126	Avery Atma	Las Cruces	Jr.	Girls 126	Valeria Garcia Aguirre	Mayfield	So.
5A 132	Christopher Ochoa	Las Cruces	Jr.	Girls 132	Cassidy Sanchez	Mayfield	So.
5A 138	Justin Abeyta	Las Cruces	Sr.	Girls 182	Franki Buenrostre	Mayfield	Fr.
5A 145	Elijah Ogas	Las Cruces	Jr.	4A 106	Rhys Sellers	Miyamura	Jr.
5A 152	Ryan Baca	Las Cruces	So.	4A 113	George Piestewa	Miyamura	Jr.
5A 160	Omar Chairez	Las Cruces	Jr.	4A 120	Hunter Gonzales	Miyamura	So.
5A 170	Isaiah Carreon	Las Cruces	Jr.	4A 126	Seanmattew Garcia	Miyamura	Sr.
5A 182	Matt Franco	Las Cruces	Jr.	4A 132	Aiden Morales	Miyamura	Jr.
5A 220	Kash Alley	Las Cruces	Fr.	4A 138	Jacob Fernandez	Miyamura	Sr.
Girls 100	Alyssa Sedillo	Las Cruces	8th	4A 145	Dale Livingston	Miyamura	Sr.
Girls 106	Heavynne Robles-Wright	Las Cruces	Jr.	4A 152	Ethan Jaramillo	Miyamura	So.
Girls 120	Emma Ronga	Las Cruces	So.	4A 160	Chandler Whitman	Miyamura	So.
4A 113	Ben Gellis	Los Alamos	Jr.	4A 170	Kaine Lee	Miyamura	Jr.
4A 120	Marcos Chacon	Los Alamos	So.	4A 182	Sean Tafoya	Miyamura	Jr.
4A 126	Jose Marquez	Los Alamos	Fr.	4A 195	Christian Ortiz	Miyamura	So.
4A 132	Devin Corwon	Los Alamos	Jr.	4A 220	Dominic Gutierrez	Miyamura	Sr.
4A 138	Damian Gonzales	Los Alamos	Sr.	Girls 100	Lorianna Piestewa	Miyamura	Fr.
4A 145	Alex Chavez	Los Alamos	Jr.	Girls 120	Taniel Espinosa	Miyamura	So.
4A 152	Blair Jackson	Los Alamos	Fr.	Girls 132	Yele Aycock	Miyamura	Sr.
4A 160	Damian Martinez	Los Alamos	Jr.	4A 106	Bruno Vaquera	Moriarty	Fr.
4A 170	Joseph Archuleta	Los Alamos	Jr.	4A 113	Branden Fowner	Moriarty	Sr.
4A 182	Mateo Martinez	Los Alamos	Sr.	4A 126	David Vaquera	Moriarty	Jr.
4A 195	Teke Nieto	Los Alamos	So.	4A 132	Jonathan Valdez	Moriarty	Fr.
Girls 106	Wendy Sheppard	Los Alamos	8th	4A 160	Victor Acosta	Moriarty	So.
Girls 113	Xylin Patterson	Los Alamos	8th	4A 170	Royal Page	Moriarty	So.
Girls 132	Aspen Deherrera	Los Alamos	Sr.	4A 182	Anthony Crespin	Moriarty	Fr.
5A 106	Noah Gurule	Los Lunas	Fr.	4A 220	Asaiah Kamplain	Moriarty	Jr.
5A 113	Aaron Zamora	Los Lunas	So.	4A 285	Nicholas Sanders	Moriarty	Sr.
5A 120	Ernie Gonzales	Los Lunas	Fr.	Girls 100	Jolie Chavez	Moriarty	So.
5A 126	Jonathan Gurule	Los Lunas	Sr.	Girls 113	Joan Kirkbride	Moriarty	Fr.
5A 132	Isaiah Baca	Los Lunas	Jr.	Girls 126	Caia Kamplain	Moriarty	Sr.
5A 138	Naithan Gurule	Los Lunas	Jr.	Girls 132	Molly Apodaca	Moriarty	So.
5A 145	Gavyn Fredrickson	Los Lunas	Jr.	Girls 145	Cora Zeisloft	Moriarty	So.
5A 152	Miguel Andrade	Los Lunas	So.	3A 132	Logan Curly	Newcomb	Jr.
5A 160	Jonathan Trujillo	Los Lunas	Fr.	3A 152	Brandon Begay	Newcomb	Jr.
5A 170	Mathew Gurule	Los Lunas	Sr.	Girls 182	Lilah Yazzie	Newcomb	Jr.
5A 182	Zander Doyle	Los Lunas	Jr.				





# Wrestling State Qualifiers

Wt. Cl.	Name	School	Yr.	Wt. Cl.	Name	School	Yr.
5A 285	Sal Ronquillo	Oñate	Jr.	4A 138	Bradly Belcher	Ruidoso	So.
3A 126	Derrick Romero	Pecos	Sr.	5A 120	Joshua Robinson	Sandia	Jr.
3A 195	Derik Ortiz	Pecos	Jr.	5A 145	Mateo Vargas	Sandia	Jr.
				5A 182	John Caleb	Sandia	Sr.
5A 113	Julian Jaramillo	Piedra Vista	Jr.	5A 113	Izaak Martinez	Santa Fe	Sr.
5A 120	Dominic Duran	Piedra Vista	Sr.	5A 126	Jeremiah Padilla	Santa Fe	So.
5A 126	Zander Bahri	Piedra Vista	So.	5A 132	Miguel Padilla	Santa Fe	Sr.
5A 138	Reed McCarty	Piedra Vista	Fr.	5A 138	Angelo Padilla	Santa Fe	Sr.
5A 152	Justin Antonio Delgado	Piedra Vista	Sr.	5A 145	Abran Mendiola	Santa Fe	Sr.
5A 182	Kyle Baker	Piedra Vista	Sr.	5A 170	Martell Mora	Santa Fe	Jr.
5A 195	Noah Valencia	Piedra Vista	So.	5A 182	Elijah Martinez	Santa Fe	Jr.
5A 220	Shane McCoy	Piedra Vista	Sr.	5A 195	Adan Chavez	Santa Fe	Jr.
5A 285	Gage Sanchez	Piedra Vista	Sr.				
4A 132	Sergio Mesa	Pojoaque Valley	Sr.	4A 220	Cudia Tihe	Shiprock	So.
4A 138	Ubaldo Garcia	Pojoaque Valley	So.	4A 285	Jaylon Begay	Shiprock	So.
4A 152	Diego Wheeler	Pojoaque Valley	So.				
5A 195	Tyler Chavez	Rio Grande	Sr.	4A 106	Diego Lucero	Silver	Fr.
				4A 113	Gabriel Galindo	Silver	Jr.
5A 106	Marcus Williams	Rio Rancho	Fr.	4A 120	Brendon Olsen	Silver	Jr.
5A 113	Roberto Cordova	Rio Rancho	Jr.	4A 126	Daniel Jacquez	Silver	Sr.
5A 120	Andres Jiron	Rio Rancho	Jr.	4A 132	Adyn Bostick	Silver	8th
5A 132	Luke Sikes	Rio Rancho	Sr.	4A 138	Landon Sandoval	Silver	Fr.
5A 138	Ventura Velasquez	Rio Rancho	Fr.	4A 145	Reuben Holguin	Silver	So.
5A 145	Jasper Pennington	Rio Rancho	Sr.	4A 152	Jesus Tafoya	Silver	Sr.
5A 152	Gabriel Keith	Rio Rancho	Sr.	4A 160	Gavin Aguirre	Silver	So.
5A 160	Elijah Pineau	Rio Rancho	Jr.	4A 182	Mason Lockett	Silver	So.
5A 170	Christopher Montoya	Rio Rancho	So.	4A 195	Jacob Halbison	Silver	So.
5A 182	Gage Victor	Rio Rancho	Jr.	4A 220	Rene Bostick	Silver	Fr.
5A 195	Darrius Gregory	Rio Rancho	Sr.	4A 285	Jacobi Lockett	Silver	Sr.
5A 220	Gage Dain	Rio Rancho	Jr.	Girls 113	Alexis Alvarado	Silver	Jr.
5A 285	Riley Butt	Rio Rancho	Sr.				
Girls 182	Marisa Cerrillo	Rio Rancho	So.	3A 106	Terrell Padilla	Socorro	8th
				3A 113	Isaiah Ocampo	Socorro	8th
3A 106	Daniel Trujillo	Robertson	Fr.	3A 120	Angel Perez	Socorro	Fr.
3A 113	James Montoya	Robertson	Fr.	3A 126	Joel Partridge III	Socorro	Jr.
3A 126	Noah Ortiz	Robertson	So.	3A 132	Brian Armijo	Socorro	So.
3A 132	Eduardo Mello	Robertson	So.	3A 138	Jordan Armijo	Socorro	Jr.
3A 138	Charles Ortiz	Robertson	Sr.	3A 145	Sean McNeil	Socorro	Jr.
3A 145	Ezra Montoya	Robertson	So.	3A 152	Ayden Lewis	Socorro	Sr.
3A 152	Andres Grano	Robertson	Sr.	3A 182	Orion Rottman	Socorro	Jr.
3A 160	Adrian Rivera	Robertson	So.	3A 195	Caden Moreland	Socorro	So.
3A 170	Cesar Hernandez	Robertson	Jr.	3A 220	David Gutierrez Jr.	Socorro	8th
3A 182	Francisco Venegas	Robertson	Fr.	3A 285	Nathaniel Nunez	Socorro	So.
3A 195	Joel Fuentes	Robertson	Sr.	Girls 106	Jada Castillo	Socorro	Fr.
				Girls 120	Sasha Gonzalez	Socorro	8th
5A 152	Kelvin Alarcon	Roswell	So.	Girls 126	Chailynn Amaro	Socorro	Jr.
5A 160	Kayden Graham	Roswell	Sr.	Girls 145	Shaydan Castillo	Socorro	Jr.
5A 170	Gustavo Arreola	Roswell	Sr.				
5A 195	Moises Rodriguez	Roswell	Jr.	4A 120	Oliver Wyckoff	St. Pius X	Fr.
5A 220	Zack Buckmister	Roswell	Sr.	4A 138	Benjamin Bustamate	St. Pius X	Jr.
Girls 106	Meriah. Martin	Roswell	So.	4A 145	Ulban Aragon	St. Pius X	Sr.
Girls 220	Dakota Stuck	Roswell	Jr.	4A 152	Jaren Robins	St. Pius X	Jr.
4A 132	Dylan Morgan	Ruidoso	Sr.	3A 120	Santiago Duran	St. Michaels	Jr.
				3A 152	Josh Wojahn	St. Michaels	Jr.




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Wt. Cl.	Name	School	Yr.	Wt. Cl.	Name	School	Yr.
3A 160	Daymon Lujan	St. Michaels	Jr.	5A 160	Johnny Herrera	Volcano Vista	Sr.
3A 170	Abel Martinez	St. Michaels	Jr.	5A 220	Parker Norman	Volcano Vista	Jr.
3A 220	Santiago Martinez	St. Michaels	Sr.	5A 285	Matt Maldonado	Volcano Vista	Jr.
3A 285	Dillon Pacheco	St. Michaels	So.	Girls 100	Ariel Vigil	Volcano Vista	Jr.
Girls 106	Libni Hernandez	Tierra Encantada	8th	Girls 106	Julianna Candelaria	Volcano Vista	So.
3A 113	Isaiah Garcia	Tucumcari	Fr.	Girls 120	Tanessa Torres	Volcano Vista	So.
3A 132	Charles Prieto	Tucumcari	Jr.	Girls 145	Maddi Baca	Volcano Vista	Sr.
3A 182	Zxander Garcia	Tucumcari	So.	3A 106	Nico Ulibarri	West Las Vegas	8th
3A 220	Dyson Clark	Tucumcari	Sr.	3A 113	Cruz Martinez	West Las Vegas	8th
Girls 120	Sarah Vallejo	Tucumcari	Fr.	3A 120	Jarrod Baca	West Las Vegas	Sr.
Girls 182	Mikayla Klinger	Tucumcari	8th	3A 126	Romulus Padilla	West Las Vegas	Jr.
4A 106	Zaryah Muller	Valencia	So.	3A 138	Julius Martinez	West Las Vegas	Jr.
4A 113	Jake Farley	Valencia	Jr.	3A 145	Damian Gutierrez	West Las Vegas	Sr.
4A 120	Richard Madrid	Valencia	Fr.	3A 160	Tristen Martinez	West Las Vegas	Jr.
4A 145	Jacob Raley	Valencia	So.	3A 170	Eric Gallegos	West Las Vegas	Sr.
4A 170	Manuel Estrada	Valencia	Sr.	3A 195	Josh Griego	West Las Vegas	Jr.
4A 182	Jeremiah Garcia	Valencia	Fr.	3A 285	Juan Montano	West Las Vegas	So.
4A 195	Elijah Duran	Valencia	Fr.	5A 113	Savino Delossantos	West Mesa	Sr.
4A 220	Omar Estrada	Valencia	Fr.	5A 138	Elliot Brownell	West Mesa	Jr.
4A 285	Jacob Smith	Valencia	Jr.	Girls 100	Arianna Morales	West Mesa	Jr.
Girls 113	Angelina Carillo	Valley	Fr.	Girls 106	Aliyah Chavez	West Mesa	Fr.
5A 106	Anthony Lopez	Volcano Vista	Fr.	Girls 113	Natalia Garcia	West Mesa	Jr.
5A 113	Jonathan Garcia	Volcano Vista	Jr.	Girls 120	Bianca Retana	West Mesa	Sr.
5A 120	Moses Santiago	Volcano Vista	Sr.	Girls 220	Neida Nevarez	West Mesa	Sr.
5A 126	Noah Jones	Volcano Vista	So.				
5A 152	Conner Cole	Volcano Vista	Fr.				

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Mike Enright, Albuquerque  
Kirk Hudson, Albuquerque  
Michael Scott Owen, Carlsbad  
Anthony Romero, Los Lunas  
Al Salazar, Santa Fe  
Herb Stinson, Aztec  
Joe Vivian, Albuquerque

## 2005

Charlie Dotson, Albuquerque  
Scott Evans, Albuquerque  
Harold Harrison, Las Cruces  
Jim Ottmann, Albuquerque  
Eric Scott Owen, Albuquerque/Carlsbad  
Bo Wade, Albuquerque

## 2006

Joe Herrera, Albuquerque  
Mike Lujan, Santa Fe  
Vic Romero, Albuquerque  
Herb Stanley, Albuquerque  
Tom Torres, Los Lunas  
Steve Yarbrough, Corrales  
Doug Zembiec, Albuquerque

## 2007

Sam CdeBaca, Albuquerque  
Tony Gallegos, Albuquerque  
John O'Connor, Albuquerque  
Jerry Parker, Aztec  
Gary Rushing, Albuquerque  
Art Simoni Sr., Albuquerque

## 2008

Joey Bracamonte, Albuquerque  
Rusty Davidson, Grants  
George Fredrick, Carlsbad  
George Form, Albuquerque  
Rick Ruscetti, Sandia  
Ruben Udero, Cobre

## 2009

Cip Esquibel, Albuquerque  
Roy Jean Johnson, Farmington  
Lenny Lovato, Albuquerque  
Lloyd Von Wolff, Las Cruces

## 2010

Don Owen, Carlsbad  
Troy Owen, Carlsbad  
Danny Samaniego, Carlsbad  
Jon Stoltzfus, Albuquerque

## 2011

Mannie Garcia, Albuquerque  
Dennis Lucero, Albuquerque/Las Vegas  
Javier Posa, Santa Fe  
Dan Sparago, Albuquerque

## 2012

Dennis Friedland, Albuquerque  
Allen Lyon, Farmington  
Ron Owen, Carlsbad  
David Stormo, Taos

## 2013

Art de la Cruz, Albuquerque  
Bob Kelly, Albuquerque  
Sam Sandoval, Albuquerque  
Mike Sullivan, Las Cruces

## 2014

Marvin Gray, Gallup  
Ron Maestas, Las Vegas  
Rodney Romero, Santa Fe

## 2015

Smokey Lyon, Farmington  
Jack O'Neil, Albuquerque  
Jason Tapia, Santa Fe

## 2016

Rick Ortega, Albuquerque  
Ron Jacobson, Owatonna, MN  
Mel Renfro, Albuquerque

## 2016 (cont)

David Romero, Albuquerque  
Paul Tapia, Alamogordo

## 2017

Jack Rushing, Albuquerque  
Jack Long, Albuquerque  
Dale Scott, Albuquerque  
Ray Luna, Albuquerque  
Lawrence MacErnie, Albuquerque  
Toby Tobiason, Albuquerque

## 2018

David Luna, Las Vegas  
Doug Moses, Las Vegas

## 2019

Steve Chavez, Los Lunas  
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# Last Year's Team, Individual Results

## A-3A BOYS TEAM RESULTS

Cobre 215.0, Robertson 176.5, West Las Vegas 131.0, Socorro 121.5, St. Michael's 73.0, Tucumcari 56.0, Wingate 35.0, Pecos 34.0, Foothill 33.0, Newcomb 30.0, Tierra Encantada 18.0

## A-3A BOYS INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

106 ...1st.....Gavin Placencio, Cobre  
 .....2nd.....Romulus Padilla, West Las Vegas  
 .....3rd.....Branden Martinez, Robertson  
 .....4th.....Christopher Ortiz, Pecos

113 ...1st.....Isaiah Marquez, Cobre  
 .....2nd.....Jarrod Baca, West Las Vegas  
 .....3rd.....Isaac Probst, Robertson  
 .....4th.....Angel Perez, Socorro

120 ...1st.....Nikolas Trujillo, Cobre  
 .....2nd.....Kaleb Medina, Robertson  
 .....3rd.....Ayden Lewis, Socorro  
 .....4th.....Charles Prieto, Tucumcari

126 ...1st.....Estepan Molina, Cobre  
 .....2nd.....Joel Partridge III, Socorro  
 .....3rd.....Izaiah Cunningham, Robertson  
 .....4th.....Damian Gutierrez, West Las Vegas

132 ...1st.....Ishya Delatorre, Cobre  
 .....2nd.....Joe Peterson, Foothill  
 .....3rd.....Verdell Curley, Newcomb  
 .....4th.....Cody Ramone, Wingate

138 ...1st.....Andres Grano, Robertson  
 .....2nd.....Izzy Jaurequi, Cobre  
 .....3rd.....Jeremy Gurule, Foothill  
 .....4th.....Julian Vargas, Tucumcari

145 ...1st.....Andrew Trujillo, Robertson  
 .....2nd.....Sean McNeil, Socorro  
 .....3rd.....Isaiah Deane, West Las Vegas  
 .....4th.....Daymon Lujan, St. Michael's

152 ...1st.....Alex Holguin, Cobre  
 .....2nd.....Jonathan Chavez, West Las Vegas  
 .....3rd.....Adrian Rivera, Robertson  
 .....4th.....Caden Moreland, Socorro

160 ...1st.....Arthur Quintana, Cobre  
 .....2nd.....Orion Rottman, Socorro  
 .....3rd.....Joshua Griego, West Las Vegas  
 .....4th.....Ezra Montoya, Robertson

170 ...1st.....Jaden Mifsud, St. Michael's  
 .....2nd.....Javier Cordova, West Las Vegas  
 .....3rd.....Cesar Hernandez, Robertson  
 .....4th.....Talon Ahasteen, Wingate

182 ...1st.....Mackenzie Ebell, Robertson  
 .....2nd.....Nicolas Gonzales, Socorro  
 .....3rd.....Colt Garcia, Tucumcari  
 .....4th.....Eric Gallegos, West Las Vegas

195 ...1st.....Derik Ortiz, Pecos  
 .....2nd.....Aiden Quintana, Cobre  
 .....3rd.....Estepan Marquez, Robertson  
 .....4th.....Eric Duran, West Las Vegas

220 ...1st.....Ian Jordison, Socorro  
 .....2nd.....Leon Vigil, Cobre  
 .....3rd.....Karim Perez, St. Michael's  
 .....4th.....Dyson Clark, Tucumcari

285 ...1st.....Santiago Martinez, St. Michael's  
 .....2nd.....Santiago Maness, Tierra Encantada  
 .....3rd.....Scott Ramirez, West Las Vegas  
 .....4th.....Noah Morris, Newcomb

## 4A BOYS TEAM RESULTS

Aztec 246.5, Los Lunas 215.0, Silver 180.0, Belen 141.5, Los Alamos 118.0, Moriarty 110.0, Miyamura 97.5, Bloomfield 88.0, Kirtland Central 85.0, Academy 81.0, Grants 61.5, Bernalillo 58.0, Valley 57.0, Del Norte 41.0, Espanola Valley 37.5, St. Pius X 37.0, Highland 31.0, Taos 31.0, Valencia 30.0, Gallup 26.0, Ruidoso 23.0, Shiprock 23.0, Goddard 13.0, Santa Teresa 12.0, Pojoaque Valley 4.0, Chaparral 0.0

## 4A BOYS INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

106 ...1st.....Bryson Valdez, Aztec  
 .....2nd.....Devin Atencio, Espanola Valley  
 .....3rd.....Adyn Bostick, Silver  
 .....4th.....Rhys Sellers, Miyamura  
 .....5th.....Isaiah Baca, Los Lunas  
 .....6th.....Jon Valdez, Moriarty

113 ...1st.....Jonathan Gurule, Los Lunas  
 .....2nd.....Adan Benavidez, Bloomfield  
 .....3rd.....Diego Avila, Belen  
 .....4th.....Vincent Marin, Silver  
 .....5th.....Ben Gellis, Los Alamos  
 .....6th.....Ryan Maes, Bernalillo

120 ...1st.....Matthew Sanchez, St. Pius X  
 .....2nd.....Brendon Olsen, Silver  
 .....3rd.....Seanmattew Garcia, Miyamura  
 .....4th.....Jaren McBride, Aztec  
 .....5th.....Matthais DeHerrera, Bloomfield  
 .....6th.....Clay Carrete, Valencia

126 ...1st.....Drake Guerrero, Miyamura  
 .....2nd.....Abran Lujan, Valley  
 .....3rd.....Dylan St. Vrain, Aztec  
 .....4th.....Andres Lopez, Moriarty  
 .....5th.....Dylan Fredrickson, Los Lunas  
 .....6th.....Santi Tafoya, Belen

132 ...1st.....Dylan Gonzales, Belen  
 .....2nd.....Damian Gonzales, Los Alamos  
 .....3rd.....Izaac Sandoval, Valley  
 .....4th.....Daniel Jacquez, Silver  
 .....5th.....Nathan Gurule, Los Lunas  
 .....6th.....Manuel Estrada, Valencia

138 ...1st.....Garrett Birzer, Aztec  
 .....2nd.....Landon Sandoval, Silver  
 .....3rd.....Damien Wood, Belen  
 .....4th.....Hayden Goodluck, Shiprock  
 .....5th.....Niko Torres, Los Lunas  
 .....6th.....Diego Snell-Martinez, Bloomfield

145 ...1st.....Bode Wooley, Aztec  
 .....2nd.....Mason Alley, Academy  
 .....3rd.....Martin Ammons, Belen  
 .....4th.....Dominic Baca, Los Lunas  
 .....5th.....Andrew Lopez, Valley  
 .....6th.....Jesus Tafoya, Silver

152 ...1st.....Zane Chapman, Aztec  
 .....2nd.....Miguel Andrade, Los Lunas  
 .....3rd.....Armando Valerio, Taos  
 .....4th.....Dallin Mangelson, Kirtland Central  
 .....5th.....Joaquin Mares, Bernalillo  
 .....6th.....Coleton Gonzalez, Belen

160 ...1st.....Malcolm Altisi, Aztec  
 .....2nd.....Sebastian Martin, Academy  
 .....3rd.....Johnathan Naef, Grants  
 .....4th.....Matthew Gurule, Los Lunas  
 .....5th.....Colton Ziesloft, Moriarty  
 .....6th.....Ryan McCormick, St. Pius X

170 ...1st.....Luke Teran, Bernalillo  
 .....2nd.....Anthony Ward, Miyamura  
 .....3rd.....Jordan Mattia, Grants  
 .....4th.....Teke Nieto, Los Alamos  
 .....5th.....Hunter Riddick, Aztec  
 .....6th.....Daniel Duarte, Bloomfield

182 ...1st.....Michael Aguirre, Silver  
 .....2nd.....Alfredo Castillo, Belen  
 .....3rd.....Robbie Potter, Academy  
 .....4th.....Logan Kiepac, Aztec  
 .....5th.....AJ Garcia, Bloomfield  
 .....6th.....Abraham Lopez, Highland

195 ...1st.....Santiago Salas, Los Lunas  
 .....2nd.....Bristan Lockett, Silver  
 .....3rd.....Mateo Martinez, Los Alamos  
 .....4th.....Makaio Espinoza, Grants  
 .....5th.....Asaiah Kamplain, Moriarty  
 .....6th.....Julio Flores, Goddard

220 ...1st.....Caleb Varzeas, Aztec  
 .....2nd.....Ian Thomas, Kirtland Central  
 .....3rd.....Zachary Doyle, Los Lunas  
 .....4th.....Shawn Gomez, Gallup  
 .....5th.....Milo Trujillo, Moriarty  
 .....6th.....Ty Nieto, Los Alamos

285 ...1st.....Coleton Radford, Del Norte  
 .....2nd.....Nicholas Sanders, Moriarty  
 .....3rd.....Jacobi Lockett, Silver  
 .....4th.....Leighthan Jensen, Kirtland Central  
 .....5th.....Walter Baca, Los Lunas  
 .....6th.....Dimitri Bullock, Los Alamos





# Last Year's Team, Individual Results

## 5A BOYS TEAM RESULTS

Piedra Vista 183.0, Carlsbad 170.5, Rio Rancho 163.5, Volcano Vista 147.5, Cleveland 146.0, Farmington 122.0, Atrisco Heritage 120.0, Manzano 113.0, Santa Fe 93.0, Las Cruces 83.0, Eldorado 62.0, Sandia 62.0, Deming 48.0, La Cueva 47.0, Capital 40.0, Cibola 37.0, Centennial 33.0, Gadsden 30.0, Hobbs 28.0, Roswell 27.0, Rio Grande 19.0, Mayfield 7.0, Alamogordo 6.0, Onate 3.0, Albuquerque 2.5, West Mesa 0.0

## 5A BOYS INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

106 ...1st .....Estevan Encinias, Cleveland  
 .....2nd .....Jonathan Garcia, Volcano Vista  
 .....3rd .....Marcus Williams, Rio Rancho  
 .....4th .....Dominic Duran, Piedra Vista  
 .....5th .....Marcus Najera, Carlsbad  
 .....6th .....Sergio Gutierrez, Rio Grande

113 ...1st .....Tristan Mascarenas, Cleveland  
 .....2nd .....Joshua Robinson, Sandia  
 .....3rd .....Moses Santiago, Volcano Vista  
 .....4th .....Roberto Cordova, Rio Rancho  
 .....5th .....Joshua Sadler, Atrisco Heritage  
 .....6th .....Dominiqu Martinez, Piedra Vista

120 ...1st .....Avery Alma, Las Cruces  
 .....2nd .....Tye Barker, Centennial  
 .....3rd .....Tyler Gabaldon, Cleveland  
 .....4th .....Dylan Justus, Manzano  
 .....5th .....Tyler Ramsted, Piedra Vista  
 .....6th .....Logan Romero, Carlsbad

126 ...1st .....Tim L:opez, Rio Rancho  
 .....2nd .....Taeoma Frank, Farmington  
 .....3rd .....Hawke Pacheco, Cibola  
 .....4th .....Demetrio Archuleta, Piedra Vista  
 .....5th .....Jasper Mares, Capital  
 .....6th .....Eric Fernandez, Las Cruces

132 ...1st .....Ezekiel Bejar, Piedra Vista  
 .....2nd .....Miguel Padilla, Santa Fe  
 .....3rd .....Alex Emmer, Rio Rancho  
 .....4th .....Brandon Padilla, Volcano Vista  
 .....5th .....Matthew Najera, Carlsbad  
 .....6th .....Alejandro Santizo, Las Cruces

138 ...1st .....Isaac Beltran, Santa Fe  
 .....2nd .....Emilio Cordova, Atrisco Heritage  
 .....3rd .....Anthony Fuentes, Carlsbad  
 .....4th .....Isaiah Hernandez, Manzano  
 .....5th .....Ventura Velasquez, Rio Rancho  
 .....6th .....Elijah Ogas, Las Cruces

145 ...1st .....David Graves, Las Cruces  
 .....2nd .....Johnny Herrera, Volcano Vista  
 .....3rd .....Zac Dallas, La Cueva  
 .....4th .....Gabriel Keith, Rio Rancho  
 .....5th .....Justin Antonio Delgado, Piedra Vista  
 .....6th .....Jacob Mendoza, Deming

152 ...1st .....Mason Box, Carlsbad  
 .....2nd .....Manuel Robles, Volcano Vista  
 .....3rd .....Jake Vialpando, Atrisco Heritage  
 .....4th .....Ryan Cronrath, Manzano  
 .....5th .....Kyle Baker, Piedra Vista  
 .....6th .....Christopher Montoya, Rio Rancho

160 ...1st .....Jesse Daniel Perez, Deming  
 .....2nd .....Justin Wood, Carlsbad  
 .....3rd .....Daniel Montano, Manzano  
 .....4th .....Jared Whittier, La Cueva  
 .....5th .....Ivan Smith, Farmington  
 .....6th .....Jayden Brown, Sandia

170 ...1st .....Cirral Allison, Farmington  
 .....2nd .....Xavier Salazar, Rio Rancho  
 .....3rd .....Jake Fuentes, Carlsbad  
 .....4th .....Jeremiah Perry, Volcano Vista  
 .....5th .....Joseph Archibeque, Piedra Vista  
 .....6th .....Hever Arreola, Gadsden

182 ...1st .....Zachary Small, Farmington  
 .....2nd .....Trystan Rogers, Carlsbad  
 .....3rd .....Elijah Martinez, Santa Fe  
 .....4th .....Kymani Castillo, Cleveland  
 .....5th .....Levi Gustafsun, Cibola  
 .....6th .....Arminio Otero, Eldorado

195 ...1st .....Diego Pavia, Volcano Vista  
 .....2nd .....Gabe Garcia, Cleveland  
 .....3rd .....Jonathan Jimenez, Gadsden  
 .....4th .....Jared Duenez, Carlsbad  
 .....5th .....T.J. Bell, Piedra Vista  
 .....6th .....Rylee Pennington, Hobbs

220 ...1st .....Jacob Telles, Sandia  
 .....2nd .....Eduardo Enriquez, Atrisco Heritage  
 .....3rd .....Jacob Bartley, Piedra Vista  
 .....4th .....Julian Sanchez, Capital  
 .....5th .....Ethan Jenkins, Cleveland  
 .....6th .....Joey Burke, Eldorado

285 ...1st .....Ernest Martinez, Atrisco Heritage  
 .....2nd .....Nathan Ellis, Eldorado  
 .....3rd .....Chris Valdez, Manzano  
 .....4th .....Gabriel Garcia, Roswell  
 .....5th .....Riley Butt, Rio Rancho  
 .....6th .....Gage Sanchez, Piedra Vista

**GIRLS TEAM RESULTS**  
 Miyamura 88.0, Atrisco Heritage 66.0, Aztec 66.0, Highalnd 43.0, Grants 40.0, Albuquerque 36.0, Sandia 29.0, West Mesa 29.0, Onate 27.5, Carlsbad 27.0, Bernalillo 25.0, Cleveland 24.5, Kirtland Central 24.0, Socorro 19.0, Ruidoso 18.0, Wingate 18.0, La Cueva 16.0, Volcano Vista 16.0, Belen 15.0, Newcomb 14.0, Hobbs 13.0, Gallup 10.0, Las Cruces 9.0, Taos 4.0, Farmington 3.0, Manzano 3.0, Rio Rancho 3.0, Tukumcari 3.0, Chaparral 1.0, Cibola 1.0,

Rio Grande 1.0, Centennial 0.0, Goddard 0.0, Los Alamos 0.0, Mayfield 0.0, Moriarty 0.0, Robertson 0.0, Silver 0.0

## GIRLS INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

100 ...1st .....Angelita Altamirano, Onate  
 .....2nd .....Lorianna Piestewa, Miyamura  
 .....3rd .....Beatrice Loving, Highland  
 .....4th .....Arianna Morales, West Mesa

106 ...1st .....Santi Santiago, Atrisco Heritage  
 .....2nd .....Naiomi Molina, Albuquerque  
 .....3rd .....Jada Castillo, Socorro  
 .....4th .....Auriana Lehner, Miyamura

113 ...1st .....Desirae Archuleta, Atrisco Heritage  
 .....2nd .....Melayna Patton, Wingate  
 .....3rd .....Cailean Romero, Belen  
 .....4th .....Heavynne Robles-Wright, Las Cruces

120 ...1st .....Mia Aguirre, Aztec  
 .....2nd .....Yalixza Gonzalez, Atrisco Heritage  
 .....3rd .....Tanessa Torres, Volcano Vista  
 .....4th .....Monet Stone, Sandia

126 ...1st .....Makayla Munoz, Aztec  
 .....2nd .....Amanda Smith, Cleveland  
 .....3rd .....Mia Contreras, Highland  
 .....4th .....Cady Box, Carlsbad

132 ...1st .....Yele Aycock, Miyamura  
 .....2nd .....Sharon Minnix, Ruidoso  
 .....3rd .....Nicole Woisin, La Cueva  
 .....4th .....Samantha Tuttle, Cleveland

145 ...1st .....Salvi Gallegos, Sandia  
 .....2nd .....Aylin Mijares, Bernalillo  
 .....3rd .....Katelyn Graham, Hobbs  
 .....4th .....Sarah Garcia, Highland

160 ...1st .....Princess Altisi, Aztec  
 .....2nd .....Nancy Rodriguez, Miyamura  
 .....3rd .....Kurstain Martinez, Grants  
 .....4th .....Yaracely Saenz, Bernalillo

182 ...1st .....Tristian Martinez, Grants  
 .....2nd .....Shandin Largo, Miyamura  
 .....3rd .....Lilah Yazzie, Newcomb  
 .....4th .....Kaitlyn Yazzie, Gallup

220 ...1st .....Jojera Dodge, Kirtland Central  
 .....2nd .....Annalease Barraza, Albuquerque  
 .....3rd .....Neida Nevarez, West Mesa  
 .....4th .....Gema Rubio, Carlsbad



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# Life Lessons Sports Teaches Us



Now more than ever, we are reminded how many life lessons can be taught by participating in sports. Coaches are teachers that can lead others in lessons such as how to stay positive, how to overcome adversity, how to work together for a common purpose, how to be resilient and how to be there for others. Achieving goals and overcoming obstacles can help teens persevere in uncertain times like these. Students can find a sense of belonging and accomplishment through individual sports and team dynamics.

Sports are symbolic of life. Life requires teamwork, discipline, resiliency, respect, compassion, and character. Sports can develop those skills to apply on the playing field and in their life.

We recently spoke with several different coaches from all over New Mexico, in a variety of sports, about the importance of sports and the lessons it can teach.

### COMMITMENT

For coaches, sports are an extension of the classroom. They encourage their athletes to always do their best on the field, in the classroom, and in life. Champions can be determined by their commitment to goals.

*"I remember a conversation with a former athlete of mine and they were contemplating dropping out of college. Then this person told me, 'Coach, I thought to myself that is not who I am. I never quit! I will fight to the end!' I was never more proud as a coach and, yes, he graduated!"* -Ryan Galindo, Carlsbad High School Tennis

### SELF-DISCIPLINE

Tough times don't last, but tough people do. It's a saying coaches are used to preaching. Get up when you get knocked

down. The self-discipline taught in sports allows a person to thrive in life with a work ethic to improve. Self-discipline spills over into every aspect of life and is a highly common trait among successful people.

*"For me, the example that resonates over and over is that of the kid with a less than optimal home life. A kid that doesn't have the nice clothes, fancy shoes, or even a car to drive to school. This specific kid has every excuse to 'not make it' and no one would judge him for that. Yet, he decides to get involved in sports and realizes that dreams can come true through hard work and determination. Through the experiences and lessons learned in sports, new things are possible and maybe even attainable with the right mindset. Goals can be reached regardless of where you begin. Success can be achieved at any level if the proper self-discipline and work ethic are put in place. This example happens very often. A player falls in love with a sport, a coach, or a program and it drastically changes their attitude towards life and propels them to seek a future that once wasn't an option for them. I guess this life lesson can be summed up in one word that sports can provide... HOPE. Players need HOPE."* -Heath Ridenour, Sue V. Cleveland High School Football

### MENTAL TOUGHNESS

Sports can teach a person to be strong in body and mind. Athletes learn to push their bodies beyond what they ever believed they could to achieve their goal. Whether it's in practice or competition, a person can learn to overcome adversity they may not have faced without sports.

*"The life-lesson I learned through volleyball came my Junior season in college when I tore my ACL & MCL during a spring workout. Volleyball was my life, my days revolved around the*



game and my teammates. I was devastated. However, through this injury and set back I learned what mental and physical toughness truly meant. My rehab took 9 months, many hours a day, was very painful and caused separation from my teammates. Nevertheless, it taught me so much about what I was really made of. The injury helped me develop a stronger faith in God, established new friends outside the game and led me to other passions as well as volleyball. I came back to the game stronger and a more complete player. I now use my injury every time a player in our program is injured...because, I lived it as well." -Kristen Scanlan, Texico High School Volleyball

### LEARNING TO WORK WITH OTHERS

Everyone doesn't come from the same place. Everyone has different skills and talents to contribute, but everyone has value. Athletes learn quickly that a team can achieve success when everyone contributes. Through collective hard work, kids learn to contribute to a greater good.

"I had a young lady from our program who authored 'How to Survive Piedra Vista Softball: A guide by the 2016 Varsity Team'. I opened it up and read it again and, as always, got choked up on some of the things the girls wrote." -Kevin Werth, Piedra Vista High School Softball

### SAMPLE FROM THE GUIDE

"I want everyone in this program to know the joy of a hard-fought win, and also learn how to be gracious in defeat. I want everyone in the program to understand that adversity is inevitable, but that doesn't mean you still can't kick its butt. I want everyone in the program to believe in themselves and each other." -Haley Parson

"Probably just knowing that there's going to be a next pitch coming, there's going to be another day to come, that things are going to get better no matter what." -Katie Jensen

"Try to gain respect by giving respect the best you can, and love your teammates." -Tyra Garcia

### TEAMWORK

Sacrificing one's personal gain for the better of the group is a lesson taught in all team sports. Athletes understand how they can best contribute using their strengths. Together Everyone Achieves More (T.E.A.M.). Players learn quickly that their best chance at success will be through cooperation with the teammates.

"I had a young man back in 2001 by the name of Phil Sakala who had won the 800 meters and 1600 meters at the State Track Meet. He was favored to win the 3200 meters the next day and become one the first distance runners to sweep all three distance events. My 800-meter anchor leg, Frank Hemingway, in the Medley Relay developed a stress fracture in the prelims and could not run the Medley in the finals the next day. I spoke with Phil that night explaining to him that I know he has a chance of becoming a state champion in all three distance events, but we really need him to anchor our Medley since we had no other backup 800-meter runner. The next day, Phil sacrificed his personal individual 3200-meter opportunity for the principle of teamwork and he anchored our Medley relay to a state champion finish. Phil was quoted in our local paper as saying 'I just helped three of my best friends win a state title'. Phil went on to attend and graduate from the West Point Academy where today he carries a rank of Major continuing to apply the concept of teamwork, leading soldiers in military endeavors." -David Nunez, Onate High School Track and Field

### HANDLING FEAR AND FAILURE

Whether it's striking out, making an error, or just losing a game, failures happen in sports as well as life. Learning that not



everyone gets to win can be a valuable lesson in someone's early development. Life isn't always fair. Injuries happen, calls are missed. Players learn that getting angry or frustrated doesn't always help and can affect their performance. Losing with dignity is just as important as winning with class. A person can find success after learning from their failures.

"I try to give as many life lessons through the game of baseball. I think sports closely parallels everyday life and the lessons you learn on the field can be applied to successful living. We teach kids to deal with frustration, controlling their emotions and adjusting to change. By playing sports you can learn maturity, honesty, loyalty, and patience." -Gil Padilla, Las Cruces High School Baseball

### RESILIENCE

Not everything always goes according to plan. Sometimes you get thrown a curveball at the plate, and in life. Athletes need to know how to bounce back. It's ok to make a mistake, but how you come back from the setback will define you.

"The biggest life lesson that I have learned as a coach is that the sun will come up the next day. No matter the outcome of the day, process it, learn from it and make the best of the next day that has been given to you. Bad things are going to happen as a competitor and as a coach; how you react to those bad things are ultimately going to shape and mold you into the person you are." -Evan Copeland, Cleveland High School Wrestling

### GOAL SETTING

Setting a goal in place and finding a way to accomplish that goal in the face of adversity is a useful skill. After setting a goal, an athlete knows to work hard to reach it. That goal can be a motivator for improvement.

"The best example I can think of was when our golf team played in the 2017 NMAA State Championship in Roswell. Our boys team put in the work all year and gotten their brains beat in by Cleveland High School, which was the best team in the state by far. The boys played with poise and a 'no-fear' attitude and ended up winning the tournament by 8 shots...until they didn't. One of our players got disqualified for signing an incorrect

scorecard and we ended up losing by 3 shots instead of winning the school's first blue trophy in boys golf. The team had to juggle an emotional roller coaster of the highest high and the lowest low and also console a devastated teammate. The boys not only handled it with grace, but also put together a plan on the bus ride home to start preparing the very next day for 2018. They named the season 'The Redemption Tour' and ended up working harder than this coach thought was possible. In 2018, they left no doubt in winning their first ever state championship at Pinon Hills Golf Course. I have never seen a group of boys handle adversity of that magnitude and then channel their emotions into a positive goal for the next year. It truly was a story of redemption and it was quite a journey as a coach...and one I will never forget!" - **Tom Yost, Piedra Vista High School Golf**

### TIME MANAGEMENT

Being a successful athlete takes a lot of dedication, but it also takes a lot of time. Athletes have to juggle their time between school, practice, and sometimes a job. Being on a team can be a job in itself. Sports teaches a person how to organize, prioritize, and focus on the importance of academics. Athletes know what they need to do and when to do it.

*"I had a student-athlete that wasn't living up to the expectations of our volleyball team and herself. As a result, she did not attend a week-long summer trip/team camp as an upperclassman, and it definitely sent a message to the player. Years later, and after college, the player contacted me and said 'Thank you, coach. That was an experience that changed my life for the better, I owe a lot to you coach. My path to be successful began with the expectations/discipline that you provided a young kid.'"* - **Toby Mananares, Rio Rancho High School Volleyball**

### DEDICATION

Every athletic season has a beginning and an end. Coaches preach to their kids to finish what you start. It's one of the foundations of sport. Everyone wants to quit at some point, but dedication to improvement and becoming the best you can be is what keeps the athlete going.

*"Sometimes my kids don't understand why I get on them for being 'a few minutes late to practice'. But in life, 'a few minutes late' here and there can cost you a job or an opportunity. Life is about dedicating and committing yourself to something you believe in and giving yourself to that belief even when it is hard and isn't maybe always going your way. You don't quit, you keep moving and giving everything you have."* - **Stacy Salinas, Rio Rancho/Sue V. Cleveland Swimming**

### OVERCOMING ADVERSITY

In sports, there are hurdles to get over, much like in life. Sometimes things can surprise you or catch you off guard. They say life is not about what happens to you, but how you deal with it.

*"I had a player who lost both his parents. He lost his mom when he was 5 and dad when he was 15. This young man had several offers from families to move in with them, but he was a very proud young man and refused. Well, he was able to find housing and remained in the school district and on the team. The year after his dad died, he had many ups and downs but fought his way through it as he had a lot of support from friends, families, and coaches. This young man ended up contributing to 3 Cross Country Championships, 1 State Track Championship, and 2 State Basketball Championships. He more than overcame his adversity!"* - **Ira Harge, Espanola High School Athletic Director**

### PERSEVERANCE

Having the tenacity and determination to accomplish some-



thing despite the level of difficulty doesn't just apply to student-athletes, sports can teach the same perseverance to coaches too. Fight through it, don't run from a situation when adversity strikes. There will be setbacks. There will be obstacles, but success doesn't happen overnight.

*"There was a girl who I coached almost 15 years ago, she was a good player, and was starting at the beginning of the year. But through the end of September, she could not keep her breath and was having a hard time running. Well, she went to the doctor and they could not find out what was wrong, but she was not getting any better. She was so loyal to the team, never missed practice and was at every game. Even her senior year she still was around for everything, but would get sick quite often and had a hard time playing, but we kept a great relationship through all this. She went off to college and we always would meet when she came back into town. We talked life lessons each time, and each time she said how playing soccer taught her so much. She now has a wonderful professional job in New York City and what she has learned through sports has helped her with everything she has accomplished in her professional life. She still gets sick and has a hard time with her health, but she never gave up and always pushed forward. Sports teaches you things like that."* - **Amber Ashcraft, La Cueva High School Soccer**

### PATIENCE

Winning takes time. Championship teams aren't built overnight. In sports you have a coach and in life you have a boss. You learn to take instruction, develop patience and become a member of a team.

*"I tell my players that when we do something, we do it right and we do it that way every time. I give our players and parents a booklet every year. It talks about how to perform under pressure. They understand that the role of discipline and self-sacrifice play an important part of being successful. Experiencing the pains of commitment and the thrill and joy of success is an integral part of*



being a basketball player; those same feelings that will be experienced in the real world.” -**Marty Zeller, Los Lunas High School Girls Basketball, 41 Years of Coaching**

## RESPECT

Athletes must respect their coaches, officials, teammates, and their opponent. It is important to recognize the worth of another.

“As an athlete, I think the biggest thing I gained was confidence to pursue. I learned how to set my sights on something and be willing to put in the work even if I had underlying doubts. It’s the idea of relentlessly putting one foot in front of the other, even when things get hard. Along with that came an ability to give to and receive from others in a collective effort.” -**Kathy Hipwood, Los Alamos High School Cross Country**

## INTEGRITY

Morals and ethics come into play every day in sports. Honesty and adherence to the rules is a foundation of every game. Many coaches will tell you that with some athletes it takes time and patience for them to realize their self-worth and value, but people can develop into some of the strongest members of their team when they realize there are no short cuts.

“My suggestions are to smile when the headwind makes us work harder, laugh when we fall down bleeding, and never let anyone else control our emotions.” -**Tim Host, ATC Cross Country**

## RESPONSIBILITY

Taking accountability is a major characteristic of successful student athletes. Participating in sports brings many obligations, to your teammates, to your coach, and to your academics.

“I had a athlete that started wrestling his sophomore year with no prior experience. He was failing in school and was ineligible to compete. His junior year, he was 2.8 GPA student with a less than .500 win percentage. His senior year, he was a 3.4 GPA student and made the state finals! I believe the lessons he learned on the mat has transformed him to the man he is today, being a highly well-respected police officer.” -**Nate Sellers, Miyamura High School Wrestling**

## COMPASSION

Athletes can learn about caring for another as their coach cares for them. Young adults can witness, first hand, the sympathy and care for the suffering of others. Coaches themselves can

relate to another’s pain because it’s something they might have gone through themselves at one time.

“The one incident that stands out to me was a life-long lesson learned by one of my athletes that decided they were going to run away from home with their significant other as a sophomore in high school. The couple had purchased bus tickets, and this athlete informed their grandparents they were living with, that they were leaving. The athlete was begged to stay and of course did not. The grandmother called me in the middle of the night begging me to talk to this individual as the departure time was getting closer. At first I was hesitant, but then I thought – ‘what if this was my kid doing this and I had the confidence in their coach to try and assist during this time of need?’ So, of course, I jumped in the car and headed to the bus station. By the time I arrived, my athlete was on the bus, the grandmother was crying in the parking lot and I was thinking to myself – ‘What am I going to be able to say to change their mind?’ I boarded the bus, looked my athlete in the eye and explained how disappointed I was that they could disrespect their grandmother like this, disrespect themselves and let their teammates down. The responsibility/commitment they made when becoming a part of the team was just about to be broken. I cried, they cried...we talked about feelings, respect, etc., and just as the time for departure arrived, the athlete grabbed their belongings and got off the bus. At this point, I don’t know who cried more...me, the athlete or the grandmother. This event that happened was unfortunate, however, I believe the athlete learned some very valuable life lessons, as did I, having children of my own. This individual had a very successful high school career both on and off the court and went on to play at the next level on a scholarship, graduated from college, married and has 3 beautiful children. To me, this is what coaching is all about.” -**George Maya, Mayfield High School Girls Basketball, 37 Years of Coaching**

## DREAM BIG, ANYTHING IS POSSIBLE

At all levels, sports have given us memorable moments when we say ‘I can’t believe that just happened!’ Athletes think about what they want and forget all the reasons why it can’t become a reality. They work hard to make their dreams come true. If you believe it, you can achieve it.

“I had a student athlete who happened to have down syndrome. She was on the dance team all 4 years of high school. She participated in everything but competition. Every year she would put on her uniform and get hair and makeup done for State. She would join me up front and cheer on the team. Her senior year, this young lady got to do the one thing left undone. She walked down the ramp and this time her teammates joined me up front and cheered her on as she performed on the PIT floor in front of 15,000 people. I hope the lesson learned by my team and others, is that nothing is impossible. We can all achieve our dreams, and maybe help someone else achieve theirs.” -**Nicole List, Cheer/Dance Coach**

All of those lessons we learn from competing. We haven’t even touched on how sports can teach loyalty, leadership, and maturity. Sometimes self-improvement can’t be measured in wins, losses, time or distance. Self-improvement is connected to one’s determination in the face of unexpected obstacles.

I’d like to finish with this thought. Adversity is a part of life. Never quit. That’s the lesson **Heath Ridenour** says sports taught him, both as a player and a coach. “Find the light amidst the darkness,” he reminds others. “Overwhelm the negative thought with a positive action. Choose to wake up and win every single day. This applies to athletics, but it is 100% relevant in every aspect of life as well.”

Spoken like a true coach.







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# Multi Individual State Champions



*Five-time state champion Max Ortega of Rio Rancho*

## FIVE-TIME STATE CHAMPIONS

Michael Scott Owen, Carlsbad .....	1994-95-96-97-98
Max Ortega, Rio Rancho .....	2005-06-07-08-09
Daniel Martinez, Robertson .....	2007-08-09-10-11
Koery Windham, St. Michael's .....	2010-11-12-13-14
Rico Montoya, Robertson .....	2011-12-13-14-15
Anthony Juckes, Piedra Vista .....	2011-12-13-14-15
Jose Tapia, Capital .....	2013-14-15-16-17

## FOUR-TIME STATE CHAMPIONS

Kirk Hudson, Albuquerque Academy .....	1978-79-80-81
Bo Wade, Eldorado .....	1981-82-83-84
Charlie Dotson, Eldorado .....	1984-85-86-87
Troy Owen, Carlsbad .....	1996-97-98-99
Sam Trujillo, Cobre .....	2002-04-05-06
Adam Martinez, Robertson .....	2002-04-05-06
Steven Gilbert, Albuquerque Academy .....	2003-04-05-06
Matt Ortega, Rio Rancho .....	2004-05-06-07
Vicente Varela, Rio Rancho .....	2004-05-06-07
Jake Martinez, Robertson .....	2005-06-07-08
Wally Diaz, Robertson .....	2006-07-08-09
Louis Trujillo, Rio Rancho .....	2007-08-09-10
Jesse Martinez, St. Michael's .....	2009-10-11-12
Eric Montoya, Volcano Vista .....	2009-10-11-12
Paul Mascarenas, Cleveland .....	2010-11-12-13
Jonathan Trujillo, Robertson .....	2015-16-17-18
Wes Rayburn, Piedra Vista .....	2015-16-17-18
Nick Rino, Piedra Vista .....	2015-16-17-18
Zeke Marquez, Silver .....	2016-17-18-19
Javier Tapia, Capital/Pojoaque Valley .....	2016-17-18-19
Andrew Trujillo, Robertson .....	2017-18-19-20

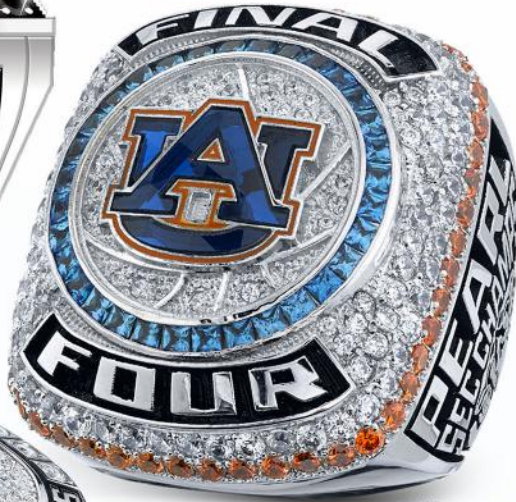
## THREE-TIME STATE CHAMPIONS

Phil Holman, Aztec .....	1960-61-62
Ronnie Arellano, Rio Grande .....	1961-62-63
Jack Thornton, Farmington .....	1972-73-74
Pat Vigil, NMSVH .....	1974-75-76
Dan Samaniego, Carlsbad .....	1976-77-78
Mike Baker, Manzano .....	1977-78-79
Tony Tracey, Sandia .....	1978-79-80

Ralph Harrison, Sandia .....	1979-80-81
Michael Zamora, Los Lunas .....	1979-80-81
Chris Lutrell, Manzano .....	1980-81-82
Anthony Romero, Los Lunas .....	1980-81-82
David Hines, Aztec .....	1981-82-83
Emory Kaiser, Aztec .....	1981-82-83
John Carlson, Albuquerque Academy .....	1984-85-86
Manny Garcia, Rio Grande .....	1986-87-88
Pat Garcia, Taos .....	1987-88-89
Gilbert Valerio, Taos .....	1987-88-89
Javier Posa, Santa Fe .....	1988-89-90
Phillip Valencia, Taos/Capital .....	1988-89-91
Alan Vigil, Rio Grande .....	1989-91-92
Jose Serano, Cobre .....	1991-92-93
Jeremy Stinson, Aztec .....	1993-94-95
Mike Lovato, West Mesa .....	1994-95-96
Adam Borrego, Silver .....	1994-95-96
Rusty Cook, Silver .....	1994-95-96
Eric Scott Owen, Eldorado/Carlsbad .....	1995-96-97
Jason Tapia, Santa Fe .....	1996-97-98
Michael Baca, Gallup/NMMI .....	1997-98-99
Josh Ballard, Carlsbad .....	1997-98-99
Nate McClain, Aztec .....	1997-98-99
Chris Keating, Aztec .....	1997-00-01
Ruben Leyba, Moriarty .....	2000-01-02
Antonio Lucero, Robertson .....	2000-01-02
Clinton Dale, Robertson .....	2001-02-03
Jake Jimenez, Tucumcari .....	2001-02-03
Cody Rivera, Grants .....	2002-03-04
Hozea Graziano, Carlsbad .....	2002-03-04
Nick Ramirez, Rio Rancho .....	2002-04-05
Jesse Boggs, Deming .....	2003-04-05
Eric Serna, West Las Vegas .....	2003-04-05
Josh Lucero, Cobre .....	2004-05-06
John Paul Maynes, Silver .....	2004-05-06
Matt Luna, Robertson .....	2005-06-07
Jimmy Nevarez III, Mayfield .....	2005-06-07
Joaquin Marquez, Las Cruces .....	2007-08-10
Daniel Udero, Cobre .....	2008-09-10
Shea Nolan, Rio Rancho .....	2009-10-11
Matt Nunez, Rio Rancho .....	2009-10-11
Adrian Montoya, St. Michael's .....	2010-11-12
Deshun Brown, West Mesa .....	2010-12-13
Lawrence Otero, Volcano Vista .....	2010-12-13
Phillip Gonzales, Belen .....	2011-12-13
Wyatt Robinson, Belen .....	2011-12-13
Miguel Barreras, Rio Rancho .....	2013-14-15
Orlando Gutierrez, Rio Rancho .....	2013-14-15
Dylan Udero, Las Cruces .....	2013-14-16
Isaac Lopez, Rio Grande .....	2014-15-16
Robert Rodriguez, Cobre .....	2014-15-16
Kyle Snelling, La Cueva .....	2014-15-16
Richard Govea, Volcano Vista .....	2015-16-17
Michael Mascarenas, Cleveland .....	2015-16-17
Noah Mirabal, Cleveland .....	2014-15-17
Ryan Rochford, Rio Rancho .....	2015-16-17
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# Wrestling Team State Champions

## CLASS A-3A

YEAR	SCHOOL	COACH
1969	ABQ Academy	Tom Tooker
1970	Belen	Ron Hodges
1971	Aztec	Jerry Parker
1972	St. Michael's	Al Salazar
1973	St. Michael's	Al Salazar
1974	St. Michael's	Al Salazar
1975	St. Michael's	Al Salazar
1976	St. Michael's	Al Salazar
1977	ABQ Academy	John O'Conner
1978	ABQ Academy	John O'Conner
1979	ABQ Academy	John O'Conner
1980	Los Lunas	Tom Torres
1981	Los Lunas	Tom Torres
1982	Aztec	Herb Stinson
1983	ABQ Academy	Steve Alexander
1984	Bloomfield	Mike Meador
1985	Los Lunas	Tom Torres
1986	Los Lunas	Tom Torres
1987	Belen	John Romero
1988	Taos	Anthony Gutierrez
1989	Taos	Anthony Gutierrez
1990	Aztec	Herb Stinson
1991	Aztec	Herb Stinson
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2001	Robertson*	Jay Covington
2002	Robertson	Jay Covington
2002	Robertson*	Jay Covington
2003	Robertson	Richard Martinez
2003	Robertson*	Richard Martinez
2004	Cobre	Luis Alvarez
2004	Cobre*	Luis Alvarez
2005	Cobre	Luis Alvarez
2006	Robertson	Richard Martinez
2007	Robertson	Richard Martinez
2008	Robertson	Richard Martinez
2009	Robertson	Richard Martinez
2010	St. Michael's	Pat Aranda
2011	Silver	Luis Alvarado
2012	St. Michael's	Joaquin Garcia
2013	St. Michael's	Joaquin Garcia
2014	Bloomfield	Greg Shoemaker
2019	Cobre	Reyne Maynes
2020	Cobre	Reyne Maynes

## CLASS A-4A

2015	Robertson	Richard Martinez
2016	Cobre	Jared Gallegos

## CLASS A-4A (cont)

YEAR	SCHOOL	COACH
2017	Silver	Luis Alvarado
2018	Silver	Luis Alvarado

## CLASS 4A

1957	Highland	Clem Carlton
1958	Highland	Clem Carlton
1959	Albuquerque	Myrl Smith
1960	Sandia	Clem Carlton
1961	Albuquerque	Myrl Smith
1962	Highland	Jack Rushing
1963	Aztec	Fred Cook
1964	Las Cruces	Wes Jordan
1965	Albuquerque	Joe Vivian
1966	Las Cruces	Harold Harrison
1967	Albuquerque	Joe Vivian
1968	Carlsbad	Mike Enright
1969	Albuquerque	Floyd Shade
1970	Carlsbad	Mike Enright
1971	Carlsbad	Mike Enright
1972	Sandia	Rick Ruscetti
1973	Sandia	Rick Ruscetti
1974	Albuquerque	Art Simoni
1975	Manzano	Dale Scott
1976	Carlsbad	George Frederick
1977	Carlsbad	George Frederick
1978	Manzano	Sam CdeBaca
1979	Mayfield	Lloyd von Wolfe
1980	Sandia	Rick Ruscetti
1981	Sandia	Rick Ruscetti
1982	Cibola	Joe Vivian
1983	Eldorado	Scott Evans
1984	Rio Grande	Ron Contreras
1985	Farmington	Mike Enright
1986	Eldorado	Scott Evans
1987	Eldorado	Scott Evans
1988	Rio Grande	Ron Contreras
1989	Carlsbad	Don Owen
1990	West Mesa	Lenny Lovato
1991	West Mesa	Lenny Lovato
1992	Farmington	Roy Johnson
1993	Farmington	Roy Johnson
1994	West Mesa	Lenny Lovato
1995	Carlsbad	Don Owen
1996	Carlsbad	Don Owen
1997	Carlsbad	Don Owen
1998	Los Lunas	Tom Torres
1999	West Mesa	Lenny Lovato
2000	Del Norte	Charlie Dotson
2001	Farmington	Roy Johnson
2002	Aztec	Rodney Romero
2002	Aztec*	Rodney Romero
2003	Belen	Steven Chavez
2003	Farmington*	Cecil Linnens
2004	Belen	Steven Chavez
2004	Belen*	Steven Chavez

## CLASS 4A (cont)

YEAR	SCHOOL	COACH
2005	Belen	Steven Chavez
2006	Belen	Lee Chaves
2007	Belen	Lee Chaves
2008	Belen	Lee Chavez
2009	Silver	Luis Alvarado
2010	Volcano Vista	Jimmy Melek
2011	Piedra Vista	Levi Stout
2012	Piedra Vista	Levi Stout
2013	Piedra Vista	Levi Stout
2014	Piedra Vista	Levi Stout
2019	Aztec	Monte Maxwell
2020	Aztec	Monte Maxwell

## CLASS 5A

2001	Del Norte	Charlie Dotson
2002	La Cueva	Bo Wade
2002	La Cueva*	Bo Wade
2003	Rio Rancho	Dennis Friedland
2003	Rio Rancho*	Dennis Friedland
2004	Rio Rancho	Dennis Friedland
2004	Rio Rancho*	Dennis Friedland
2005	Rio Rancho	Dennis Friedland
2006	Eldorado	Charlie Dotson
2007	Rio Rancho	Jason Nickal
2008	Rio Rancho	Jason Nickal
2009	Rio Rancho	Jason Nickal
2010	Rio Rancho	Jason Nickal
2011	Rio Rancho	Mike Santos
2012	Cleveland	Corey Anderson
2013	(tie) Cleveland	Corey Anderson
2013	(tie) Rio Grande	Loren Vigil
2014	Rio Rancho	Mike Santos
2015	Piedra Vista	Mike Bejar
2016	Belen	Lee Chaves
2017	Belen	Lee Chaves
2018	Aztec	Monte Maxwell
2019	Rio Rancho	Mike Santos
2020	Piedra Vista	Greg Ruybalid

## CLASS 6A

2015	Rio Rancho	Mike Santos
2016	Cleveland	Corey Anderson
2017	Cleveland	Evan Copeland
2018	Rio Rancho	Mike Santos

## CLASS A-5A GIRLS

2020	Miyamura	Nate Sellers
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\*Dual Meet State Champions



# 2020 State Championship Recap

## Piedra Vista Takes Home 2020 Team Title



Piedra Vista hoisted the blue trophy for the first time since 2015, earning the school's 6th overall wrestling title, with a team score of 180. Carlsbad earned second-place with 170.5 points, followed by Rio Rancho, who finished third with 163.5 points.

The Storm, Las Cruces and Farmington saw two wrestlers atop the medal stand during the final round of the 2020 New Mexico National Guard State Wrestling Championships.

Estevan Encinias (Cleveland) defeated Jonathan Garcia (Volcano Vista) in the 106-pound weight class, 11-2, as Tristan Mascarenas (Cleveland) beat Joshua Robinson (Sandia) at 113. Mascarenas won his third individual state title with the victory.

Avery Atma (Las Cruces) captured the title at 120 pounds over Tye Barker (Centennial), 4-2. Tim Lopez (Rio Rancho) defeated Taeoma Frank (Farmington), 4-0, at 126-pounds. This was Lopez' second state individual title.

Ezekiel Bejar (Piedra Vista) earned his first state title with a 3-1 win over Miguel Padilla (Santa Fe) in the 132-pound match. At 138, Miguel Padilla (Santa Fe) defeated Emilio Cordova (Atrisco Heritage), 15-6.

In the 145-pound weight class, David Graves (Las Cruces) took home his first individual title, 8-5 over Johnny Herrera (Volcano Vista). At 152 pounds, Carlsbad's Mason Box capped off a stellar 2020 campaign, beating Manuel Robles (Volcano Vista), 3-2. It was his second straight title at 150 pounds. Jesse Daniel Perez (Deming) capped off an undefeated season at 40-0, defeating Justin Wood (Carlsbad) to take home the 160-pound title in 2020, 16-8.

At 170 pounds, Cirrail Allison (Farmington) beat Xavier Salazar (Rio Rancho), 4-2, also finishing the season undefeated at 44-0. Teammate Zackary Small (Farmington) captured the 182-pound championship, by pinning Trystan Rogers (Carlsbad), ending the year at 50-0. At 195, Diego Pavia (Volcano Vista) handled Gabe Garcia (Cleveland) with a 6-1 decision.

Jacob Telles (Sandia) captured his first title with a 5-0 win over Eduardo Enriquez (Atrisco Heritage) in the 220-pound title match. In the heavyweight division, Ernest Martinez (Atrisco Heritage) beat Nathan Ellis (Eldorado) and was crowned the 2020 champion.

## Aztec Earns 2020 Blue Trophy



Aztec High School remained on top of the wrestling world after claiming their third straight New Mexico National Guard Wrestling State Championship. The Tigers finished the 2020 state meet with 246.5 points, cruising to the title. Los Lunas was second with 215 and Silver finished third with 180.

The Tigers sent six wrestlers to the finals and finished with six individual state champions. Bryson Valdez won the 106-pound weight class, beating Devin Atencio (Española Valley) with a fall at the 3:16 mark. Valdez wrapped up his eighth grade year undefeated at 39-0. Aztec's Garrett Birzer also claimed victory in the 138-pound bracket. He took a decision over Landon Sandoval (Silver), 6-3. Aztec's Bode Wooley took home the 145-pound championship with a 10-2 major decision over Mason Alley (ABQ Academy).

Other Aztec winners included Zane Chapman at 152 pounds over Miguel Andrade (Los Lunas), 7-6, as Malcolm Altisi beat Sebastian Martin (ABQ Academy), 3-2, at 160 pounds. Caleb Varzeas was the final Tiger to have his hand raised on the night, as he defeated Ian Thomas (Kirtland Central) by fall at 3:53 in the 220-pound division.

The 4A classification saw one wrestler earn his third straight individual title, as Michael Aguirre of Silver dominated Alfredo Castillo (Belen), 17-2 at 182 pounds. Aguirre won it all in 2018 and 2019 as well.

Los Lunas captured two individual titles on the night, as Jonathan Gurule beat Adan Benavidez (Bloomfield), 6-2 at 113-pounds, and Santiago Salas handled Bristan Lockett (Silver), 8-6, at 195-pounds.

At 120-pounds, Matthew Sanchez (St. Pius) won a 9-6 decision over Brendon Olsen (Silver) and Drake Guerrero (Miyamura) took the 126-pound title over Abran Lujan (Valley) by pin, at the 4:40 mark of the match.

Dylan Gonzales (Belen) pinned Damian Gonzales (Los Alamos) at the 4:27 mark to win the 132-pound title, as Luis Teran (Bernalillo) narrowly defeated Anthony Ward (Miyamura), 14-13, in the 170-pound match. Coleton Radford (Del Norte) handled Nicholas Sanders (Moriarty) in the heavyweight division to claim the 2020 individual title.





# 2020 State Championship Recap

## Cobre Indians Win Second Straight A-3A State Title



Cobre hoisted the blue trophy overhead at the 2020 New Mexico National Guard State Wrestling Championships, as the Indians led the championships from start to finish. Cobre tallied 215 points for the championships, followed by Robertson (176.5) and West Las Vegas (131). Cobre won seven individual titles, while Robertson took home three.

Robertson's Andrew Trujillo became a four-time individual champion with a pin at the 3:12 mark over Sean McNeil (Socorro) to win the 145-weight class. Cobre's Alex Holguin won his third straight title by pinning Jonathan Chavez (West Las Vegas) at the 1:11 mark in the 152-pound match.

In the 106-pound finals, Gavin Placencio (Cobre) beat Romulus Padilla (West Las Vegas) by decision, 3-2. Isaiah Marquez (Cobre) won the 113-pound division for the second straight year by pin over Jarrod Baca (West Las Vegas).

Nikolas Trujillo (Cobre) took the 120-pound title in 2020, by pin over Kaleb Medina (Robertson). Esteban Molina (Cobre) defeated Joel Partridge, III (Socorro) to win the 126-pound title by an 8-6 margin.

At 132 pounds, Ishya Delatorre (Cobre) defeated Joe Peterson (Foothill) by a pin at the 3:55 mark. Andres Grano (Robertson) capped off a solid season by beating Andres Grano (Robertson), 3-2, in the 138-pound finals. Arthur Quintana (Cobre) captured the year with an individual title at 160-pounds, beating Orion Rottman (Socorro), 3-1.

Jaden Mifsud (St. Michael's) defeated Javier Cordova (West Las Vegas) in the 170-pound match, by pin, finishing the season at 24-1 overall. Mackenzie Ebell (Robertson) handled Nicolas Gonzales (Socorro), pinning him in 1:50, to win the 182-pound title.

Derik Ortiz (Pecos) defeated Aiden Quintana (Cobre) by pin in the 195-pound match, while Ian Jordison (Socorro) beat Leon Vigil (Cobre), 3-1, in the 220-pound finals, finishing off his 2020 campaign at 37-2. Santiago Martinez (St. Michael's) defeated Santiago Maness (Tierra Encantada) to capture the heavyweight division, finishing 26-2 on the year.

## Miyamura Wins First-Ever Girls' State Wrestling Title



For the first time in New Mexico high school wrestling history, the New Mexico Activities Association recognized a team champion in girls' wrestling at the 2020 New Mexico National Guard State Wrestling Championships. Miyamura was crowned the first-ever state champion, earning the school's first blue trophy. The Patriots tallied 88 points, followed by Atrisco Heritage Academy and Aztec with 66.

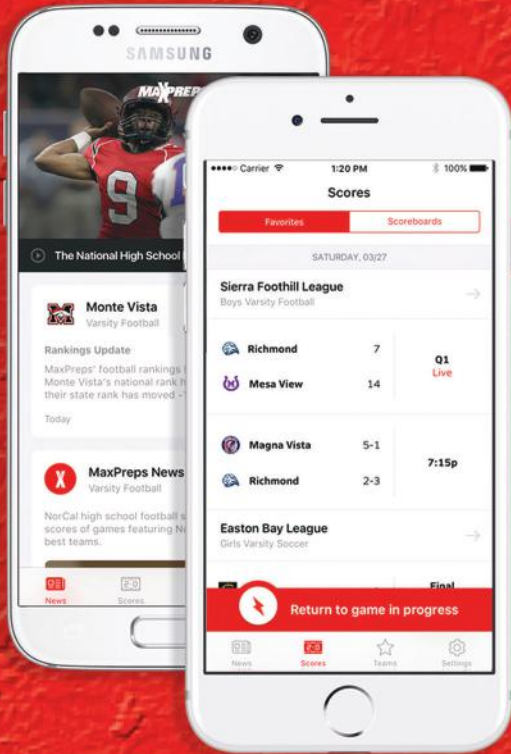
The championship was a huge success, as 80 girls competed in 10 separate brackets. Dozens of girls competed on the biggest stage for a high school wrestler.

The state's first-ever state wrestling champion was Angelita Altamirano (Oñate), as she pinned Lorianna Piestewa (Miyamura) at the 3:46 mark in the 100-pound division. Santii Santiago (Atrisco Heritage) won by decision at 106 pounds, beating Naiomi Molina (Albuquerque).

Desirae Archuleta (Atrisco Heritage) finished the year with a perfect 25-0 record, after pinning Melayna Patton (Wingate) in the 113-pound finals. Mia Aguirre (Aztec) won the 120-pound individual championship by defeating Yalixza Gonzalez (Atrisco Heritage) by pin at the 5:58 mark of the match.

Makayla Munoz (Aztec) was undefeated on the season at 29-0, following a pin of Amanda Smith (Cleveland) in the 126-pound finals, as Yele Aycock (Miyamura) defeated Sharon Minnix (Ruidoso), 6-2, to also finish the year undefeated at 32-0. Selvi Gallegos (Sandia) won a 5-4 decision at 145 pounds over Aylin Mijares (Bernalillo) to claim the individual title.

Princess Altisi (Aztec) battled Nancy Rodriguez (Miyamura) to a 5-2 decision in the 160-pound finals, while Tristian Martinez (Grants) pinned Shandiin Largo (Miyamura) to win the 182-pound title. Jojera Dodge (Kirtland Central) wrapped up the State Championship for the girls with a pin of Annalease Barraza (Albuquerque) at the 4:48 mark of the 220-pound title match.



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