

Council Rock and Pennsbury have always been contentious rivals. In the old days the Council Rock/Pennsbury series record was tied at 22 - 22. Since the split, Council Rock North has compiled a 6 - 3 series record against the Falcons. Last night the rivalry continued and saw the Indians go up one more on the team from Levittown. Pennsbury came into the match with an unblemished Suburban One League record and an overall season record of 15 - 3. On paper the Falcons and Indians matched up pretty well, but Coach Vivaqua and his staff had their charges well prepared for this one.

Wrestling started in the 130 pound weight class pitting North's **Shane Longstreth** against Pennsbury's Jeff Leib. **Shane** outscored Leib by a score of 7 - 4 to put the first three on the scoreboard for CRN.

Tyler Kelly, North's sophomore 135 pounder, added another three with a 6 - 0 shutout decision win over the Falcon's Matt Maine.

The 140 pound bout went to **Anthony Dutrow**. Pat Schlatter was no match for **Anthony** as he musseled and scrambled his way to a second period fall, decking Schlatter in 2:34.

Hayden Schenker followed with another pin in the 145 pound bout. **Hayden** used legs and a power half to eventually turn Pennsbury's David Mills to his back recording the fall in 3:55.

From 152 to 285 has been a problem for the Indians this year. If Pennsbury was to put on a charge, this would be their best opportunity. In those six weight classes North has given up as many as 24 points. Not tonight. At 152 **Aldan Ely** turned in a stellar performance against the Falcon's Ryan McGlynn holding McGlynn to just a 3 - 1 decision.

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CR North's Andrew DiSpirito (top) pins Pennsbury's Dan Williams in 160-pound bout of the Indian's 38-27 win in Wednesday night's wrestling action.

Drew DiSpirito wrestled what really had to be one of the two pivotal bouts of the match at 160. **Drew** took on the Falcon's Dan Williams and recorded a fall

in 1:24, six really big points.

The 171 and 189 pound bouts went to Pennsbury. The other pivotal bout pitted North's **Brendon Poff** against Josh Caven at 215. **Brendon** wrestled a really heady bout which seemed to frustrate Caven who got a little sloppy toward the end of the third period. **Brendon** was losing 0 - 1 when he caught Caven for a takedown just before the final buzzer sounded, taking the bout 2 - 1.

Freshman **Tyler Callender** was bumped up to 285 where he took on the Falcon's Ryan Contento. After pinning Contento in 1:26, Tyler turned and gave a big thumbs up to the stands where CRN's PIAA State Champ, Jamie Callender and Jack King Callender III, the heavy weight for Drexel, sat cheering on their not so little, little brother.

North actually split those six troublesome weight classes with Pennsbury 3 - 3, but instead of giving up a bunch of points the guys actually came out of it with a plus three setting the team score at 33 - 12.

Pennsbury showed some strength in the lower weights taking three of the last four bouts of the evening, but that was too little too late. **Adam Slezak** finished the scoring for the Indians in the 119 bout. **Adam** took on the Falcon's Mark Argenti and came away with an 18 - 2 tech fall in 5:13 to add on five points bringing the total team score to 38 North 27 Pennsbury. A great win for the boys from Newtown. A win that maintains their undefeated SOL record at 4 - 0.

The team gets a rest until next Wednesday where they will take on the team from Council Rock South for the coveted 'UNITY CUP'. This is always a great match. Come out and cheer on your favorite, be it North or South.