SUNY Cortland Wrestling

at Oneonta Invitational
Sunday, November 20, 2005; Oneonta, N.Y.

ONEONTA, N.Y. – Freshman Paul LeBlanc (Morrisville/Morrisville-Eaton) and junior Troy Tooley (Kendall) each earned individual titles as Cortland finished second at the 11-team Oneonta Invitational. Wilkes won the team title with 141 points, followed by Cortland (127.5), NYU (118.5) and Oneonta (101). Cortland has finished second in each of its first three tournaments this season.

LeBlanc entered as the top seed at 141 pounds and won four straight matches for title. After squeaking past his second-round opponent, 7-6, LeBlanc posted a 5-2 win in the semifinals and a 6-1 win in the finals, both versus seeded wrestlers. Tooley, seeded first at 165 pounds, pinned his first two opponents, won 7-2 in the semifinals and defeated Chris Floyd of Johns Hopkins in the finals, 5-3. Both LeBlanc and Tooley won tournament titles for the second straight week.

Seven other Red Dragons placed in the top six of their weight classes, including two runner-up finishes. Sophomore Mark Maglione (Saratoga Springs) finished second at 184 pounds. The second seed, he defeated third seed Nick Coleman of NYU in the semifinals, 5-2, but lost 11-6 to top seed Rex Harris of Wilkes in the finals. Freshman Jason Mowers (Camillus/West Genesee) placed second at heavyweight. The sixth seed, Mowers pinned two opponents, then upset second-seeded Shawn Wilbert of Plymouth State, 6-1, in the semifinals. Mowers was pinned in the finals by Oneonta's Trevor Hiffa.

Senior Jason Chase (Rush/Rush-Henrietta) finished third at 149 pounds, junior Cary Cook (East Meadow) was fourth at 157 pounds, sophomore Eric Sciutto (Saugerties) was fifth at 149 pounds, senior Will Lance (Sandy Creek) finished fifth at 197 pounds and sophomore Brian Costello (Patchogue-Medford) placed sixth at 174 pounds.

Chase finished with a 4-1 record. The fourth seed, Chase lost to the top seed in the semifinals, 3-2, but posted two consolation bracket wins, including an 8-4 win over the second seed in the third place match. Cook ended the tournament with a 6-1 record. Three of his wins came by pin. Sciutto was 4-1, while Lance and Costello were each 4-2.

2005 ONEONTA INVITATIONAL

FINAL TEAM SCORES:

1. Wilkes Univ. (WILK) ................. 141
2. SUNY Cortland (CORT) ............... 127.5
3. New York University (NYU) .......... 118.5
4. SUNY Oneonta (ONE) ................. 101
5. Southern Maine (SM) ................. 93
6. Johns Hopkins Univ. (JH) .......... 72
7. Rochester Inst. of Tech. (RIT) ...... 67
8. Worcester Poly. Inst. (WPI) ......... 62
9. Plymouth St. Univ. (PLY) .......... 49
10. Univ. of Scranton (SCR) ............. 29.5
* SUNY Morrisville (MORR) ........... 29.5

* junior college; individual results vs. these schools do not count on wrestler's records

(Cortland results on following pages)
CORTLAND RESULTS:

125 pounds

Nick Dattilo (0-2)
- lost to #2 Stephen Valastro (SM), Pin 1:51
- lost to Dave Friedberg (ONE), Pin 3:59

133 pounds

(#2 seed) Ryan Gadsby (0-2)
- lost to Shawn Mosely (PLY), Pin 0:27
- lost to Ken Nagle (WILK), Pin 3:45

141 pounds

(#1 seed) Paul LeBlanc (1st place, 4-0)
- won by major dec. vs. Kevin Darcy (ONE), 14-1
- def. Luke Baum (RIT), 7-6
- Semis: def. #5 Marco Priolo (JH), 5-2
- Finals: def. #2 Mike Pietrowski (RIT), 6-1

Jon Ortega (0-2)
- lost to Paul Guidone (SM), 8-7
- lost to Brian Dietzal (SM), Pin 3:44

Scott Tompkins (0-2, 0-1 official)
- lost to #2 Mike Pietrowski (RIT), tech fall 4:33 (17-2)
  * lost to Toby Reese (MORR), tech fall (16-1)

149 pounds

(#4 seed) Jason Chase (3rd place, 4-1)
- pinned Kyle Muzzy (ONE), 3:20
- def. Zeth Nolda (PLY), 3-2
- Semis: lost to #1 Gene Kobiliansky (NYU), 3-2
  won by forfeit vs. Eric Sciutto (CORT)
- 3rd place: def. #2 Devan Witman (ONE), 8-4

Eric Sciutto (5th place, 4-1, 3-1 official)
- def. Don Flowers (SM), 4-1
- lost to #2 Devan Witman (ONE), Pin 5:27
  * def. Trever Gale (MORR), 4-2
- def. Matt Wainwright (WPI), 8-3
  (forfeited next match)
- 5th place: def. Zeth Nolda (PLY), 5-3

Mo Lanzas (0-2)
- lost to Jim Crumlish (JH), tech fall 5:00 (20-4)
- lost to Ned McCague (JH), Pin 1:13

157 pounds

Cary Cook (4th place, 6-1)
- pinned Devin Sapir (WPI), 2:40
- lost to #2 Marcus Moyer (SM), 11-5
- pinned Adam Bearor (PLY), 4:39
- pinned James Citrone (WPI), 3:54
- def. #5 Shane Stevenson (SM), 9-6
- def. Nick Ryan (ONE), 8-1
- won by forfeit vs. #2 Marcus Moyer (SM)

3rd place: forfeited match

Kyle Reeb (1-2)
- lost to Dave Kelly (ONE), 10-8
- def. Chris Nasser (RIT), 11-4
- lost to #6 Takaishi Hashimoto (NYU), Pin 3:00

Mike Cucolo (1-1)
- lost to #3 Justin Barowski (WILK), 7-2
- won by major dec. vs. John Applebee (SCR), 14-2
  (forfeited next match)

165 pounds

(#1 seed) Troy Tooley (1st place, 4-0)
- pinned Jake Antworth (SM), 0:27
- pinned #8 Patrick Knight (NYU), 4:00
- Semis: def. #4 Steve Tatum (SCR), 7-2
- Finals: def. Chris Floyd (JH), 5-3

174 pounds

Brian Costello (6th place, 4-2)
- lost to Sam Thorner (NYU), 7-6
- pinned Phil Dechene (ONE), 2:30
- won by forfeit vs. Michael Kennedy (WPI)
- won by forfeit vs. Jake Treadwell (SM)
- def. Sam Thorner (NYU), 4-3
- lost to #6 Rob Schoner (SM), Pin 5:07
  (forfeited fifth-place match)

Dominic Zanfardino (2-1)
- def. Bill Bleiler (WILK), 7-0
- pinned Phil Dechene (ONE), 3:01
- lost to #2 David Kraus (JH), 6-1
  (forfeited next match)

(#3 seed) Joe Dolson (1-2)
- def. Michael Hamilton (ONE), 5-3
- lost to #6 Rob Schoner (SM), 9-2
- lost to Lawrence Loomis (WPI), 5-2

Drew Solomon (0-2)
- lost to #5 Angelo Dileo (WILK), Pin 2:34
- lost to #4 Chris Vacher (WPI), Pin 2:09
184 pounds

(#2 seed) Mark Maglione (2nd place, 3-1)
won by major dec. vs. Mike Taylor (SM), 18-5
def. #7 Nick Gurney (PLY), 3-2
Semis: def. #3 Nick Coleman (NYU), 5-2
Finals: lost to #1 Rex Harris (WILK), 11-6

197 pounds

Will Lance (5th place, 4-2)
won by major dec. vs. #3 Trevor Needham (SCR), 9-0
won by major dec. vs. Mark Shirian (NYU), 10-2
pinned Bruce Pacy (PLY), 2:25
Semis: lost to #2 Zach Greenberg (RIT), 5-0
lost to #4 Josh Gardner (WPI), 12-5
5th place: def. Tyler Schmidt (JH), 8-3

Matt Eldredge (1-2)
pinned Pete DeMato (NYU), 5:27
lost to #4 Josh Gardner (WPI), Pin 4:18
lost to #3 Trevor Needham (SCR), Pin 3:32

Heavyweight

(#6 seed) Jason Mowers (2nd place, 3-1, 2-1 official)
a pinned Jeremy Pellot (MORR), 1:44
pinned Micah Vore (RIT), 4:30
Semis: def. #2 Shawn Wilbert (PLY), 6-1
Finals: lost to #1 Trevor Hiffa (ONE), Pin 2:04