



# OREGON STATE WRESTLING

## UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location ..... Corvallis, Ore.  
Founded ..... 1868  
Enrollment ..... 20,100  
Nickname ..... Beavers  
Colors ..... Orange and Black  
President ..... Dr. Edward Ray  
Director of Athletics ..... Bob De Carolis  
Athletic Faculty Representative ..... Dr. Kelvin Koong  
SWA/Associate A.D. .... Marianne Vydra  
Affiliation ..... NCAA Division I  
Conference ..... Pacific-10  
Home Facility (Capacity) ..... Gill Coliseum (10,400)  
Ticket Office ..... 1-800-GO-BEAVS

## HISTORY

First Year of Wrestling ..... 1909  
All-Time Dual Meet Record ..... 932-304-26

## WRESTLING STAFF

Head Coach: ..... Jim Zalesky  
Alma Mater: ..... Iowa, 1984  
OSU Dual Record: ..... 37-18-0 (Three Years)  
Career Dual Record: ..... 154-44-0 (12 Years)  
Assistant Coach: ..... Troy Steiner (Third Year)  
Alma Mater: ..... Iowa, 1993  
Assistant Coach: ..... Kevin Roberts (Third Year)  
Alma Mater: ..... Oregon, 1996  
Volunteer Assistant Coach: ..... Travis Pascoe (Third Year)  
Alma Mater: ..... Nebraska, 2005  
Director of Operations: ..... Nick Simmons (First Year)  
Alma Mater: ..... Michigan State, 2007  
Wrestling Office Phone: ..... (541) 737-3973  
Athletic Trainer: ..... Mitch Swee (Second Year)  
Alma Mater: ..... Nebraska, 2008

## 2008-09 IN REVIEW

2008-09 Record ..... 10-8  
2008-09 Conference Record/Finish ..... 6-3/Second  
2008-09 NCAA Finish ..... 41st

## 2009-10

Letterwinners Returning/Lost ..... 12/5  
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost ..... 3/1  
All-Americans Returning/Lost ..... 0/1  
Newcomers ..... 13

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## TOP RETURNING WRESTLERS

**Kelly Kubec • 133 • Sophomore**

• Career: 20-10, 2 pins  
• 2008-09: Pac-10 Second Place, NCAA Automatic Qualifier

**Keegan Davis • 157 • Senior**

• Career: 56-42, 3 pins  
• 2008-09: 30-15 record, Pac-10 Third Place, NCAA At-Large Qualifier

**Clayton Jack • HWT • Sophomore**

• Career: 23-12, 9 pins, 5 Major Dec, 2 Tech Falls  
• 2008-09: Pac-10 Second Place, NCAA At-Large Qualifier

## NEWCOMERS

Wrestler	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown
Caleb Cardwell	174	Fr.	Lowell, Ore.
Colby Covington	174	Jr.	Springfield, Ore.
Taylor Johnson	184, 197	Fr.	Redmond, Ore.
Jacob Lauderdale	125	Fr.	Nine Mile Falls, Wash.
Zach Lowry	125	Fr.	Beavercreek, Ore.
RJ Pena	149	Fr.	Salem, Ore.
Kyle Richardson	141	Fr.	Aurora, Ore.
Scott Sakaguchi	149	Fr.	Clovis, Calif.
Tyler Sherman	184	Fr.	Dayton, Ore.
Ryan Smith	165	So.	Prineville, Ore.
Brian Tostberg	141	Fr.	Corvallis, Ore.
John Tuck	165	Fr.	La Grande, Ore.

## 2008-09 PROBABLE LINEUP

**125 Pounds:** Jason Lara  
**133 Pounds:** Kelly Kubec  
**141 Pounds:** Garrett Drucker or Michael Mangrum  
**149 Pounds:** Dan Brascetta or RJ Pena  
**157 Pounds:** Jon Brascetta or Keegan Davis  
**165 Pounds:** Ryan Smith  
**174 Pounds:** Colby Covington  
**184 Pounds:** Brice Arand or Ty Vinson  
**197 Pounds:** Chad Hanke  
**Heavyweight:** Clayton Jack or Bubba Owens

# 2009-10 OREGON STATE WRESTLING ROSTER

Name	Weight	Height	Year	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
Brice Arand	184, 197	6-2	Jr.*	2V	Springfield, Ore. (Thurston HS)
Dan Brascetta	157, 165	5-9	Sr.*	3V	Aurora, Colo. (Grandview HS)
Jon Brascetta	157, 165	5-7	Jr.*	2V	Aurora, Colo. (Grandview HS)
Caleb Cardwell	174	5-11	Fr.	HS	Lowell, Ore. (Lowell HS)
Colby Covington	174	5-11	Jr.*	TR	Springfield, Ore. (Thurston HS) (Central Iowa CC) (Iowa)
Keegan Davis	157	5-9	Sr.	3V	Salem, Ore. (Sprague HS)
Alan Dickey	149	5-8	RSo.*	RS	Sheridan, Ore. (Willamina HS) (Portland State)
Garrett Drucker	141	5-6	So.*	1V	Huntington Beach, Calif. (Edison HS)
Josh Gannon	174, 184	5-10	Jr.*	TM	Elmira, Ore. (Elmira HS)
Chad Hanke	197	6-1	So.*	1V	Dayton, Ore. (Dayton HS)
Ryan Harold	141	5-5	Sr.	2V	Loomis, Calif. (Del Oro HS)
Clayton Jack	HWT	6-1	So.*	1V	Vacaville, Calif. (Vacaville HS)
Taylor Johnson	184, 197	6-0	Fr.	HS	Redmond, Ore. (Redmond HS)
Kelly Kubec	133	5-6	So.*	1V	Lake Stevens, Wash. (Lake Stevens HS)
Jason Lara	125	5-7	RSo.*	RS	Midway City, Calif. (Calvary Chapel HS) (Michigan)
Jacob Lauderdale	125	5-7	Fr.	HS	Nine Mile Falls, Wash. (Lakeside HS)
Zach Lowry	125	5-6	Fr.	HS	Beavercreek, Ore. (Canby HS)
Michael Mangrum	141	5-4	RFr.*	RS	Auburn, Wash. (Auburn-Riverside HS)
Jarrett Owens	HWT	6-2	RFr.*	RS	Tillamook, Ore. (Tillamook HS)
Tim Patrick	165	5-8	Jr.*	2V	Milwaukie, Ore. (Milwaukie HS)
RJ Pena	149	149	Fr.	HS	Salem, Ore. (Sprague HS)
Anthony Peressini	157,165	5-11	So.*	1V	Henderson, Nev. (Coronado HS)
Kyle Richardson	141	5-8	Fr.	HS	Aurora, Ore. (Canby HS)
Scott Sakaguchi	149	5-8	Fr.	HS	Clovis, Calif. (Clovis HS)
Tyler Sherman	184	6-0	Fr.	HS	Dayton, Ore. (Newberg HS)
Ryan Smith	165	5-10	So.*	TR	Prineville, Ore. (Crook County HS) (Oklahoma)
Dan Somers	141	5-6	RFr.*	RS	Quincy, Wash. (Quincy HS)
Brian Tostberg	141	5-9	Fr.	HS	Corvallis, Ore. (Crescent Valley HS)
John Tuck	165	165	Fr.	HS	La Grande, Ore. (La Grande HS)
Caleb Vallotton	133, 141	5-9	RFr.*	RS	Bella Vista, Calif. (Foothill HS)
Ty Vinson	184	6-0	RFr.*	RS	Great Falls, Mont. (Great Falls HS)
Cody Weishoff	165,174	5-10	So.	1V	Molalla, Ore. (Molalla HS)

\* indicates student-athlete utilized redshirt season

<b>Head Coach:</b>	Jim Zalesky (Fourth Season/Iowa '84)
<b>Assistant Coach:</b>	Troy Steiner (Fourth Season/Iowa '93)
<b>Assistant Coach:</b>	Kevin Roberts (Fourth Season/Oregon '96)
<b>Volunteer Coach:</b>	Travis Pascoe (Fourth Season/Nebraska '05)
<b>Director of Operations:</b>	Nick Simmons (First Season/Michigan State '07)
<b>Athletic Trainer:</b>	Mitch Swee (Second Season/Nebraska '08)

# 2009-10 OREGON STATE WRESTLING SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Opponent	Site	Time
<b>November</b>				
13-14	Fri.-Sat.	Best of the West Tournament	Ashland, Ore.	All Day
<b>22</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Wisconsin</b>	<b>Corvallis, Ore.</b>	<b>1:00 p.m.</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Boise State*</b>	<b>Corvallis, Ore.</b>	<b>1:00 p.m.</b>
		<b>Simon Fraser</b>		
		<b>Pacific University</b>		
<b>December</b>				
4-5	Fri.-Sat.	Cliff Keen Las Vegas Invitational	Las Vegas, Nev.	All Day
13	Sunday	Dakota Duals	Fargo, N.D.	9:00 a.m. PT
		(N. Illinois, Ohio, North Dakota State, Oregon State)		
<b>18</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Air Force</b>	<b>Corvallis, Ore.</b>	<b>5:00 p.m.</b>
		<b>Southern Oregon</b>	<b>(Crescent Valley HS)</b>	
29-30	Tues.-Wed.	Midlands Championships	Evanston, Ill.	All Day
<b>January</b>				
<b>7</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Wyoming</b>	<b>Corvallis, Ore.</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
9	Saturday	Stanford*	Palo Alto, Calif.	1:00 p.m.
		Northern Colorado		
		Menlo		
<b>15</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>UC Davis*</b>	<b>Corvallis, Ore.</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Cal State Bakersfield*</b>	<b>Corvallis, Ore.</b>	<b>2:00 p.m.</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Nebraska</b>	<b>Corvallis, Ore.</b>	<b>2:00 p.m.</b>
31	Sunday	Arizona State*	Tempe, Ariz.	1:00 p.m.
<b>February</b>				
5	Friday	Cal State Fullerton*	Fullerton, Calif.	7:00 p.m.
6	Sunday	Cal Poly*	San Luis Obispo, Calif.	7:00 p.m.
12	Friday	Boise State*	Boise, Idaho	6:00 p.m. PT
14	Sunday	Oklahoma	Norman, Okla.	12:00 p.m. PT
26-27	Fri. -Sat.	Pac-10 Championships	Davis, Calif.	All Day
<b>March</b>				
18-20	Thurs.-Sat.	NCAA Championships	Omaha, Neb.	All Day

\* Pac-10 Conference meet

# 2008-09 OREGON STATE WRESTLING STATISTICS

OVERALL: 10-8

CONFERENCE: 6-3

HOME: 4-3

AWAY: 3-4

NEUTRAL: 3-1

## INDIVIDUAL

NAME	W-L	STK	DEC	MAJ	TF	PIN	FFT	OT	DUAL	TNY	BON
Jake Gonzales, Sr. (125)	20-18	W1	10-11	5-4	3-0	2-3	0-0	2-1	8-10	12-8	26%
Kelly Kubec, RFr. (133)	20-10	L3	8-6	7-3	2-0	2-0	1-1	0-0	14-4	6-6	40%
Garrett Drucker, RFr. (141)	11-11	W1	3-5	4-4	0-0	3-2	1-0	0-0	4-6	7-5	36%
Ryan Harold, Jr. (141)	1-10	L8	1-4	0-3	0-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-8	1-2	0%
Heinrich Barnes, Sr. (149)	39-8	L2	12-3	12-3	8-1	7-1	0-0	0-1	17-1	22-7	57%
Jon Brascetta, So. (157)	8-5	L1	4-3	3-1	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-0	6-3	2-2	31%
Tim Patrick, So. (157)	5-1	L1	2-1	0-0	2-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	4-1	50%
Anthony Peressini, RFr. (157)	2-5	L5	1-2	0-1	0-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-3	2-2	14%
Cody Weishoff, Fr. (157)	1-4	L1	1-1	0-2	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-4	0-0	0%
Keegan Davis, Jr. (165)	30-15	L1	20-12	9-2	1-0	0-1	0-0	1-1	10-8	20-7	22%
Dan Brascetta, Jr. (165)	4-5	L4	3-2	0-0	0-0	1-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	4-5	11%
Dan Brascetta, Jr. (174)	3-3	L2	2-3	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-2	3-1	17%
Dan Brascetta, Jr. (Total)	7-8	L4	5-5	0-0	0-0	2-3	0-0	0-0	0-2	7-6	13%
Kyle Bressler, Sr. (174)	11-3	W3	6-3	4-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	3-1	8-2	3-1	36%
Kyle Bressler, Sr. (184)	9-3	L2	5-1	4-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	1-0	4-3	5-0	33%
Kyle Bressler, Sr. (Total)	20-6	W3	11-4	8-1	0-0	1-1	0-0	3-1	12-4	8-1	35%
Ben Harris, Sr. (174)	9-9	L2	3-7	1-2	1-0	2-0	2-0	0-1	2-3	7-6	33%
Brandon Perkins, Sr. (174)	10-5	L1	5-4	2-1	0-0	1-0	2-0	0-0	1-0	9-5	33%
Brandon Perkins, Sr. (HWT)	0-1	L1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0%
Brandon Perkins (Total)	11-6	L2	5-4	2-1	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-1	9-5	18%
Brice Arand, So. (184)	15-13	W1	4-11	3-2	3-0	5-0	0-0	0-1	5-6	10-7	39%
Chad Hanke, RFr. (197)	20-14	W1	9-4	5-2	3-0	1-7	2-1	1-0	11-7	9-7	32%
Clayton Jack, RFr. (HWT)	23-12	L4	6-9	5-2	2-0	9-1	1-0	0-0	13-4	10-8	49%

**KEY:** W-L, WIN-LOSS RECORD. **STK**, CURRENT STREAK. **DEC**, DECISION BY 1-7 POINTS. **MAJ**, MAJOR DECISION BY 8-14 POINTS. **TF**, TECHNICAL FALL. **PIN**, FALL. **FFT**, FORFEIT, INJURY DEFAULT OR DISQUALIFICATION. **OT**, OVERTIME. **DUAL**, WIN-LOSS RECORD IN DUAL MEETS. **TNY**, WIN-LOSS RECORD IN TOURNAMENTS. **BON**, PERCENTAGE OF MATCHES SCORING BONUS POINTS FOR PINS, TECHNICAL FALLS, MAJOR DECISIONS OR FORFEITS/INJURY DEFAULTS/DISQUALIFICATIONS.

## RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	OREGON STATE WINNERS/PLACERS	ATTENDANCE
11/15/08	vs. Simon Fraser	W	39-3	125 Gonzales, 133 Kubec, 149 Barnes, 157 Patrick, 165 Davis, 174 Harris, 184 Bressler, 197 Hanke, HWT Jack	—
11/22/08	Best of the West	No Team Scores		125 2nd Gonzales; 133 3rd Kubec; 141 1st Mangrum, 2nd Drucker; 149 1st Barnes; 157 2nd Patrick; 165 1st Davis; 174 3rd Perkins; 184 1st Bressler, 2nd Vinson; 197 2nd Hanke; HWT 1st Jack	—
11/28/08	vs. Augustana	W	40-3	125 Gonzales, 133 Kubec, 149 Barnes, 157 J. Brascetta, 165 Davis, 174 Perkins, 184 Bressler, 197 Hanke, HWT Jack	—
	at No. 6 Nebraska	L	8-34	133 Kubec, 149 Barnes	818
11/30/08	at No. 12 Wisconsin	L	13-24	125 Gonzales, 133 Kubec, 157 J. Brascetta, 184 Bressler	487
12/06/08	at Southern Oregon	W	29-8	133 Kubec, 149 Barnes, 157 J. Brascetta, 165 Davis, 174 Harris, 184 Bressler, 197 Hanke, HWT Jack	—
12/12/08	at No. 13 Boise State	L	13-25	149 Barnes, 197 Hanke, HWT Jack	800
12/14/08	NO. 5 MISSOURI	L	10-26	133 Kubec, 149 Barnes	606
12/18/08	Reno Tournament of Champions	8th of 30		125 6th Gonzales; 149 3rd Barnes; 165 4th Davis, 6th D. Brascetta	—
12/29/08	Midlands Championships	12th of 48		149 Barnes, 165 Davis, 174 Harris	—
12/30/08	Midlands Championships	13th of 48		149 7th Barnes; 165 7th Davis	—
01/02/09	vs. No. 15 Michigan	L	13-23	133 Kubec, 149 Barnes, 165 Davis, HWT Jack	3,500
01/14/09	PORTLAND STATE*	W	40-3	125 Gonzales, 133 Kubec, 141 Drucker, 149 Barnes, 165 Davis, 174 Bressler, 184 Arand, 197 Hanke, HWT Jack	482
01/18/09	NO. 3 IOWA STATE	L	6-29	149 Barnes, 174 Bressler	1,833
01/23/09	CAL POLY*	W	36-4	125 Gonzales, 133 Kubec, 141 Drucker, 149 Barnes, 165 Davis, 174 Bressler, 184 Arand, 197 Hanke, HWT Jack	679
01/25/09	CS FULLERTON*	W	28-7	125 Gonzales, 149 Barnes, 157 Weishoff, 165 Davis, 174 Bressler, 184 Arand, 197 Hanke, HWT Jack	627
01/30/09	vs. Princeton	W	47-4	125 Gonzales, 133 Kubec, 141 Drucker, 149 Barnes, 165 Davis, 174 Bressler, 184 Arand, 197 Hanke, HWT Jack	—
	at Stanford*	W	25-9	125 Gonzales, 133 Kubec, 141 Drucker, 149 Barnes, 174 Bressler, 197 Hanke, HWT Jack	—
	at UC Davis*	L	12-22	149 Barnes, 157 J. Brascetta, 174 Bressler, HWT Jack	—
02/01/09	at CS Bakersfield*	W	28-16	149 Barnes, 157 J. Brascetta, 165 Davis, 174 Bressler, 184 Arand, 197 Hanke, 133 Kubec	133
02/08/09	ARIZONA STATE*	W	19-13	133 Kubec, 149 Barnes, 157 J. Brascetta, 165 Davis, 197 Hanke, HWT Jack	713
02/15/09	NO. 10 BOISE STATE*	L	9-25	149 Barnes, HWT Jack, 133 Kubec	1,124
03/01/09	Pac-10 Championships	3rd of 9			—
03/02/09	Pac-10 Championships	2nd of 9 (128.0)		133 2nd Kubec; 149 2nd Barnes; 165 3rd Davis; 174 3rd Bressler; HWT 2nd Jack	811
03/21/09	NCAA Championships	41st (10.5)		149 8th Barnes	
	*Pac-10 Conference dual meet				

# COACHES

## Jim Zalesky | Head Coach | Fourth Season Iowa, 1984



One of the winningest programs in college wrestling history got one of the sport's winningest coaches when Oregon State hired Jim Zalesky on April 14, 2006.

Zalesky, who coached Iowa to three NCAA team championships, is the 17th head coach in Oregon State wrestling history. He begins his fourth season at the helm of Oregon State wrestling.

In the 2008-09 season, the Beavers produced one All-American in 149-pounder Heinrich Barnes. Oregon State sent four to the NCAA Championships with two automatic bids and two at-large after a second place finish at the Pac-10 Championships.

The 2007-08 season proved to be a rebuilding year for the Beavers. But under Zalesky's leadership, the team still earned a third place finish at the Pac-10 Championships, sending three individuals to the NCAA Championships.

In just his first season at Oregon State during the 2006-07 season, Zalesky coached the Beavers to a first place finish in the Pac-10, the first time since 1994 and to a ranking as high as No. 16 in the nation. He led Ty Watterson to an fourth place All-American finish at the NCAA Championships and led the team to 900 all-time dual meet wins, the third in the nation to do so.

Zalesky compiled a 127-34 dual meet record at Iowa, serving as head coach from the 1997-98 season through the 2005-06 season. His teams won NCAA titles in 1998, 1999 and 2000, and the Hawkeyes finished second in 2001 and 2004. Zalesky's teams captured three Big Ten team titles and his wrestlers won 10 NCAA individual titles and 45 All-America honors.

While at Iowa, Zalesky was named the Big Ten Coach of the Year in 2000 and 2004 and the National Wrestling Coaches Association Coach of the Year in 1998 and 1999.

Zalesky wrestled for Iowa in the early 1980s and was a four-time All-American and three-time NCAA champion at 158 pounds, ending his Hawkeye career with an 89-match winning streak. He was named Outstanding Wrestler at the 1984 NCAA Championships and Amateur Wrestling News named him the Wrestler of the Decade for the 1980s; he narrowly missed earning a place on the 1988 United States Olympic Team as he placed second in the U.S. Nationals at 163 pounds.

Zalesky was inducted into the National Wrestling Hall of Fame in 2004, the University of Iowa Letterman's Club Hall of Fame and the Iowa High School Athletic Association Wrestling Hall of Fame in 2002, and the Iowa Wrestling Hall of Fame in 1994.

Zalesky's coaching career also includes three years as an assistant coach at Minnesota and seven seasons as an assistant under legendary Iowa coach Dan Gable, with Zalesky serving as head recruiter. As an assistant at Iowa, Zalesky was named the National Wrestling Coaches Association Assistant Coach of the Year in 1992 and 1997.

Zalesky is a 1984 graduate of Iowa. He and his wife, Teri, have four children - Nicolette, Jaclyn, Zackery and Lucas.

**Hometown:**  
Shueyville, Iowa  
**Education:**  
B.S. General Studies  
**Wife:**  
Teri  
**Children:**  
Nicolette, Jaclyn,  
Zackery, Lucas

Year (School)	Dual Meets	Conference Finish	NCAA Finish	Conference Champions	All- Americans	NCAA Champions
1997-98 Iowa	13-3	First	First	3	6	3
1998-99 Iowa	13-4	Second	First	3	5	2
1999-00 Iowa	18-0	First	First	4	6	1
2000-01 Iowa	18-4	Third	Second	4	7	2
2001-02 Iowa	16-4	Second	Fourth	2	5	0
2002-03 Iowa	17-3	Second	Eighth	3	3	1
2003-04 Iowa	11-4	First	Second	1	4	1
2004-05 Iowa	10-5	Fourth	Seventh	0	4	0
2005-06 Iowa	11-7	Sixth	Fourth	0	5	0
2006-07 Oregon State	17-2	First	26th	2	1	0
2007-08 Oregon State	10-8	Third	46st	2	0	0
2008-09 Oregon State	10-8	Second	41st	0	1	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>164-52</b>			<b>24</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>10</b>





## **Troy Steiner | Assistant Coach | Fourth Season Iowa, 1993**

Troy Steiner continued his association with Oregon State head coach Jim Zalesky when he was hired on April 28, 2006. He begins his fourth season back at Oregon State.

Steiner had been on Zalesky's coaching staff for the past two seasons at Iowa, and he previously worked at Oregon State as an assistant coach to former head coach Joe Wells during the 1995-96 season.

Prior to working with Zalesky at Iowa, Steiner owned and operated the ADVANCE School of Wrestling in Madison, Wis., for four years. He also served as an assistant coach at Wisconsin from 1997-2001 and Minnesota in 1996-97. During his career, Steiner has coached 22 All-Americans, 10 Big Ten champions, six NCAA champions and one junior FILA World Freestyle champion.

Steiner was a four-time all-American at Iowa from 1990-93 and a NCAA champion in 1992. He won three Big Ten titles at Iowa, compiling a 148-13 career record at 134 and 142 pounds. He and his twin brother, Terry, were part of three national and four Big Ten championship teams.

Steiner shares Iowa's school record for best season winning percentage for the 42-0 record he compiled during his junior season. He also ranks third in career wins (148) and sixth in season wins (42) in the Hawkeyes' illustrious wrestling history.

In post-collegiate competition, Steiner was a nine-time U.S. National team member, winning the 1992 World Cup and the 1996 Pan-American Games titles. He placed third at the U.S. Olympic Trials in 1992 and 1996, and fifth in 2000. A native of Bismarck, N.D., Steiner was inducted into the North Dakota Hall of Fame in 1998.

Steiner received his bachelor's degree in Social Work from Iowa in 1993 and his master's degree in Kinesiology with a sports management emphasis from Minnesota in 1998. He and his wife Shawn have two children, Spencer and Abigail.



## **Kevin Roberts | Assistant Coach | Fourth Season Oregon, 1996**

Kevin Roberts begins his fourth season as an assistant coach at Oregon State. The former Oregon wrestler had also been an assistant at North Idaho College and Wyoming and had been a strength and conditioning coach at Minnesota since 2004.

At Minnesota, Roberts coordinated the strength and conditioning program for the wrestling team, assisted in the daily operation of the wrestling program and served as the program's video coordinator.

At North Idaho from 1998-2000 and also from 2001-04, Roberts helped lead NIC to the 2003 NJCAA National Championships. He was on the staff at Wyoming for the 2000-01 season.

As a wrestler at Oregon from 1994-96, Roberts was a two-time All-American at 118 pounds, placing fourth in 1994 and eighth in 1995, and he was a three-time Pacific-10 finalist.

As a senior, Roberts was team captain; he earned the school's Pacific-10 Medal for a male athlete for outstanding achievements in scholarship, athletics and citizenship; and he earned the Emerald Trophy as the school's outstanding senior athlete. Roberts was named the Ducks' Most Valuable Wrestler three times.

Roberts is originally from Spokane, Wash., where he was a state champion for University High. He received a M.S. in Kinesiology and Health from the University of Wyoming in 2007, and a B.S. in Sociology from the University of Oregon in 1996.

Roberts and his wife, Cami, have a son, Drew and two daughters, Libby and Kyla.



## **Travis Pascoe | Volunteer Assistant Coach | Fourth Season Nebraska, 2005**

Travis Pascoe, an All-American and four-time qualifier for the NCAA Championships, begins his fourth season as volunteer assistant coach at Oregon State.

Pascoe comes to Oregon State after spending the 2005-06 season as an assistant coach at Fresno State, and he has also coached as an instructor at camps and clinics.

While wrestling for Nebraska, Pascoe placed sixth in the 2005 NCAA Championships at 184 pounds. He also earned a Cliff Keen Las Vegas Collegiate title en route to 101 wins as a Cornhusker. When he concluded his career, he ranked 13th on the school's all-time wins list.

Pascoe attended high school at Gonzaga Prep in Spokane, Wash., where he had a career record of 138-8 and won three state titles at 189 pounds. Pascoe also earned All-America honors while in high school.

Pascoe is continuing his wrestling career while at Oregon State, training for the world championships and Olympic Trials.

## **Nick Simmons | Director of Operations | First Season Michigan State, 2007**

Nick Simmons, one of the nation's best wrestlers, begins his first season with the Oregon State wrestling program as Director of Operations.

Currently, Simmons is still competing internationally finding success at the 2009 U.S. Nationals, taking the 55 kilogram title. He was named a U.S. Olympic alternate in 2008. He has a Pan American title and two University Nationals titles under his belt, being named Outstanding Wrestler and earning the Most Falls award in the same year. Simmons placed second at the 2007 U.S. Nationals and third at the 2005 World Team Trials. Taking the 2003-04 season off from collegiate competition to train for the Athens Olympics, Simmons placed fifth at the Olympic Trials.

Simmons comes to Oregon State after one of the most successful careers in Michigan State history, finishing with 138 wins, good for second career wins all-time, adding four All-America honors. Simmons was a

three-time Big Ten champion, as well as a three-time Midlands Championships champion. His 46 career falls is a school record, and he was named the 2005 Michigan State Male Athlete of the Year.

His success on the mat started early with Simmons posting a perfect 211-0 prep record, earning four MHSAA state titles. He racked up 208 wins by fall or technical fall, including 157 consecutive falls and setting a national record for falls in a single season with 57. He finished his career with two Asics High School First Team All-America accolades and three U.S. Junior Nationals Freestyle titles, making the finals four years. He was named the 1999 Jr. Schalles Award, given to the nation's best pinner.

Simmons is from Williamston, Mich., and graduated from Michigan State in 2007 with a degree in Human Resource Social Science. He's currently working on his MBA at Oregon State.

# RETURNING NCAA QUALIFIERS

## Keegan Davis | Senior - 3V | 157 Pounds Salem, Ore. (Sprague HS)

### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a junior, lettered, wrestled at 165 pounds ... 30-15 record with zero pins ... 10-8 record in dual meets ... Earned team's Most Improved Award ... Unseeded at the NCAA Tournament, went 1-2; decision over Paul Young, Indiana, 3-1 (OT) ... Seeded fourth, went 3-1, finishing third at the Pac-10 Championship; major decision over Joseph Granata, CS Bakersfield, 13-5; major decision over Bryan Cantrell, Portland State, 18-7; decision over Granata, 11-6 ... At Best of the West Tournament, went 5-0 to win 165 pound title with five decisions ... Went 5-2 at the Reno Tournament of Champions, finishing fourth; major decision over Jarrod Purvis, NMU Highlands, 14-5; decision over Derek Sickel, The Citadel, 8-3; decision over Kyle Blevins, Appalachian State, 7-2; decision over Nick Amuchastegui, Stanford, 7-4; decision over Taylor May, Nebraska-Kearney, 7-5 ... Finished seventh at the Midlands Championships, going 6-2 with three major decisions over Chris Spranger, Iowa State-Unattached, 12-3; Ben Hoover, Unattached, 16-5; Seth Garvin, Chattanooga, 8-0 ... Racked up nine major decisions and one technical fall.

**2008:** As a sophomore, lettered, wrestled at 165 pounds ... 11-10 record with one pin ... Seeded sixth, finished fifth with 2-2 record at Pac-10 Championships; decision over Ryan Williams, Cal Poly, 5-4 (3OT); major decision over Zack Frazier, Oregon, 20-6 ... 8-8 dual meet record ... Decision over No. 14 Patrick Pitsch, Arizona State, 4-2 ... Best of the West fourth place finish at 165 pounds; decision over Arminder Virk, Simon Fraser, 12-5; major decision over Shane Delph, Lassen, 14-3; decision over Cody Ponder 5-1 ... Competed in the U.S. Nationals.

**2007:** As a freshman, lettered, wrestled at 157 pounds ... 14-14 record with one pin ... Only true freshman to compete at Pac-10 Championships,

unseeded, finishing fifth with 3-2 record with zero pins; decision by Chase Pami, Cal Poly, 4-10; decision over Kyle Bounds, Oregon, 9-5; decision over Jon Clark, UC Davis, 3-2; decision by Pami, 6-3; decision over Daniel Alejandro, Cal State Bakersfield, 8-2 ... 6-8 dual record with One pin over Bryan Cantrell, Oregon, in 4:36 ... Two major decisions over Noomis Jones, Adams State, 12-4; Kyle Bounds, Oregon, 9-1.

### SPRAGUE HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years for coach Kary Hadden ... 160-13 career record; two-time All-American, two-time state champion, four-time league champion ... As a senior at 160 pounds, state champion, league champion; 44-1 record; also won state titles in Freestyle, Greco-Roman ... As a junior at 152 pounds, placed second in state, league champion; 41-2 record; Freestyle state champion, Greco-Roman runner-up ... As a sophomore at 145 pounds, state champion, league champion; 38-3 record; Freestyle state runner-up ... As a freshman at 145 pounds, placed fifth in state, league champion; 37-7 record; Freestyle state runner-up ... Also played football.

### PERSONAL

Sociology major ... Born in Albany, Ore. ... Parents are Dan and Christy Davis; family includes brother Stryder, sister Carmel ... Stryder wrestled for Montana State-Northern and was Oregon State's former director of wrestling operations ... Former prep teammate RJ Pena currently competes for Oregon State ... Top athletic thrill was winning state triple crown with titles in high school, Freestyle and Greco-Roman meets ... Chose Oregon State for its academics and wrestling program.



- **2009 NCAA Qualifier**
- **2009 Pacific-10 Third Place**
- **2008 Midlands Seventh Place**
- **2008 Best of the West Champion**
- **2008 Reno Tournament Fourth Place**
- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
<b>2006-07 (165)</b>	11-10	8-8	1-0	0-0	4-1
<b>2007-08 (165)</b>	14-14	6-8	1-1	0-0	2-3
<b>2008-09 (165)</b>	30-15	10-8	0-1	1-0	9-2
<b>Total</b>	54-39	24-24	2-2	1-0	15-6

## Clayton Jack | Sophomore - 1V | Heavyweight Vacaville, Calif. (Vacaville HS)

### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a redshirt freshman, lettered, wrestled at heavyweight ... 23-12 record with nine pins, scoring bonus points in nearly half of matches ... 13-4 dual meet record ... Earned team's Most Pins Award ... Unseeded at NCAA Championships, went 0-2 ... Seeded second at Pac-10 Championships, went 2-1, finishing second; major decision over Leonard Romero, Cal Poly, 11-1; decision over Kurt Klimek, CS Fullerton, 7-3 ... Named Most Outstanding Wrestler at Best of the West Tournament after pinning way to heavyweight title, going 4-0 ... At Reno Tournament of Champions, went 3-2; major decision over David Morgan, CS Bakersfield-Unattached, 10-1; fall over Ivan Muller, The Citadel-Unattached, 2:01; fall over Andy Hartshorn, Ohio, 2:16 ... At Midlands Championships, went 1-2; fall over Josh Wine, VMI, 2:09 ... Strung together a nine-match winning streak before championship match of Pac-10 Championships, the second longest of the season on the team ... Suffered a knee injury prior to Pac-10 Championships that required postseason surgery ... Recorded five major decisions and two technical falls.

**2008:** Redshirted ... Recorded a 27-6 record in open tournaments ... Finished fifth at the Junior FILA Freestyle World Championships at 120 kilograms after finishing second at the Junior FILA Nationals.

### VACAVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years under coaches Clint Birch and Adam Wight ... As a senior, won the state title at heavyweight pinning all five opponents; also led team to state title ... Set school records with 39 season pins and 99 career pins ... As a junior, finished fifth at the state tournament at 215 pounds with a 55-7 record ... As a sophomore, finished eighth at the state tournament at 189 pounds with a 47-13 record ... As a freshman, wrestled at 160 and 171 with a 15-8 record ... Three-time All-League honoree ... Also played football for two years; two-time All-League mention; All-State third team ... MEL Lineman of the Year ... 2007 Sacramento Bee Male Athlete of the Year.

### PERSONAL

Human Development and Family Science major ... Born in Reno, Nev. ... Parents are David and Diane Jack; family includes sister Allison ... Top athletic thrill was winning a state title ... Chose Oregon State because of its beautiful campus and great wrestling program.



- **2009 NCAA Qualifier**
- **2009 Pacific-10 Second Place**
- **2008 Best of the West Champion**
- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
<b>2007-08</b>	Redshirt				
<b>2008-09 (HWT)</b>	23-12	13-4	9-1	2-0	5-2
<b>Total</b>	23-12	13-4	9-1	2-0	5-2



# Kelly Kubec | Sophomore - 1V | 133 Pounds

## Lake Stevens, Wash. (Lake Stevens HS)

### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a redshirt freshman, lettered, wrestled at 133 pounds ... 20-10 record with two pins ... 14-4 dual meet record ... Named to the D1CollegeWrestling.net All-Freshmen Team ... Unseeded, went 0-2 at NCAA Championships ... Seeded sixth, finished second with 2-1 performance at Pac-10 Championships; decision over Thomas Kimbrell, CS Bakersfield, 8-2; decision over No. 13 TJ Dillashaw, CS Fullerton, 5-3 ... Finished third at the Best of the West Tournament, going 3-1; fall over Aaron Garcia, Menlow; technical fall over Alec Tuura, Simon Fraser, 18-1; fall over Naveed Bagheri, SFSU ... Went 1-2 at Reno Tournament of Champions; decision over Kevin Smith, Buffalo, 2-1 ... Recurring knee injury during season kept him out of Midlands Championships ... Recorded seven major decisions and two technical falls.

**2008:** Redshirted ... Competed in Junior FILA Nationals finishing second at 60 kilograms ... At the Junior World Team Trials was injured in his third match and forced to default.

- **2009 NCAA Qualifier**
- **2009 Pacific-10 Second Place**
- **2008 Best of the West Third Place**
- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

### LAKE STEVENS HIGH SCHOOL

Wrestled and lettered four years under coach Brent Barnes ... State champion three times; career record: 144-11 ... Team captain 2007 ... Selected as three-time all-star ... Cadet Nationals champion, runner-up in Greco-Roman ... Junior Nationals All-American in Freestyle, Greco-Roman ... Ranked as high as No. 3 by Amateur Wrestling News at 130 pounds.

### PERSONAL

Majoring in Business Administration ... Born in Everett, Wash. ... Parents are Keith and Lori Kubec; family includes brother Tony ... Chose Oregon State because of its great wrestling coaching staff.

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2007-08	Redshirt				
2008-09 (133)	20-10	14-4	2-0	2-0	7-3
Total	20-10	14-4	2-0	2-0	7-3



# Ryan Smith | Sophomore - TR | 165 Pounds

## Prineville, Ore. (Crook County HS/Oklahoma)

### OKLAHOMA

Lettered one season under head coach Jack Spates, redshirting his true freshman season ... Compiled a 15-13 record with five pins at 165 pounds, 9-7 in duals ... Tallied 70 total dual meet points ... Finished fifth at the Big 12 Tournament ... 2009 NCAA qualifier.

### CROOK COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years at 125, 140 and 160 pounds ... Three-time state champion ... 2006 Freestyle national qualifier, finishing second ... Placed third at Greco Nationals ... Named to the 2007 Wrestling USA Magazine's High School All-America Team ... Compiled a 157-7 record at 160 pounds.

### PERSONAL

Psychology major ... Born in Bend, Ore. ... Parents are Ken and Denise Smith; family includes two older sisters, Heather and Rachel ... Father Ken also wrestled.

- **2009 NCAA Qualifier**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2007-08 OU	Redshirt				
2008-09 (165) OU	15-13	9-7	5-0	0-0	1-1
Total	15-13	9-7	5-0	0-0	1-1



# RETURNING WRESTLERS

## Brice Arand | Junior - 2V | 184, 197 Pounds Springfield, Ore. (Thurston HS)

### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a sophomore, lettered, wrestled at 184 pounds ... 15-13 record with five pins ... 5-6 dual meet record ... Seeded sixth, went 3-1 at Pac-10 Championships, finishing fifth; decision over Jonathon Clark, UC Davis, 6-5; technical fall over Brady Garner, Portland State, 18-3 (7:00); fall over Jake Meredith, Arizona State, 4:33 ... At Reno Tournament of Champions, went 4-2; fall over Jared Shelton, Oklahoma State, 4:04; decision over No. 18 Chris Daggett, Liberty, 7-3; decision over Michael French, Great Falls, 7-2' fall over Ernesto Ancona, CS Bakersfield, 1:20 ... At Midlands Championships, went 1-2; fall over Grant Gambrall, Iowa-Unattached, 2:19.

**2008:** As a redshirt freshman, lettered, wrestled at 197 pounds ... 12-12 record with zero pins ... 5-10 dual meet record ... At Cliff Keen Las Vegas Invitational, went 3-2; decision over Jimmy Hamel, Buffalo, 3-2; decision over Ryan Allen, Boise State, 7-2; decision over Nick Locke, Pacific, 6-0 ... Best of the West Champion at 197 pounds; major decision over Fernando Pedraza, Southwestern Oregon CC, 12-0; decision over Rock Schneider 10-6; decision over Locke, Pacific, 9-3; decision over Shane Miller, Las-

sen, 6-0 ... Competed in the Junior FILA Nationals.

**2007:** Redshirted.

### THURSTON HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years for coach Mike Simons ... As a senior at 171 pounds, placed third in state, placed second in league; 42-8 record ... As a junior at 171 pounds, placed second in league ... As a sophomore at 135 pounds, placed second in league ... At Junior Nationals, fourth in Greco-Roman, sixth in Freestyle.

### PERSONAL

Human Development and Family Science major ... Born in Eugene, Ore. ... Parents are Ron and Rochell Arand; family includes brothers Brett, Ryan, Braxton ... Brett also wrestled for Oregon State ... Prep teammate Luke Hagle wrestles for Cornell ... Top athletic thrill was placing fourth in Greco-Roman, sixth in Freestyle at Junior Nationals.



- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
<b>2006-07</b>	Redshirt				
<b>2007-08 (197)</b>	12-12	5-10	0-1	2-1	2-1
<b>2008-09 (184)</b>	15-13	5-6	5-0	3-0	3-2
<b>Total</b>	27-25	10-16	5-1	5-1	5-3

## Dan Brascetta | Senior - 3V | 157, 165 Pounds Aurora, Colo. (Grandview HS)

### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a junior, lettered, wrestled at 165 and 174 pounds ... 7-8 record with two pins ... 0-2 record in dual meets ... At Best of the West, went 3-2 at 174 pounds; fall over Adam Delgarza, Unattached; decision over Ryan Sonderegger, Portland State, 11-7; decision over Levi Holt, Boise State, 8-4 ... At Reno Tournament of Champions, went 4-3, finishing sixth at 165 pounds; decision over Brad Clark, Liberty, 4-2; Devin Velasquez, CS Fullerton, 6-4; fall over Joey Granata, CS Bakersfield, 3:33; decision over Aaron Glover, Duke, 6-5.

**2008:** As a sophomore, lettered, wrestled at 157 pounds ... 17-11 record with two pins ... 10-8 record in dual meets ... At Cliff Keen Las Vegas Invitational, went 3-2; major decision over Ryan Sprackling, Colorado SOM, 15-4; pinned Marc Wermersen, South Dakota State, in 54 seconds; major decision over Justin Gaethje, Northern Colorado, 13-5 ... Best of the West Runner-Up at 157 pounds; pinned Joseph Christensen, Southern Oregon, in 5:27; technical fall over John Gallagher 18-3; major decision over Mar-shal Giovanni 18-8; decision over Chris Harada, Burnaby Mountain WC,

9-8.

**2007:** As a redshirt freshman, lettered, wrestled at 165 pounds ... 1-1 record with zero pins ... Fell to Dustin Noack, UC Davis, in 1:40 in first appearance; major decision over Evan Barbre, Cal Poly, 15-7.

**2006:** Redshirted ... Earned team's Most Promising Freshman award.

### GRANDVIEW HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years for coach Greg Masters ... As a senior at 145 pounds, second in state, 30-6 record, all-conference ... Four-time Colorado Team.

### PERSONAL

Majoring in Economics with a Business and Entrepreneurship minor ... Born in Philadelphia, Pa. ... Parents are Michael and Marita Brascetta; family includes brothers Jon and Nick ... Jon also wrestles for Oregon State ... Top athletic thrill was prep state finals ... Chose Oregon State for its wrestling and Engineering programs.



- **2008 Midlands Sixth Place**
- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
<b>2005-06</b>	Redshirt				
<b>2006-07 (165)</b>	1-1	1-1	0-1	0-0	1-0
<b>2007-08 (157)</b>	17-11	10-8	2-3	1-1	9-4
<b>2008-09 (165)</b>	4-5	0-0	1-3	0-0	0-0
<b>2008-09 (174)</b>	3-3	0-2	1-0	0-0	0-0
<b>Total</b>	25-20	11-11	4-7	1-1	10-4



# Jon Brascetta | Junior - 2V | 157, 165 Pounds

## Aurora, Colo. (Grandview HS)

### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a sophomore, lettered, wrestled at 157 pounds ... 8-5 record one pin ... 6-3 in dual meets ... Seeded fourth, went 2-2 at the Pac-10 Championships, finishing fourth; decision over Alex Bubb, Portland State, 3-2; major decision over Joseph Wilson, UC Davis, 10-2 ... Recorded three major decisions.

**2008:** As a redshirt freshman, lettered, wrestled at 165 pounds ... 7-6 record with one pin ... Suffered injury that ended his season during Cliff Keen Las Vegas Invitational after winning first match; decision over Victor Macco, Columbia, 7-4 ... 1-1 in dual meets; major decision over Alex Bubb, Portland State, 16-3 ... Best of the West Runner-Up at 165 pounds; pinned Anthony Clay, Lassen, in 1:19; major decision over Jason Appleton, Southern Oregon, 12-4; decision over Early Ulrey, Southern Oregon, 7-3 ... Competed in Junior World Team Trials, finishing fourth at 74 kilograms.

**2007:** Redshirted.

### GRANDVIEW HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years for coach Greg Masters ... As a senior at 145 pounds, state champion, regional champion, league champion; 35-3 record; set state takedown records for a match with 17, for a tournament with 44, and for a season with 289 ... As a junior at 135 pounds, placed third in state, regional champion, league champion; 38-6 record ... As a sophomore at 119 pounds, placed sixth in state, placed third in region, league champion; 34-11 record ... As a freshman at 103 pounds, placed third in league; 26-11 record ... Also played football.

### PERSONAL

Majoring in Sociology ... Born in Philadelphia, Pa. ... Parents are Michael and Marita Brascetta; family includes brothers Dan, Nick ... Dan also wrestles for Oregon State ... Top athletic thrill was winning high school state title ... Chose Oregon State because "my older brother goes here and we have always been really close."

- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2006-07	Redshirt				
2007-08 (165)	7-6	1-1	1-0	0-0	3-0
2008-09 (157)	8-5	6-3	1-1	0-0	3-1
Total	15-11	7-4	2-1	0-0	6-1



# Alan Dickey | Redshirt Sophomore - RS | 149 Pounds

## Sheridan, Ore. (Willamina HS/Portland State)

### OREGON STATE

**2009:** Redshirted his true sophomore season.

### PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY

As a freshman, lettered for one season for head coach Mike Haluska at 149 pounds ... 14-19 record with three pins ... At Pac-10 Championships, unseeded, went 0-2 ... Started the season off on a six-match winning streak ... 4-12 dual meet record ... At Fullerton Open, went 1-1, decision over Elwin Warsh, Cal Poly, 8-5 ... At Oregon Classic, finished 3-2, decision over Joshua Nolan, San Francisco State, 4-2; decision over Raj Rai, DCO, 10-6, decision over Charles Beeson, CCC, 5-3 ... At San Francisco Open, went 1-2, decision over Haseeb, Sudat, CSF, 6-2.

### WILLAMINA HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years in wrestling for head coach Arian Fasana ... Wrestled at three different weights; 135 pounds as a freshman and sophomore, 140 pounds as a junior, 152 pounds as a senior ... Two-time state champion, four-time qualifier ... Junior National All-American in Greco-Roman ... Also competed in cross country and track for four years and football for three years as a outside linebacker and running back ... National Honor Society member.

### PERSONAL

Exercise and Sport Science major with a PETE option ... Born in McMinnville, Ore. ... Parents are Vane and Denise Dickey, family includes siblings Dana and Bethany ... Chose Oregon State because "it's close to home and it has a pretty campus."

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2007-08 (149) PSU	14-19	4-12	3-3	0-1	1-4
2008-09	Redshirt				
Total	14-19	4-12	3-3	0-1	1-4



## Garrett Drucker | Sophomore - 1V | 141 Pounds

### Huntington Beach, Calif. (Edison HS)

#### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a redshirt freshman, lettered, wrestled at 141 pounds ... 11-11 record with three pins ... 4-6 dual meet record ... Seeded sixth, went 1-2 at the Pac-10 Championships, finishing seventh; major decision over David Christian, Cal Poly, 13-0 ... At Best of the West Tournament, finished second with 4-1 record; major decision over Mike Rughi, Menlow, 14-5; fall over Trent Stevenson, SWOCC; major decision over Jaquain Carlos, SFSU, 17-7; major decision over Jeff Newby, UVSU; 13-6 ... Finished 2-2 at Reno Tournament of Champions; decision over Kyle Bank, UC Davis, 13-11; fall over Brendan Connolly, SWOCC, 3:24 ... Chalked up four major decisions.

**2008:** Redshirted ... Competed in the Junior FILA Nationals.

#### EDISON HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years for head coach Luis Renteria ... As a senior, won the California state title at 135 pounds, finishing the season 48-5 ... The championship marked the school's first ever state title for high school ... Two-time Sunset League Champion ... Team captain.

#### PERSONAL

Majoring in Business Administration ... Born in Newport Beach, Calif. ... Parents are Joe and Mary Drucker; family includes brother Brandon ... Brandon wrestles at Cuesta Junior College ... Top athletic thrill was winning the state title.

- **2008 Best of the West Second Place**
- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
<b>2007-08</b>	Redshirt				
<b>2008-09 (141)</b>	11-11	4-6	3-2	0-0	4-4
<b>Total</b>	11-11	4-6	3-2	0-0	4-4



## Josh Gannon | Junior - TM | 174, 184 Pounds

### Elmira, Ore. (Elmira HS)

#### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a sophomore, did not wrestle a varsity match.

**2008:** As a redshirt freshman, did not wrestle a varsity match.

**2007:** Redshirted his true freshman season.

competed in football, track ... Three-time Class Athlete of the Year; Speaker of the Year ... Four-year Honor Roll, Army Scholar-Athlete; Advanced Placement in English, Government, History.

#### PERSONAL

Majoring in Business Management and Communications ... Born in Eugene, Ore. ... Parents are Richard Gannon and Terry Richardson; family includes brother Adam, sisters Ashley, Haley ... Top athletic thrill was making the high school district finals as a sophomore, scoring winning takedown in the final seconds ... Chose Oregon State for its wrestling program.

#### ELMIRA HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years for coach Scott Shannon ... Two-time state champ, three-time league champ ... As a senior at 189 pounds, state champion, league champion ... As a junior at 171 pounds, state champion, league champion ... As a sophomore at 171 pounds, league champion ... Also



## Chad Hanke | Sophomore - 1V | 197 Pounds

### Dayton, Ore. (Dayton HS)

#### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a redshirt freshman, lettered, wrestled at 197 pounds ... 20-14 record with one pin ... 11-7 dual meet record ... Seeded fourth, went 3-2 at the Pac-10 Championships, finishing fifth; technical fall over Keena Washington, Portland State, 19-4 (6:48); technical fall over Bo Lukehart, Cal Poly, 22-7 (6:31); win by forfeit over John Drake, CS Fullerton ... At Best of the West Tournament finished second with 3-1 record; fall over Al Kinslow, Menlow; decision over Jacob Neumann, Unattached, 8-2; decision over Rudy Burtschi, North Idaho, 8-7 ... Went 1-2 at Reno Tournament of Champions ... Recorded a 2-3 record at Midlands Championships ... Recorded five major decisions and three technical falls ... 2-1 record in overtime matches ... Earned a second place finish at the FILA Junior National Championships ... Finished third at the Junior FILA World Team Trials at 96 kilograms.

**2008:** Redshirted ... Competed in Junior FILA Nationals, taking the title at 96 kilograms ... At the Junior World Team Trials finished second.

#### DAYTON HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years under Jeremy Wilson ... Won state title three years ... Two-time Greco and Freestyle state runner-up ... Three-time District Champion ... Team captain senior year ... Member of National Honor Society; Honor Roll ... Sophomore Class President.

#### PERSONAL

Sociology major ... Born in Hillsboro, Ore. ... Parents are Michael Hanke and Denise Armijo; family includes brother Jake, sisters Cora, Angela, Christina, Nikki ... Top athletic thrill was winning his first state title ... Chose Oregon State because of its outstanding wrestling program, academics and location.

- **2008 Best of the West Second Place**
- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
<b>2007-08</b>	Redshirt				
<b>2008-09 (197)</b>	20-14	11-7	1-7	3-0	5-2
<b>Total</b>	20-14	11-7	1-7	3-0	5-2



**Ryan Harold | Senior - 2V | 141 Pounds**  
**Loomis, Calif. (Del Oro HS)**

**OREGON STATE**

**2009:** As a junior, lettered, wrestled at 141 pounds ... 1-10 record ... 0-8 dual meet record ... Earned his first career win in decision over Brendan Connolly, SWCC, 3-1 at Best of the West Tournament.

**2008:** As a sophomore, lettered, wrestled at 141 pounds ... 0-3 record.

**DEL ORO HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years for coaches Dave Sanchez and Clint Madden ... As a senior, team captain; CIF state qualifier at 135 pounds ... As a junior, was Sac-Joaquin section qualifier at 130 pounds.

**PERSONAL**

Exercise and Sport Science major with a minor in Business and Entrepreneurship ... Born in Sacramento, Calif. ... Parents are Bill and Luanne Harold; family includes brother Ross, sister Robyn ... Prep teammate Micah Ferguson wrestles for Cal Poly ... Top athletic thrill was winning in overtime to qualify for the CIF state tournament ... Chose Oregon State for its location and atmosphere.

- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
<b>2007-08 (141)</b>	0-3	0-3	0-0	0-1	0-1
<b>2008-09 (197)</b>	1-10	0-8	0-0	0-3	0-3
<b>Total</b>	1-13	0-11	0-0	0-4	0-4



**Jason Lara | Redshirt Sophomore - RS | 125 Pounds**  
**Midway City, Calif. (Calvary Chapel HS/Michigan)**

**OREGON STATE**

**2009:** Redshirted his true sophomore season ... Finished sixth at the FILA Junior National Championships.

**MICHIGAN**

As a true freshman, lettered, wrestled at 125 pounds ... 3-5 record with zero pins, bonus points in 13 percent of matches (1 of 8) ... 3-1 tournament record at the EMU Open before withdrawing with injury ... Major decision over Michael Donovan, Grand Valley State, 15-2 for first collegiate win; Decision over Josh Chappa, Cumberland, 2-1.

**CALVARY CHAPEL HIGH SCHOOL**

Named 2007 Orange County Register Wrestler of the Year ... Earned Most Outstanding Wrestler honors at the 2007 California State Championships

after capturing the 119-pound state title ... Three-time placewinner at the CIF Southern Section Championships ... Career prep record of 141-21 ... Claimed fifth in the 119-pound division at the 2007 Senior Nationals ... Took fourth place at the 2006 FILA Cadet Freestyle Nationals (127.75 pounds) ... Two-time placewinner at the Reno Tournament of Champions in 2005 ... California state freestyle champion in 2006 ... Placed fifth at 2005 state freestyle meet.

**PERSONAL**

Merchandising Management major ... Parents are Jay and Dee Lara; family includes one younger sister, Gabriella ... Former prep teammate Nick Knowles wrestles for Liberty University ... Chose Oregon State "to train under Coach Zalesky, get a solid education and win an NCAA Championship."

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
<b>2007-08 (125) UM</b>	3-5	0-4	0-2	0-1	1-1
<b>2008-09</b>	Redshirt				
<b>Total</b>	3-5	0-4	0-2	0-1	1-1



**Mike Mangrum | Redshirt Freshman - RS | 141 Pounds**  
**Auburn, Wash. (Auburn-Riverside HS)**

**OREGON STATE**

**2009:** Redshirted his true freshman season ... Finished fourth at the FILA Junior National Championships.

**AUBURN-RIVERSIDE HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years in wrestling for head coach Steve Mead ... Three-time state champion, finishing as runner-up ... Four-time Fargo National School Athlete of the Year ... Washington Athlete of the Year ... Led the United States to the Junior Pan Am Freestyle Championship earning gold at 66 kilograms ... Also earned a bronze medal in Greco-Roman.

**PERSONAL**

Exploratory Studies major ... Born in Auburn, Wash. ... Parents are Carl and Diane Mangrum, family includes an older brother, Chris ... Father, Carl, wrestled for the University of Washington ... Former prep teammate Eric Jones wrestles for the University of Wyoming ... Chose Oregon State because "it is close to home and has good coaches."

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
<b>2008-09</b>	Redshirt				
<b>Total</b>	—	—	—	—	—





## Jarrett "Bubba" Owens | Redshirt Freshman - RS | Heavyweight Tillamook, Ore. (Tillamook HS)

### OREGON STATE

**2008:** Redshirted his true freshman season.

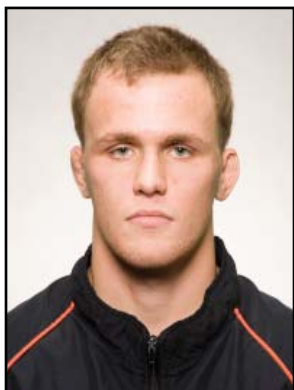
### TILLAMOOK HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years in wrestling for head coach Lonnie Eggert at heavy-weight ... Three-time All-Cowapa League ... Two-time triple crown winner ... All-American ... Also competed in football for three years at tackle for head coach Dave Ackerman ... Two-time All-Cowapa League.

### PERSONAL

Exploratory Studies major ... Born in Portland, Ore. ... Parents are James and Jill Owens, family includes siblings James, Jesse, Lindsey, Lauran, Drew ... Chose Oregon State "to wrestle."

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2008-09	Redshirt				
Total	—	—	—	—	—



## Tim Patrick | Junior - 2V | 165 Pounds Milwaukie, Ore. (Milwaukie HS)

### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a sophomore, lettered, wrestled at 157 pounds ... 5-1 record with one pin ... Earned his lone dual meet pin against Simon Fraser, technical fall over Adam Tholhofer, 18-3 ... At Best of the West, went 4-1, finishing second; fall over Anthony Ough, Southern Oregon; decision over Lucas Chester, North Idaho, 10-3; fall over Shad Manigault, West Haven; decision over Tommy Hooper, Southern Oregon, 6-4.

**2008:** As a redshirt freshman, lettered, wrestled at 157 pounds ... 3-2 record with two pins ... Earned team's Dale Thomas Hustle Award ... Unseeded, finished fourth at Pac-10 Championships; pinned Alex Pavlenko, Arizona State, in 4:35; pinned Steven Dailey, Portland State, in 5:42; decision over Kyle Bounds, Oregon, 10-7 ... Competed at the Junior FILA Nationals, finishing seventh at 74 kilograms ... At the Junior World Team Trials, finished third.

**2007:** Redshirted ... Broke his neck during a tournament, which kept him from competing for a year.

### MILWAUKIE HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years for coach Dan Williamson ... Career record of 135-18 ... As a senior at 152 pounds, placed second in state, league champion; 31-2 record ... As a junior at 145 pounds, placed fifth in state, placed second in league; 40-2 record; state runner-up in Greco-Roman, placed fifth in Freestyle ... As a sophomore at 140 pounds, league champion; 38-4 record; ... As a freshman at 135 pounds, placed third in league; 26-10 record; Greco-Roman state title ... Also competed in football, track and field ... Honor Roll.

### PERSONAL

Majoring in Human Development and Family Sciences with a minor in sociology ... Born in Portland, Ore. ... Parents are Ronnie and Carol Patrick; family includes brothers Danny, Gilbert King, Jim, sisters Lisa, Michelle, Emantha ... Top athletic thrill was reaching district finals as a sophomore ... Chose Oregon State for its Human Development and Family Sciences courses and because the wrestling program is "outstanding."

- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2006-07	Redshirt				
2007-08 (157)	3-2	0-0	2-0	0-0	0-2
2008-09 (157)	5-1	1-0	1-0	2-0	0-0
Total	8-3	1-0	3-0	2-0	0-2



## Anthony Peressini | Sophomore - 1V | 157, 165 Pounds Henderson, Nev. (Coronado HS)

### OREGON STATE

**2009:** As a redshirt freshman, lettered, wrestled at 157 pounds ... 2-5 record with one pin ... 0-3 dual meet record ... At Best of the West Tournament, went 2-2; fall over Cody Cramer, Pacific; decision over Wade El-dredge, Utah Valley State, 7-6.

**2008:** Redshirted ... Competed in Junior FILA Nationals.

### CORONADO HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years in wrestling at 145, 152 pounds under coach Tamura, Mendez, and Clements ... Co-captain two years; captain one year ... Member 2007 Southern Nevada All-Star team ... Western Junior Regional Qualifier two years ... Also lettered one year in football under coach Moore ... Lettered one year in track under coach Bolken ... Also participated in baseball under coach Maxwell ... Member of the Teenage Republicans and Honor Roll.

### PERSONAL

Civil Engineering major with a minor in Mathematics ... Born in Corvallis, Ore. ... Parents are Dan and Kristie Peressini; family includes siblings Sophia and Taragon ... Top athletic thrill was winning his first state title ... Chose to attend Oregon State for its legacy, prestige, location, organization and the fact that it is a Pac-10 school.

- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2007-08	Redshirt				
2008-09 (157)	2-5	0-3	1-1	0-1	0-1
Total	2-5	0-3	1-1	0-1	0-1





## Dan Somers | Redshirt Freshman - RS | 141 Pounds

### Quincy, Wash. (Quincy HS)

#### OREGON STATE

**2009:** Redshirted his true freshman season.

#### QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years in wrestling ... Team captain for one season ... Participated in the Down Under Games in Australia for team North Carolina ... Also lettered for three years in baseball and two years in cross country and one year in football.

#### PERSONAL

Fisheries and Wildlife major ... Born in Wenatchee, Wash. ... Parents are Roger and Katie Somers, family includes an older sister, Jessica ... Chose Oregon State because of the wrestling and for his major.

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2008-09	Redshirt				
Total	—	—	—	—	—



## Caleb Vallotton | Redshirt Freshman - RS | 133, 141 Pounds

### Bella Vista, Calif. (Foothill HS)

#### OREGON STATE

**2009:** Redshirted his true freshman season.

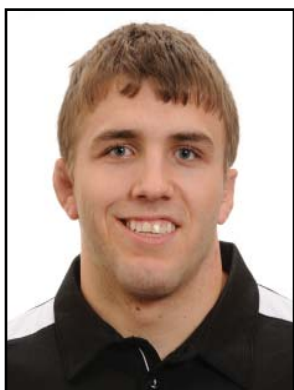
#### FOOTHILL HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years in wrestling for head coach Jerry Vallotton ... Finished sixth and fourth in the state ... Two-time All-American ... Three-time All-League selection ... Two-time section champion ... Team captain for two seasons.

#### PERSONAL

Sociology major ... Born in Redding, Calif. ... Parents are Jerry and Ann Vallotton, family includes sisters Marissa and Mandy ... Chose Oregon State for the coaches.

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2008-09	Redshirt				
Total	—	—	—	—	—



## Ty Vinson | Redshirt Freshman - RS | 184 Pounds

### Great Falls, Mont. (Great Falls HS)

#### OREGON STATE

**2009:** Redshirted his true freshman season.

#### GREAT FALLS HIGH SCHOOL

Lettered four years in wrestling for head coach Steve Komac ... Two-time state champion at 171 and 189 pounds ... 2007 Greco-Roman Junior National Champion ... Also lettered three years in football, starting two years ... Two-time First Team All-State ... Competed in the East-West Shrine Bowl.

#### PERSONAL

Exploratory Studies major ... Born in Havre, Mont. ... Parents are Bob and Lori Vinson, family includes brother Bobby and sister Shayna ... Chose Oregon State for the wrestling and Corvallis.

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2008-09	Redshirt				
Total	—	—	—	—	—



**Cody Weishoff | Sophomore - 1V | 165, 174 Pounds**  
**Molalla, Ore. (Molalla HS)**

**OREGON STATE**

**2009:** As a freshman, lettered, wrestled at 157 pounds ... 1-4 record with zero pins ... 1-4 dual meet record ... Earned first career win in decision over Matt Lopez, CS Fullerton, 7-6.

**MOLALLA HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years in wrestling for head coach Mike Campbell ... Three-time Capital Conference Champion .... Two-time state runner-up ... Also lettered for two years at defensive end in football.

**PERSONAL**

Exploratory Studies major ... Born in Oregon City, Ore. ... Parents are Matt and Teresa Weishoff, family includes brother Jake ... Chose Oregon State "because it's a good school and tough wrestling program."

- **Returning Starter**
- **Returning Letterwinner**

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2008-09	1-4	1-4	0-0	0-1	0-2
Total	1-4	1-4	0-0	0-1	0-2

**NEWCOMERS**



**Caleb Cardwell | Freshman - HS | 174 Pounds**  
**Lowell, Ore. (Lowell HS)**

**LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years under head coach Jeff Cardwell at 160 and 171 pounds ... Three-time OSAA 2A/1A state champion, once at 160 pounds as a sophomore and two at 171 pounds ... Team captain as a sophomore ... Also lettered in football under head coach Dan Goss at running back and defensive end and four years in baseball under head coach Jack Deveraux at pitcher and infield ... Named All-League pitcher, All-State infielder as a junior ... As a junior, named First Team All-League in football, All-State defensive end ... As a senior, named football league Defensive Player of the Year ... National Honor Society, Honor Roll.

**PERSONAL**

Construction Engineering Management major ... Born in Corvallis, Ore. ... Parents are Jeff and Karen Cardwell; family includes two younger brothers Zac and Josh, and one younger sister, Anna ... Father, Jeff, was a two-time All-American in 1986-87 at 150 and 158 pounds and former assistant coach at Oregon State; uncle, Scott Cardwell, was a Pac-10 Champion at 142 pounds in 1986 at Oregon State; mother, Karen, was a swimmer at Oregon State; and Daniel Casarez plays baseball at George Fox ... Chose Oregon State because "my dad was an All-American here, and I want to accomplish the same feat."



**Colby Covington | Junior - TR | 174 Pounds**  
**Springfield, Ore. (Thurston HS/Central Iowa CC/Iowa)**

**IOWA**

Lettered one year at Iowa as a redshirt sophomore under head coach Tom Brands at 165 pounds ... Went 9-2 ... Won the 165 pound title at Flash Flanagan and Grand View Opens ... Five of his nine wins were bonus point matches.

**CENTRAL IOWA COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

Lettered during his true freshman season under head coach Luke Mof-fitt at 165 pounds ... Won the Junior College National Championship ... Midwestern Conference champion ... Became the first undefeated wrestler with a 34-0 record ... Placed third at 2006 Midlands Championships. Redshirted his true sophomore season.

**THURSTON HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years under head coach Mike Simmon at 112, 135, 152 and 171 pounds ... Set school record for most takedowns in a season (228)

... Finished prep career with 118-34 record with 58 pins ... As a senior, earned state title at 171 pounds, named First Team All-League ... Two-time conference champion, helping team to two conference titles ... Finished fifth at 2005 Greco-Roman Junior Nationals ... Third at 2006 NHSCA Senior Nationals ... Fourth at 2006 Freestyle Junior Nationals ... Also lettered three years in lacrosse under head coach Ken Rogers ... Team captain as a senior ... Also played football.

**PERSONAL**

Sociology major ... Born in Clovis, Calif. ... Parents are Brad and Noelle Covington; family includes one older sister, Candace, and one younger sister, Callie ... Father, Brad, wrestled at the Oregon Institute of Technology and Southern Oregon University ... Former prep teammate Brice Arand currently wrestles for Oregon State ... Chose Oregon State "to get good coaching and win a national title, while representing my home state."

Year	Overall	Dual	Pins	Technical Falls	Major Decisions
2006-07 (165) Central Iowa CC	34-0				
2007-08 Iowa	Redshirt				
2008-09 (165) Iowa	8-0	0-0	2-0	1-0	2-0
2008-09 (174) Iowa	1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0
Total	43-2	1-2	2-0	1-0	2-0



## **Taylor Johnson | Freshman - HS | 184, 197 Pounds**

### **Redmond, Ore. (Redmond HS)**

#### **REDMOND HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years for head coach Nathan Stanley at 152 and 189 pounds ... Earned a state title at 189 pounds as a senior ... Also earned a runner-up finish and fifth place during career ... Also lettered two years in football under head coach Craig Ruecker at running back and line backer ... First Team All-CVC ... All-State honorable mention at running back ... Played in the North/South Les Schwab Bowl ... Finished career with over 2,500 yards rushing, 26 touchdowns as a senior.

#### **PERSONAL**

Exploratory Studies major ... Born in Eugene, Ore. ... Parents are Charley and Annamarie; family includes one sister Jesse... Chose Oregon State because "I'm from Oregon, and I'm doing it for my Oregon boys."



## **Jacob Lauderdale | Freshman - HS | 125 Pounds**

### **Nine Mile Falls, Wash. (Lakeside HS)**

#### **LAKESIDE HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years under head coach Troy Hughes at 112, 119 and 125 pounds ... As a senior, went undefeated, winning the state title at 125 pounds ... First in the Tri-State region and first at the Rocky Mountain Rumble ... Finished third in Greco Roman and fifth in Freestyle at the 2009 Western Junior Regional Championships ... Earned 2009 Wrestling USA Magazine special mention at 125 pounds on the list of best high school seniors ... As a junior, earned state title at 119 pounds with only two losses ... Finished fifth in the Tri-State region ... As a sophomore, won the state title at 112 pounds with only four losses ... Second place finish at the Rocky Mountain Rumble ... As a freshman, finished fourth at state meet,

eighth at nationals ... Earned third place Tri-State region finish ... Also lettered four years under head coach Brian Dunn in football at free safety ... Helped team to state title as a freshman.

#### **PERSONAL**

Mathematics major ... Born in Spokane, Wash. ... Parents are Barry and Lisa Lauderdale; family includes two younger brothers, Josh and JT ... Chose Oregon State "because of the great coaches and the team."



## **Zach Lowry | Freshman - HS | 125 Pounds**

### **Beavercreek, Ore. (Canby HS)**

#### **CANBY HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years under head coach Jeremy Ensrud ... Three-time district champion as a freshman, junior and senior ... Finished third at state as a junior, fifth as a senior ... National Honor Society.

#### **PERSONAL**

Construction Engineering Management major ... Born in Oregon City, Ore. ... Mother is Johnna Lowry; family includes two younger siblings, Jake and Cassidy ... Former prep teammate Kyle Richardson currently wrestles for Oregon State.



## **RJ Pena | Freshman - HS | 149 Pounds**

### **Salem, Ore. (Sprague HS)**

#### **SPRAGUE HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years under head coach Kary Hadden at 152 pounds ... Ranked No. 1 recruit in the nation at 152 pounds, No. 5 overall ... Four-time Oregon state and district champion ... Ended his high school career on an 147-match winning streak, going 47-0 in his final season with 45 pins ... Finished career with 138 total pins ... Named Salem Statesman Journal's Regional Wrestler of the Year four times ... Dave Shultz Award recipient for Oregon and the Western Region of the United States ... Two-time Reno Tournament of Champions winner ... Three-time Oregon Wrestling Athlete of the Year.

#### **PERSONAL**

Pre-Dentistry major ... Born in Salem, Ore. ... Parents are Roger and Jenny Pena; family includes one younger sister, Emily, and one younger brother, Ryan ... Former prep teammate Keegan Davis currently wrestles for Oregon State ... Chose Oregon State "because of the outstanding wrestling program."



## **Kyle Richardson | Freshman - HS | 141 Pounds**

### **Aurora, Ore. (Canby HS)**

#### **CANBY HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years under head coach Jeremy Ensrud ... As a senior, First Team All-League and team captain ... As a junior, First Team All-League as team captain ... Finished runner up at state meet ... As a sophomore, First Team All-League as team captain ... Finished second at state meet ... As a freshman, named First team All-League, finishing sixth in the state ... Also lettered two years in football under head coach Mike Doty at defensive back ... As a senior, All-State honorable mention, First Team All-League ... Also lettered three years in baseball under head coach Grant Boustead ... Honor Roll.

#### **PERSONAL**

Business major ... Born in Clackamas, Ore. ... Parents are Keith and Hilary Richardson; family includes one older sister, Karlie ... Sister, Karlie, is a cheerleader for the Portland Trailblazers ... Cousin Kaitlyn Richardson currently attends Oregon State ... Cousin Stewart Fuel plays baseball for Oregon State ... Former prep teammate Zach Lowry currently wrestles for Oregon State ... Former prep teammate Kyle Richardson currently wrestles for Oregon State ... Chose Oregon State because "they have an awesome program here, which is on track to be a top NCAA team come nationals."



## **Scott Sakaguchi | Freshman - HS | 149 Pounds**

### **Clovis, Calif. (Clovis HS)**

#### **CLOVIS HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years under coaches Steve and Adam Tirapelle at 145 pounds ... Earned the California state title at 145 pounds as a senior ... Two-time National High School Coaches Association All-American ... As a senior, finished third at the National High School Coaches Association Senior National Championships and was named the *Fresno Bee* Wrestler of the Year ... Two-time state placer ... Three-time section champion ... Three-time team captain.

#### **PERSONAL**

Business major ... Born in Clovis, Calif. ... Parents are Ronnie and Shelli Sakaguchi; family includes one older sister, Danielle ... Chose Oregon State "because of the excellent wrestling program and great education."



## **Tyler Sherman | Freshman - HS | 184 Pounds**

### **Dayton, Ore. (Newberg HS)**

#### **NEWBERG HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years under Neil Russo ... As a junior and senior, team captain ... Also lettered one year in football under head coach Eric Carlson at tight end ... ASB.

#### **PERSONAL**

Psychology major ... Born in Portland, Ore. ... Parents are Dave and Pam Sherman; family includes younger twin sisters, Dani and Roni, and one younger brother, Travis ... Former prep teammate Alec Ortiz wrestles for Minnesota ... Chose Oregon State because "I like the way the program is heading."



## **Brian Tostberg | Freshman - HS | 141 Pounds**

### **Corvallis, Ore. (Crescent Valley HS)**

#### **CRESCENT VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years under head coach Brendan Courtot at 152 pounds ... Also lettered two years in football under head coach Scott Sanders at outside linebacker.

#### **PERSONAL**

Exploratory Studies major ... Born in Newport Beach, Calif. ... Parents are Paul and Lisa Tostberg; family includes one younger sister, Rachel ... Relative Carlo Valdes competes at UCLA in track ... Chose Oregon State because it's his hometown.



## **John Tuck | Freshman - HS | 165 Pounds**

### **La Grande, Ore. (La Grande HS)**

#### **LA GRANDE HIGH SCHOOL**

Lettered four years under head coach Klel Carson at 140, 152 and 160 pounds ... Program's first four-time district champion ... Two-time state champion as a junior and senior at 152 and 160 pounds ... As a senior, went 38-1, holding opponents scoreless at the tournament ... Named the 2009 4A Outstanding Wrestler of the Year ... Team captain and Most Valuable Wrestler ... Earned the 160 pound title at the 2009 Cliff Keen World Wrestling Championships ... Finished third at the state tournament as a sophomore; fifth place as a freshman at 140 pounds ... Overall posted a Oregon state tournament record of 15-3 over his career ... Also lettered three years in football under head coach Matt Wolcott at full back and line-

backer ... Named to Second Team All-League ... Team captain ... Team Most Valuable Player ... Two-time Outstanding Defensive Player.

#### **PERSONAL**

Exploratory Studies major ... Born in La Grande, Ore. ... Parents are Chris and Mona Tuck; family includes one older sister, Karri ... Chose Oregon State "because of the good program, and I like the school."