

South Carolina Wrestling State Championships



3-AAA

1997

SCHOOLS - COACHES

REGION I

| | COACH | ABBREVIATION |
|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Belton-Honea Path | George Martin | BHP |
| Berea | Tony Williams | B |
| D.W. Daniels | Carthel Crout | DWD |
| Seneca | Andy Smith | S |
| Southside | Joe Windley | SS |

REGION II

| | | |
|--------------------|----------------------|-----|
| Eastside | Jack Kosmicki | E |
| Greenville | Bill Roach | GRV |
| Greer | David Smith | G |
| Riverside | Chad Singleton | R |
| Wade Hampton | Jeff Neal | WH |

REGION III

| | | |
|------------------------|----------------------|-----|
| Chester | Tony Lancaster | CHE |
| Fort Mill | Ricky Blackman | FM |
| Gettys D. Broome | Chris Miller | BRO |
| Union | Bill Owens | U |

REGION IV

| | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----|
| Brookland-Cayce | John Checkovich | BC |
| Dreher | Kevin Watts | DRE |

REGION V

| | | |
|--------------------|-------------------|-----|
| A.C. Flora | Ken Boleman | ACF |
| Camden | Eddie Whitt | CAM |
| Lugoff-Elgin | Tim Wash | LE |
| Ridge View | Chris Jeter | RV |

REGION VI

| | | |
|--------------------|----------------------|-----|
| Cheraw | Brad Porter | CHR |
| Lake City | Mark Tillotson | LC |
| Myrtle Beach | Sinclair Swan | MB |

REGION VII

| | | |
|------------------|-----------------------|-----|
| Georgetown..... | Steve Blanchard | GEO |
| R.B. Stall..... | Troy Bennage..... | RBS |
| St. Andrews..... | Michael Hales | STA |
| Timberland..... | Don Walton..... | TB |

REGION VIII

| | | |
|---------------------|----------------------|-----|
| Battery Creek | Nathan Day | BCR |
| Beaufort..... | Ray Alford | BF |
| Hilton Head..... | George Dixon..... | HH |
| James Island..... | Martin Williams..... | JI |
| Middleton..... | Bart Hearn..... | MD |

WRESTLERS BY WEIGHT CLASS

103 LBS.

Bryant - JI
Berry Carlton - G
Justin Gainey - LE
Terry Grant - CHR
Andy Heyman - WH
Howell - GEO
Rent Lewis - S
Adam Sallis - FM

125 LBS.

Ben Bindewald - R
John Bracken - BRO
Brandon Cring - S
Stevon Dennis - G
Travis Drake - CHR
Ben Howard - JI
Pacholski - BCR
Randy Wolf - RV

112 LBS.

Irving Berry - JI
Ken Davis - CHE
Steve Debeau - HH
Peter Hemmingway - LE
Derrick Johnson - S
Lance - BCR
Nick Merrit - E
Willie Shull - BC

130 LBS.

Chuck Bourke - BCR
Terrence Frechette - LE
Peter Giglotti - RV
Stuart Graham - FM
Keith Land - CHE
Norman Leach - BC
Jason Smith - BHP
Andy Smythe - ACF

119 LBS.

Chris Angle - LE
Adam Coker - BC
Fludd - JI
Erik King - BHP
Ken Richardson - BCR
Charles Russ - WH
John Thompson - U
Antione White - MD

135 LBS.

Calvin Cunningham - RV
Alex Duvall - GEO
Bert Feltner - LE
Zach Leoffels - G
Andy Payne - R
Brandon Stone - BHP
Lanard Strong - CHE
Mark Sutherland - BF

140 LBS.

Bobby Ballew - S
Josh Blankenship - BHP
Allan Brigman - STA
Jeremiah Dunn - HH
Brent Foster - E
Antoine Ladson - JI
Jeff Pearson - LE
Jack Smith - FM

160 LBS.

Maurice Alexander - CAM
David Braymiller - HH
Josh Dellinger - G
Jason Jones - S
Jack Lostetter - LE
Garrett Merck - DWD
Robert Montgomery - E
Smalls - BCR

215 LBS.

Jack Andrucki - GRV
Brown - JI
Ben Connell - LE
Chris Etheridge - DRE
Green - MD
Chad Hughes - S
Omard Potts - FM
Tarrell Zellous - STA

145 LBS.

Thomas Anderson - BCR
Matt Baker - LE
Fred Bessent - MB
Justin Burgess - BC
Chad Cox - S
Chris Irwin - FM
Howard McCoy - CAM
Jeff Neal - WH

171 LBS.

Bunton - BCR
Joe Cuneo - E
Shawn Gainey - CHR
Jeremiah Hightower - LE
Daryl Ritacco - R
Horace Robinson - BC
Jonathan Taylor - BHP
Marlo Walker - JI

275 LBS.

Kevin Breedlove - DWD
Travis Crain - G
James - BCR
Steven Moore - BRO
Daniel Norris - LE
Brad Pittman - CHR
Keith Staple - HH
Delanio Taylor - S

152 LBS.

Tourvans Champaign - JI
Hali Hunt - G
John Mathis - BRO
Danny McKinney - BC
Jason Murphy - CAM
Tripp Rhoads - G
Skipper - BER
Matt Strickland - LE

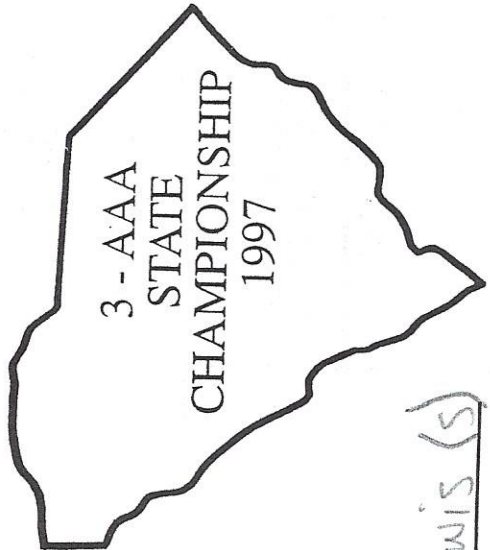
189 LBS.

Avant - GEO
Jeremiah Columbus - FM
Shannon Jenkins - JI
Collins Lee - S
Maurice Murphy - LE
Keith Pusha - BCR
Andy Satterfield - WH
Jason Smith - CH

Some first names were not available at time of printing.

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Weight Class



Rent Lewis (S)

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Alex Bryant (JI)

Rent Lewis (S)

Champion

Justin Gainey (LE)

Terry Grant (CHR)

Terry Grant (CHR)

Runner-up

Terry Grant (CHR)

Justin Gainey (LE) Justin Gainey (LE)

Brett Howell (GEO)

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Andy Heymann (GM)

Berry Carlton (G)

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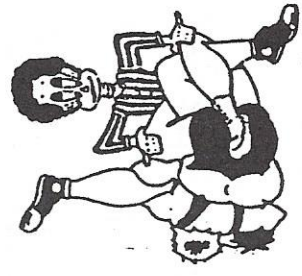
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Alex Bryant (JI)

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Justin Gainey

3rd Place



1 Rent Lewis (S)
8 Brett Howell (GEO)

5 Andy Heymann (WH)

4 Alex Bryant (JI)

3 Berry Carlton (G)

4 Justin Gainey (LE)

7 Adam Sallis (FM)

2 Terry Grant (CHR)

Irving Berry (JI)

IRVING BERRY (JI)

Derrick Johnson (S)

IRVING BERRY (JI)

Peter Hemmingway (LE)

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Willie Shull (BC)

Steve Debeau (HH)
~~Lance (BCR)~~

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Ken Davis (CHE)

David Lance (BCR)
Steve Debeau (HH)

Nick Merritt (E)

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DERRICK JOHNSON (S)

Willie Shull (BC)

Ken Davis (CHE)

DAVID LANCE (BCR)

Steve Debeau (HH)

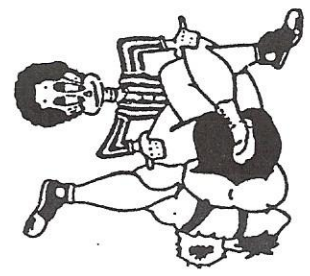
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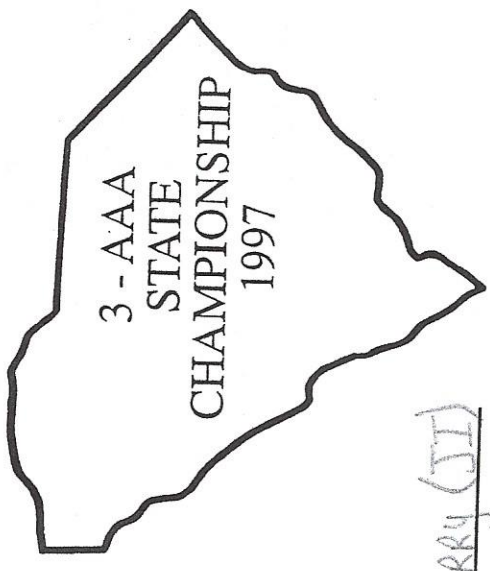
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DAVID LANCE (BCR)

Peter Hemmingway (LE)



Weight Class



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Champion

Nick Merritt (E)

Runner-up

Steve Debeau (HH)

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3rd Place

Charles Russ (WH)

Antoine White (MD)

Erik King (BHP)

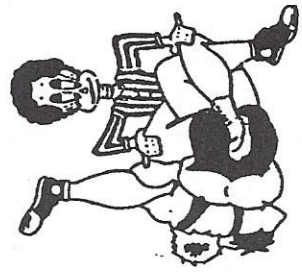
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Adam Coker (BC)

Danevin Fludd (JI)

John Thompson (U)

^{TOP} Ken Richardson (BCR)



Charles Russ (WH)

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HERE Ⓢ

Chris Angle (LE)

DANEVIN FLUDD (JI)

KENTON RICHARDSON (BCR)

ANTOINE WHITE (MD)

ERIK KING (BHP)

ADAM COKER (BC)

John Thompson (U)

Weight Class

Charles Russ (WH)

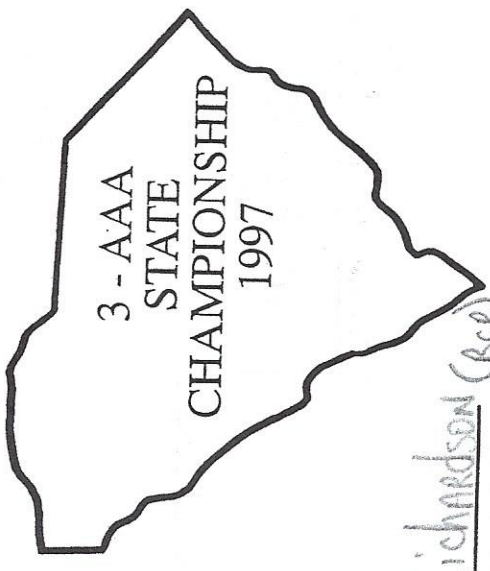
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Danevin Fludd (JI)

ANTOINE WHITE (MD)

John Thompson (U)

FALLS HERE Ⓢ
Chris Angle (LE)



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Champion

Charles Russ (WH)

Runner-up

Chris Angle

3rd Place

CHRIS ANGLE (LE)

Travis Drake (CHR)

TRAVIS DRAKE (CHR)

Stevon Dennis (G)

Steven Pacholski (BCR)

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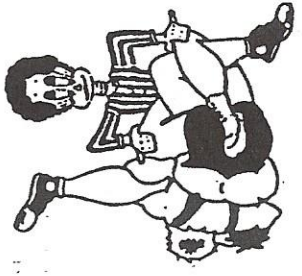
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Randy Wolf (RV)

BRANDON CRING (S)

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STEVEN DENNIS (G)



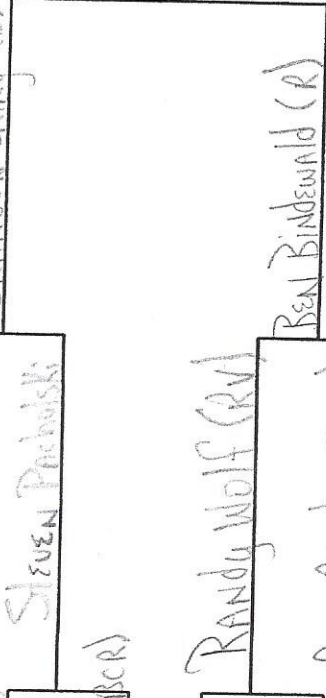
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FORFEIT

RANDY WOLF (RV)

BRANDON CRING (S)

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RANDY WOLF (RV)

BEN BINDEWALD (R)

BRANDON CRING (S)

3rd Place

Weight Class

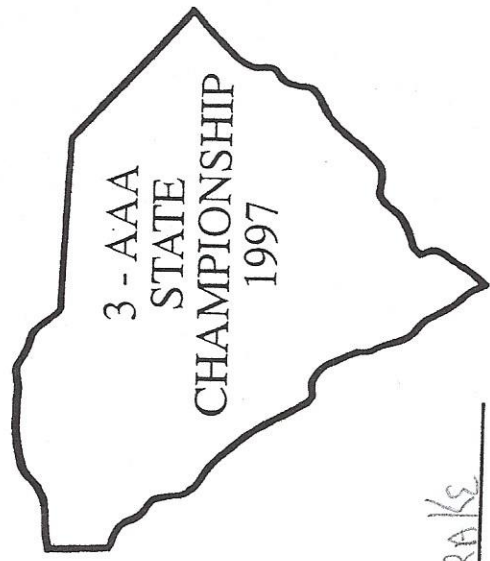
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TRAVIS DRAKE

Champion

BEN HOWARD

Runner-up



Norman Leach (BC)

NORMAN LEACH (BC)

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Peter Giglotti (RV)

Stuart Graham (FM)

STUART GRAHAM (FM)

Terrence Frechette (LE)

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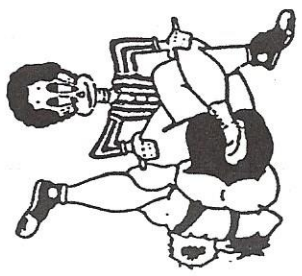
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CHUCK BOURKE (BCR)

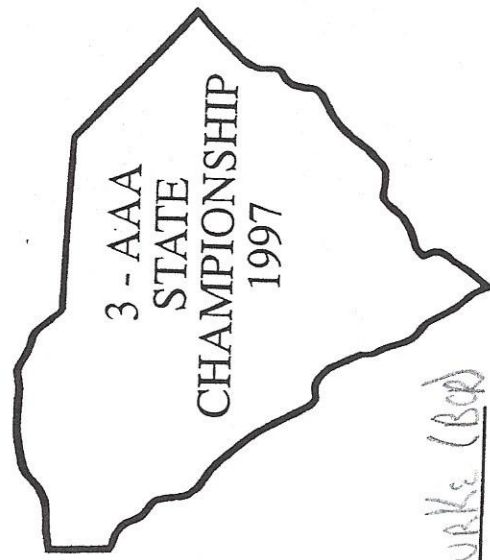
Champion

TERRENCE FRECHETTE (LE)

Runner-up

Peter Giglotti

3rd Place



Weight Class

Bert Feltner (LE)

Andy Payne (R)

Alex Duvall (GEO)

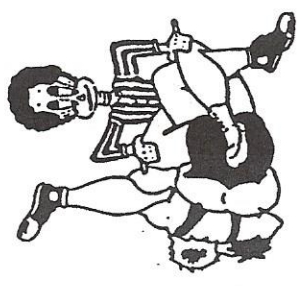
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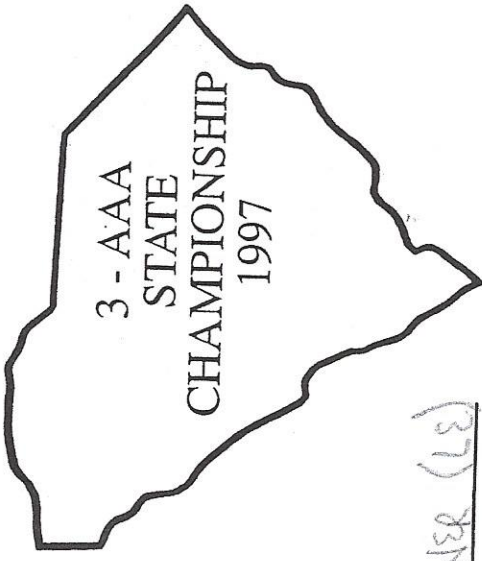
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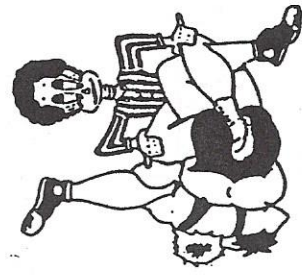
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Jeremiah Dunn (HA)

Josh Blankenship (BHP)

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Champion

Jeff Pearson (LE)

Runner-up

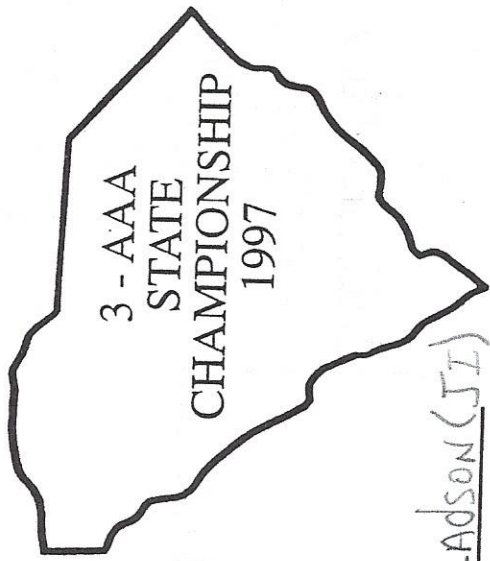
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Allan Brigman

3rd Place

Allan Brigman (STA)

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THOMAS ANDERSON (BCR)

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Chad Cox (S)

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Matt Baker (LE)

BURGESS (B.C.)

Justin Burgess (BC)

Howard McCoy (CAM)

CHRIS IRWIN (FM)

Chris Irwin (FM)

JEFF NEAL (WH)

FRED BESSENT (MB)

MATT BAKER (LE)

FORFEIT

THOMAS ANDERSON (BCR)

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THOMAS ANDERSON (BCR)

Champion

Justin Burgess (BC)

Runner-up

CHRIS IRWIN (FM)

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JEFF NEAL (WH)

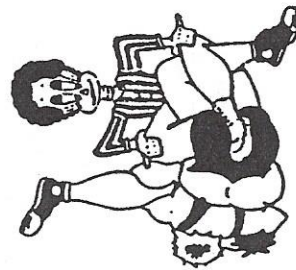
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3rd Place

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CHAD COX (S)



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Danny McKinney (BC)

Rell Champaign (JI)

Fourvans Champaign (JI)

John Mathis (BRO)

Eric Skipper (BCR)

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Hali Hunt (G) ^{GREENVILLE}

Jason Murphy (CAM)

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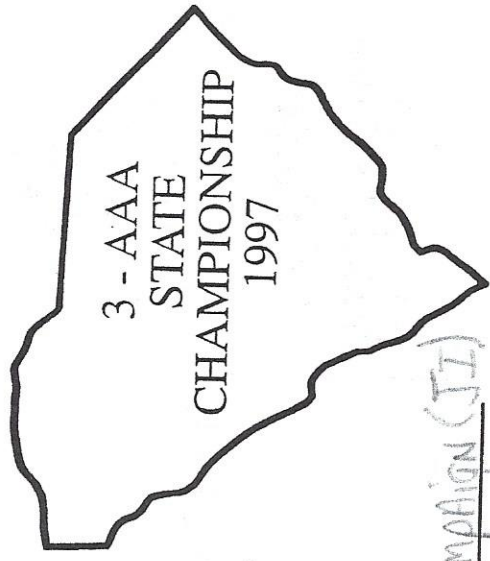
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Matt Strickland (LE)

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Weight Class

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David Braymiller (HH)

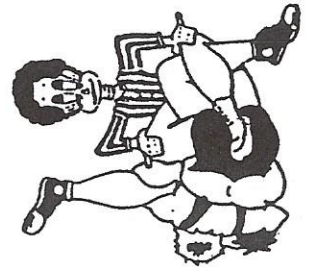
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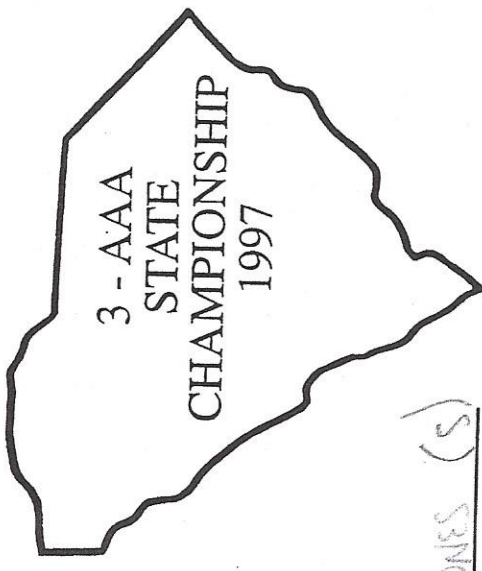
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JASON JONES (S)



JASON JONES (S)

Champion

Josh Dellinger (G)

Runner-up

Robert Montgomery (E)

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GARRETT MERCK (DWD)

DAVID BRAYMILLER (HH)

MAURICE ALEXANDER (CAM)

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JACK LOSTETTER (LE)

Willie Smalls (BCR)

Robert Montgomery (E)

3rd Place

Weight Class

Horace Robinson (BC)

HORACE ROBINSON (BC)

Shawn Gainey (CHR)

SHAWN GAINEY (CHR)

Jonathan Taylor (BHP)

JONATHAN TAYLOR (BHP)

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Joe Cuneo (E)

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Bert Bunton (BCR)

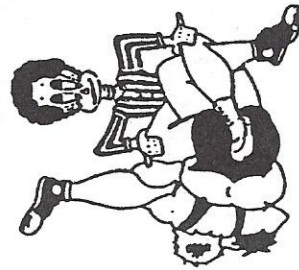
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Marlo Walker (JI)

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JONATHAN TAYLOR (BHP)

JOE CUNEO (E)

DARYL RITACCO (R)

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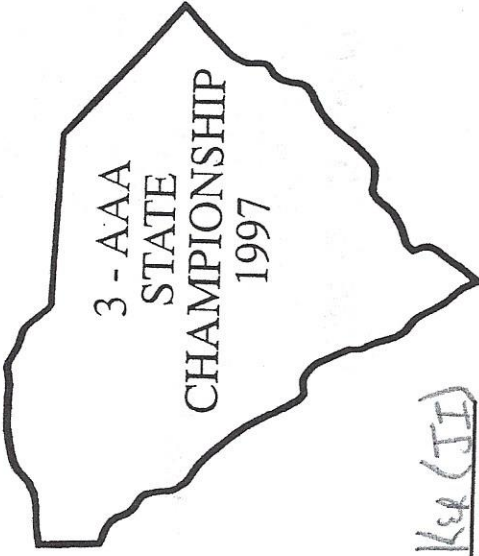
MARLO WALKER (JI)

Runner-up

HORACE ROBINSON (BC)

MARLO WALKER (JI)

Champion



JEREMIAH HIGHTOWER (LE)

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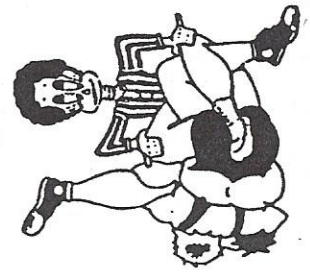
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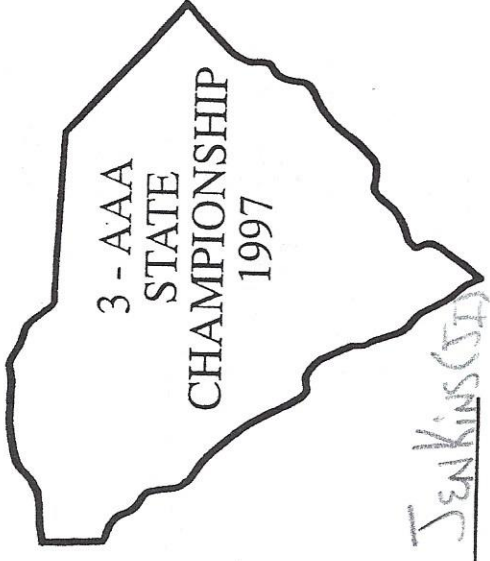
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3rd Place (FM)

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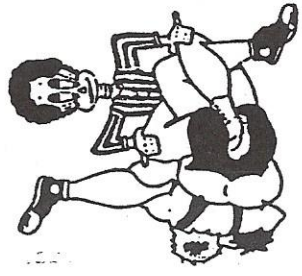
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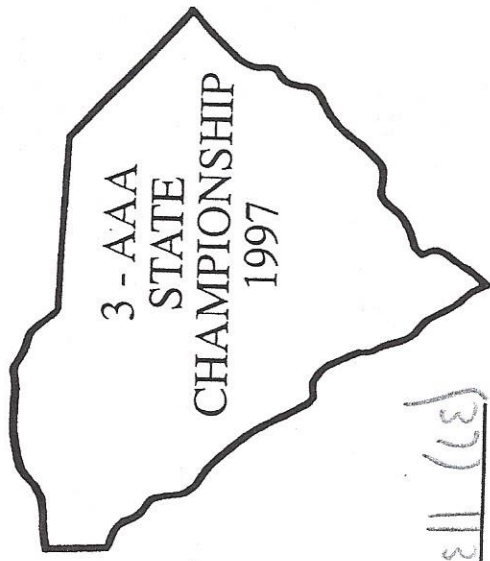
Runner-up

Weight Class

Chad Hughes (S)

BEN CONNELL (LE)

Champion



T. Zellous (STA)

3rd Place

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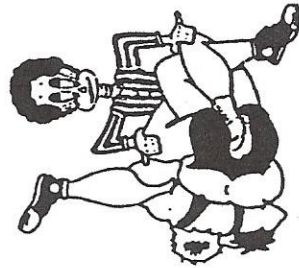
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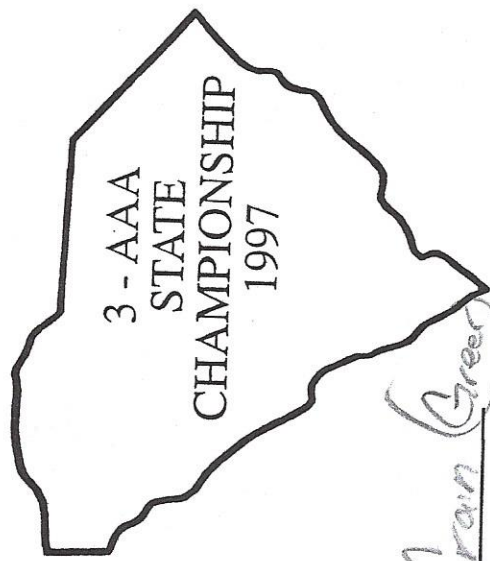
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Rhyshawan James

3rd Place (BCR)



HWT

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