## Wrestling



Kevin Akridge ingeniously escapes from his opponent after a near pin.



After Ray Zarawani breaks his man down he gets into position to turn him over.



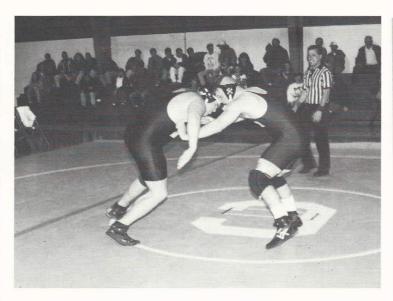
. Mike Nestor attempts to pull his man over for the pin.

All 29 members of this year's Spartan Wrestling Team made solid contributions. Highlights included home wins against Hammond, Providence Day, Charlotte Christian, and a 3rd place finish at the Carolina Showdown Tournament in Greenville, SC. Allen Sinkler and Kevin Akridge posted records of 12-4 and 6-2, respectively.

Entering the Showdown with a 7-3 record, the young squad — 20 of 29 members in grades 7, 8, and 9 — beat out such teams as Charlotte Latin, Asheville School, Forsythe, Landrum, and Hammond.

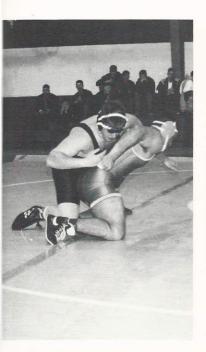
We were proud of the many positive comments made by wrestlers and their parents regarding the sportsmanship and gentlemanly demeanor of our wrestlers.

Next year we hope to build on this year's youth and experience, striving towards a team state championship.

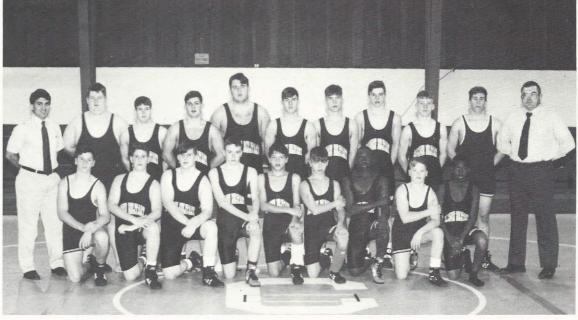


Allen Sinkler sets up his opponent for a takedown.

Hammond	54-21
Providence Day	45-38
Buford	24-54
Charlotte Country Day	9-63
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Charlotte Christian	54-18
Buford	18-57
Hammond	60-18
Providence Day	42-35
Providence Day	45-28
Hammond	63-12
Carolina Showdown	
Tournament — 3rd	
Charlotte Latin	
Tournament — 6th	
State Qualifiers:	
Allen Sinkler and	
Kevin Akridge	



Andrew Black works on breaking his man down.



Spartans: JL Bridgeman, JA Springer, AK Black, R Zarawani, J Zarawani, MV Thompson, K Underwood, C. Edwards. Row 2: Coach Clark, JA Bryant, KD Akridge, JW Key, A Sinkler, JR Drake, GJ Sniffen, MS Nestor, NA Blumer, JM Provost, Coach Bowles.