Wrestling





Lynn applies a cradle, preparing to roll his man over.

All 17 members of this year's Spartan Wrestling Team made solid contributions. Highlights included home wins against Hammond, Charlotte Christian, and a respectable 4th place finish at the Carolina Showdown Tournament in Greenville, SC. John Creech and Mike Uehling were champions and posted undefeated season records. John also placed 4th at this year's state tournament, and Mike was state champion at 215 pounds.

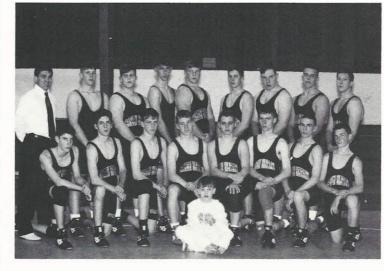
Entering the showdown with a 4-2 record, the young squad — 9 of the 13 members were first year wrestlers beat out such teams as Asheville School, Christ Church, Landrum, and Charlotte Christian.

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

Next year we hope to build on this year's experience and hard effort, striving toward a state championship.

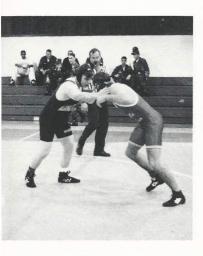
Boyd employs nearly perfect technique to pin his opponent.

Uehling uses hip pressure to control his man. Mike was State Champion in 1994 at 189 pounds and repeated this year at 215.

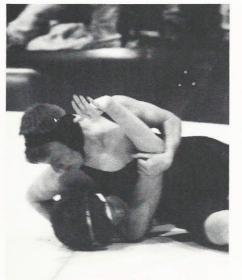


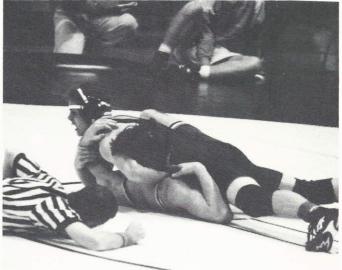
Spartans:Front, WR Jordan. Row 1: BA Blazek, BW Creed, JJ Young, NA Blumer, WR Conway, DJ Miles, RN Lewis, DR Frank. Row 2: Coach Clark, BP Campbell, AK Black, SW McCall, MB Uehling, JI Creech, GR Faath, BK Boyd, MS Lynn.

Dreher	54-24
Hammond	66-10
Charlotte Country Day	19-65
Providence Day	46-36
AC Flora Invitational	3rd Place
Charlotte Christian	48-30
Charlotte Country Day	15-63
Carolina Showdown	4th Place
Charlotte Latin	39-42
Providence Day	46-36
AC Flora	30-51
Hammond	72-10
Charlotte Latin	30-54
Hammond	69-12
Season Record: 7 Wins,	5 Losses



Black sets up a take down with good stance and position.





Blumer uses a head and arm pinning combination to control his opponent.

John Creech pins his man with a half nelson. A strong contender for the state title, he injured a shoulder but still took 4th place.