



# #TIGERSTYLE™

2016-17 UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI  
WRESTLING MATCH NOTES

DUAL  
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Athens, Ohio

10 A.M. (ET) - Sunday, Dec. 11

Convocation Center

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## 2016-17 SCHEDULE

OVERALL: 2-1 HOME: 1-0 AWAY: 1-1

| DATE    | OPPONENT             | SCORE/TIME (CT)     |
|---------|----------------------|---------------------|
| N 13    | at Old Dominion*     | W, 36-3             |
| N 20    | Virginia Tech        | W, 23-19            |
| D 3     | UNI Open             | 3 Individual Titles |
| D 8     | at Ohio State        | L, 30-9             |
| D 11    | at Ohio*             | 9 A.M.              |
| D 20    | Kent State*          | NOON                |
| D 20    | Appalachian State    | 2 P.M.              |
| J 1-2   | Southern Scuffle     | ALL DAY             |
| J 8     | at Oklahoma          | 2:00 P.M.           |
| J 12    | at Buffalo*          | 6:00 P.M.           |
| J 14    | at Cornell           | NOON                |
| J 15    | at Eastern Michigan* | 1:00 P.M.           |
| J 22    | Central Michigan*    | 1:00 P.M.           |
| J 27    | Oklahoma State       | 7:00 P.M.           |
| F 4     | Northern Illinois*   | 2:00 P.M.           |
| F 12    | Northern Iowa*       | 2:00 P.M.           |
| F 15    | SIU Edwardsville     | TBD                 |
| F 18    | NWCA National Duals  | TBD                 |
| M 4-5   | MAC Championships    | ALL DAY             |
| M 16-18 | NCAA Championships   | ALL DAY             |

Bold denotes home // \* denotes MAC game

## MISSOURI WRESTLING

#5 2-1



Head Coach: Brian Smith (19th season)  
Alma Mater: Michigan State, '90  
Overall Record: 239-93-3 MU Record: 239-93-3

VS



## OHIO BOBCATS

2-2

Head Coach: Joel Greenlee (11th season)  
Alma Mater: Northern Iowa, '89

## MISSOURI FINISHES ROAD TRIP WITH MAC OPPONENT OHIO

► Mizzou Wrestling concludes a two-match road trip with a Mid-American Conference dual at Ohio on Sunday, Dec. 11, at 10 a.m. (ET)/9 a.m. (CT). Mizzou has never lost to Ohio, leading the all-time series between the two programs, 6-0. The Tigers have beat the Bobcats each of the last three seasons, including a 27-9 win on Dec. 13, 2015, in Columbia.

► The Tigers are coming off a 30-9 loss to Ohio State on Thursday night. Mizzou picked up three decision wins in the dual, coming from senior 197-pounder **J'den Cox**, redshirt junior 157-pounder **Joey Lavallee** and redshirt sophomore 165-pounder **Daniel Lewis**.

► Cox recorded a 6-4 win over No. 6-ranked Kollin Moore in the Ohio State dual to improve to 6-0 on the season. In three dual victories this season, Cox has defeated three top-10 opponents, knocking off No. 9 Kevin Beazley (Old Dominion), 5-0, on Nov. 13, No. 3 Jared Haught (Virginia Tech), 2-0, on Nov. 20 and Moore. The two-time NCAA National Champion ranks 11th in program history in career wins with 114 and is nearing the top-10 in career falls with 24.

► After sitting out as a redshirt last season, Lavallee has returned to the lineup and provided an added spark for the Tigers. Lavallee is 8-0 on the season (3-0 in duals) and has registered bonus points in five wins. The Tiger junior has posted two wins over ranked opponents this season, defeating No. 17 Sal Mastriani (Virginia Tech) by major decision, 15-5 on Nov. 20 and No. 19 Jake Ryan (Ohio State), 12-5, on Dec. 8.

► Mizzou recently competed at the UNI Open on Dec. 3, where nine Tigers registered top-three placings. Among the top-three finishes include first-place finishes from Cox, Lavallee and redshirt freshman 133-pounder **Jaydin Eierman**.

## SERIES

ALL-TIME..... 6-0 Mizzou  
IN COLUMBIA..... 3-0 Mizzou  
IN ATHENS..... 2-0 Mizzou  
NEUTRAL SITE..... 1-0  
LAST MEETING..... W, 27-9  
... Dec. 13, 2015 (Columbia, Mo.)

SMITH VS. OU..... 4-0  
GREENLEE VS. MU..... 0-4

## PROJECTED MISSOURI LINEUP

| <br><b>125</b><br><b>aaron ASSAD</b><br>RS JR // BRECKSVILLE, OHIO<br><table border="1"> <tr><th>RECORD</th><th>DUALS</th></tr> <tr><td>7-4</td><td>0-2</td></tr> </table>  | RECORD | DUALS | 7-4 | 0-2 | <br><b>133</b><br><b>jaydin EIERMAN</b><br>RS FR // COLUMBIA, MO.<br><table border="1"> <tr><th>RECORD</th><th>DUALS</th></tr> <tr><td>5-1</td><td>1-1</td></tr> </table> | RECORD | DUALS | 5-1 | 1-1 | <br><b>141</b><br><b>zach SYNON</b><br>RS SR // CARY, ILL.<br><table border="1"> <tr><th>RECORD</th><th>DUALS</th></tr> <tr><td>9-4</td><td>1-1</td></tr> </table>             | RECORD | DUALS | 9-4 | 1-1 | <br><b>149</b><br><b>alex BUTLER</b><br>RS FR // ROCKFORD, ILL.<br><table border="1"> <tr><th>RECORD</th><th>DUALS</th></tr> <tr><td>12-8</td><td>0-1</td></tr> </table> | RECORD | DUALS | 12-8 | 0-1 | <br><b>157</b><br><b>joey LAVALLEE</b><br>RS JR // RENO, NEV.<br><table border="1"> <tr><th>RECORD</th><th>DUALS</th></tr> <tr><td>8-0</td><td>3-0</td></tr> </table>     | RECORD | DUALS | 8-0 | 3-0 |
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| RECORD  | DUALS  |       |     |     |   |        |       |     |     |  |        |       |     |     |  |        |       |      |     |   |        |       |     |     |
| 7-4   | 0-2    |       |     |     |   |        |       |     |     |  |        |       |     |     |  |        |       |      |     |   |        |       |     |     |
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## PROJECTED OHIO LINEUP

|   |   |                                  |                                  |                                    |
|---|---|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>125</b> SHAKUR LANEY (SO)<br>No. 14    | <b>133</b> CAMERON KELLY (SO)<br>No. 18 | <b>141</b> NOAH FORRIDER (RS JR) | <b>149</b> KADE KOWALSKI (RS FR) | <b>157</b> CULLEN CUMMINGS (RS JR) |
| <b>165</b> AUSTIN REESE (RS SO)<br>No. 16 | <b>174</b> ARSEN ASHUGHYAN (RS SO)      | <b>184</b> HUNTER YEARGAN (FR)   | <b>197</b> BAILEY FAUST (RS FR)  | <b>HWT</b> ZACK PARKER (RS SO)     |

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## QUICK FACTS

Location \_\_\_\_\_ Columbia, Mo.  
 Founded \_\_\_\_\_ 1839  
 Enrollment \_\_\_\_\_ 32,777  
 Nickname \_\_\_\_\_ Tigers  
 Colors \_\_\_\_\_ Old Gold and Black  
 Arena (Capacity) \_\_\_\_\_ Hearn Center  
 Conference \_\_\_\_\_ Mid-American  
 2015-16 Record \_\_\_\_\_ 14-2  
 MAC Record (Finish) \_\_\_\_\_ 8-0 (1st)  
 Starters Returning / Lost \_\_\_\_\_ 7/3  
 Lettermen Returning / Lost \_\_\_\_\_ 8/4

## THE MIZZOU TIGERS

Head Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Brian Smith (19th season)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Michigan State, 1990  
 Missouri Record \_\_\_\_\_ 238-92-3 (19th season)  
 Associate Head Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Alex Clemens (Third season)  
 Assistant Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Joe Johnston (Fifth season)  
 Volunteer Assistant \_\_\_\_\_ Devin Mellon (First season)  
 Strength and Conditioning \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Mike Larson (Third Season)  
 Director of Operations \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Cody Shoemaker (Second Season)

## MIZZOU ADMINISTRATION

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## NOTABLE NOTES

### EIERMAN LEADS MIZZOU TO VICTORY OVER VIRGINIA TECH

- Mizzou's other Jaydin, redshirt freshman 133-pounder **Jaydin Eierman** earned a fall in his Tiger debut against No. 6 Virginia Tech on Nov. 20, helping Mizzou knock off the Hokies, 23-19. After a VT win at 125 pounds, Mizzou rattled off five straight victories to jump out to a 20-3 lead over the Hokies. Redshirt junior 157-pounder Joey Lavallee and redshirt sophomore 165-pounder Daniel Lewis scored major decisions to assist in the Tiger victory.
- Last season, as an unattached wrestler, Eierman went 22-2, claimed three open titles, and recorded eight falls, six technical falls and six major decisions.

### 100 WINS FOR MAYES

- Redshirt senior 149-pounder **Lavion Mayes** recorded his 100th career victory in Mizzou's season-opening dual against Old Dominion. Mayes defeated Michael Hayes by way of a 9-4 decision to reach the century milestone.
- Mayes becomes the 25th member of Mizzou's exclusive 100-win club and first to reach the mark since senior 197-pounder **J'den Cox** reached the mark last season in a 16-7 major decision win over Aaron Studebaker (Nebraska) on Feb. 21, 2016.
- Mayes currently owns a record of 101-21 and is ranked tied for fifth in program history in career major decisions with 25 and seventh in winning percentage for wrestlers with over 100 wins with a winning percentage of .828.
- In a breakout sophomore campaign (2014-15), Mayes went 38-4 at 141 pounds, finishing as an All-American with a seventh-place performance at the NCAA Championships. Mayes went 20-1 in dual competition throughout the year (6-1 in MAC duals) and recorded nine major decisions.
- Last year, Mayes went 32-3 en route to his second straight year on the podium, this time at 149 pounds. Mayes finished third at the weight class in New York City, defeating Anthony Collica (Oklahoma State) in the third place bout after falling to the Cowboy in the quarterfinals.

### DAZZLING DEBUTS

- Two Tigers, redshirt freshman 174-pounder **Dylan Wisman** and redshirt freshman heavyweight **Austin Myers**, made their debut in the Black & Gold against Old Dominion. Wisman defeated Antonio Agee, 12-5, while Myers recorded a fall over Will Hillard at 3:19.
- Both ranked in the top-40 in the Class of 2015 by FloWrestling, Wisman won the 2015 FloNationals at 183 pounds while Myers was a three-time National High School Coaches Association (NHSCA) National Champion at 220 pounds.

### MIZZOU SIGNS FIVE TO RECRUITING CLASS

- Mizzou added five recruits to its program during the early signing period on Nov. 10. All five recruits have won either a state championship or national high school championship.
- **Jared Campbell** (Burbank, Ohio) captured two National Championships in the spring of 2016 following his junior campaign. The projected heavyweight stood atop the 220-pound podium at FloNationals and the NHSCA National Wrestling Championships. A two-time Ohio State runner-up, Campbell is currently the No. 4-ranked heavyweight recruit by FloWrestling (No. 34 overall) and chose Mizzou over Ohio State and Virginia Tech.
- **Allan Hart** (Uniontown, Ohio) captured a National Championship of his own at 126 pounds at the 2016 NHSCA National Wrestling Championships. Hart won a 113-pound Ohio State Championship as a sophomore and finished third as a junior at 126 pounds. Hart chose Mizzou over Pittsburgh, Ohio, Old Dominion and Virginia.
- A Fargo Junior Greco National Champion, **Dack Punke** (Washington, Ill.) joins Mizzou with three top-three finishes at the Illinois High School Association State Tournament. Punke improved each year, placing third as a freshman, second as a sophomore and finally a state championship at 113 pounds as a junior.
- Following a Wisconsin State Championship at 195 pounds last season, **Jake Raschka** (Peawaukee, Wis.) heads into his senior season at Peawaukee High School with a 155-11 record. Raschka earned All-America status at the Fargo Junior Cadet Nationals in 2014 and 2015, capturing the National Championship in 2015. At 195 pounds, Raschka finished fifth at the 2016 FloNationals and is the No. 58-ranked recruit by FloWrestling.
- A two-time state champion and three-time state finalist, **Lane Stigall** (Aurora, Ore.) joins Mizzou as Coach Smith's first recruit from the state of Oregon. After winning state at 152 pounds, Stigall went on to finish fourth at 138 pounds at the 2016 FloNationals. Stigall chose Mizzou over Stanford and Oregon State.

### OLYMPIC BRONZE MEDALIST

- Senior J'den Cox earned an Olympic bronze medal in men's freestyle wrestling at 86 kg at the 2016 Rio Summer Olympics on Aug. 20. Cox defeated Cuba's Reineris Salas Perez to earn bronze, capping a highly impressive day where he didn't give up a single takedown.
- With the medal, Cox becomes the seventh University of Missouri athlete to win a medal at the Olympics – and the first since 2008 – joining Brutus Hamilton, Jackson Scholz, Dan Pippin, Dick Cochran, Natasha Kaiser (Brown) and Christian Cantwell in the exclusive club.



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## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS RUNDOWN

### MIZZOU

| WT  | Name           | Intermat | W.I.N. Magazine | The Open Mat | FloWrestling | TrackWrestling |
|-----|----------------|----------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| 125 | Barlow McGhee  | 7        | 7               | 4            | 7            | 15             |
| 133 | Jaydin Eierman | 9        | 11              | 8            | 10           | 8              |
| 141 | Matt Manley    | 8        | 9               | 9            | 7            | 8              |
| 149 | Lavion Mayes   | 4        | 4               | 3            | 4            | 4              |
| 157 | Joey Lavallee  | 6        | 7               | 3            | 7            | 7              |
| 165 | Daniel Lewis   | 4        | 4               | 4            | 4            | 4              |
| 174 | Dylan Wisman   | --       | --              | --           | --           | --             |
| 184 | Willie Miklus  | 9        | 10              | 15           | 10           | 15             |
| 197 | J'den Cox      | 1        | 1               | 1            | 1            | 1              |
| HWT | Austin Myers   | --       | --              | --           | --           | --             |

### OHIO

|     |                 |    |    |    |    |    |
|-----|-----------------|----|----|----|----|----|
| 125 | Shakur Laney    | 16 | -- | 14 | 18 | 17 |
| 133 | Cameron Kelly   | -- | 18 | -- | 20 | 19 |
| 141 | Noah Forrider   | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 149 | Kade Kowalski   | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 157 | Cullen Cummings | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 165 | Austin Reese    | -- | 16 | -- | -- | -- |
| 174 | Arsen Ashughyan | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 184 | Hubter Yeargan  | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 197 | Bailey Faust    | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| HWT | Zack Parker     | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |

## SCOUTING OHIO

### SCHEDULE RUNDOWN

- Ohio State enters the dual on a two-match win streak, defeating West Virginia, 25-11, on Nov. 6 and Buffalo, 25-9, on Dec. 4.
- The Bobcats opened the season with two straight losses at the Mountaineer Quad, falling to Pittsburgh, 21-16, and Campbell, 23-15, on Nov. 4 before defeating the Mountaineers to start their two-match win streak.
- Ohio has competed in two open tournaments as a team, finishing sixth at the Bearcat Open on Nov. 13 and sixth at the Navy Classic on Nov. 19. Sophomore 125-pounder Shakur Laney and sophomore 133-pounder Cameron Kelly each took home titles at the Bearcat Open and finished second at the Navy Classic.

### THREE BOBCATS RANKED

- Three of Ohio's 10 weight classes are ranked in at least one of the five sites which ranks individual wrestlers.
- Sophomore 125-pounder Shakur Laney is ranked as high as No. 14 by *The Open Mat*. Last season, Laney went 23-13, finished fifth at the MAC Championships and qualified for the NCAA Championships.
- Sophomore 133-pounder Cameron Kelly is ranked No. 18 by *W.I.N. Magazine*. In 2015-16, Kelly went 23-9, finished fourth at the MAC Championships and earned a berth to the NCAA Championships as the No. 13 seed.
- Redshirt sophomore 165-pounder Austin Reese is ranked No. 16 by *W.I.N. Magazine*. Last year, Reese went 20-14 and qualified for the NCAA Championships.

### #MAC STANDINGS

|                      | MAC        | PCT.         | OVERALL    | PCT.        |
|----------------------|------------|--------------|------------|-------------|
| #21 Northern Iowa    | 1-0        | 1.000        | 3-1        | .750        |
| <b>#5 MIZZOU</b>     | <b>1-0</b> | <b>1.000</b> | <b>2-1</b> | <b>.667</b> |
| Ohio                 | 1-0        | 1.000        | 2-2        | .500        |
| Eastern Michigan     | 0-0        | .000         | 2-0        | 1.000       |
| #14 Central Michigan | 0-0        | .000         | 1-0        | 1.000       |
| Kent State           | 0-0        | .000         | 1-1        | .500        |
| Northern Illinois    | 0-1        | .000         | 2-2        | .500        |
| Buffalo              | 0-1        | .000         | 1-3        | .250        |
| Old Dominion         | 1-2        | .333         | 1-3        | .250        |



## USA TODAY/NWCA POLL

| Rank     | Team                | Record     | Points     |
|----------|---------------------|------------|------------|
| 1        | Oklahoma State (11) | 4-0        | 395        |
| 2        | Penn State (5)      | 3-0        | 387        |
| 3        | Iowa                | 4-0        | 367        |
| 4        | Ohio State          | 3-0        | 350        |
| <b>5</b> | <b>MIZZOU</b>       | <b>2-0</b> | <b>340</b> |
| 6        | Virginia Tech       | 4-1        | 318        |
| 7        | Nebraska            | 5-0        | 303        |
| 8        | Cornell             | 3-0        | 283        |
| 9        | N.C. State          | 3-0        | 275        |
| 10       | Michigan            | 3-0        | 254        |
| 11       | Lehigh              | 3-1        | 241        |
| 12       | Rutgers             | 5-1        | 222        |
| 13       | Illinois            | 0-0        | 207        |
| 14       | Central Michigan    | 1-0        | 194        |
| 15       | Stanford            | 2-1        | 176        |
| 16       | Wisconsin           | 1-0        | 146        |
| 17       | Oklahoma            | 1-2        | 131        |
| 18       | Minnesota           | 1-1        | 130        |
| 19       | Arizona State       | 1-1        | 122        |
| 20       | South Dakota State  | 4-2        | 96         |
| 21       | Northern Iowa       | 3-1        | 76         |
| 22       | Appalachian State   | 5-1        | 64         |
| 23       | Pittsburgh          | 3-2        | 59         |
| 24       | Drexel              | 6-1        | 21         |
| 25       | Virginia            | 4-2        | 13         |

### Others Receiving Votes

North Carolina (8), Wyoming (7), Chattanooga (6), Princeton (4), Oregon State (3), Edinboro (2)



## INTERMAT TOURNAMENT

|          |                    |             |
|----------|--------------------|-------------|
| 1        | Oklahoma State     | 121.5       |
| 2        | Iowa               | 102.5       |
| 3        | Penn State         | 99.5        |
| 4        | Ohio State         | 96.0        |
| 5        | Virginia Tech      | 92.5        |
| <b>6</b> | <b>MIZZOU</b>      | <b>87.0</b> |
| 7        | Nebraska           | 62.0        |
| 8        | Illinois           | 57.0        |
| 9        | Cornell            | 56.5        |
| 10       | Lehigh             | 48.0        |
| 11       | Wisconsin          | 41.0        |
| 12       | Michigan           | 40.5        |
| 13       | Minnesota          | 38.5        |
| 14       | N.C. State         | 30.0        |
|          | Stanford           | 30.0        |
| 16       | Arizona State      | 27.0        |
|          | Northern Iowa      | 27.0        |
| 18       | South Dakota State | 26.0        |
| 19       | Princeton          | 24.0        |
| 20       | West Virginia      | 22.5        |
| 21       | Oklahoma           | 20.5        |
|          | Wyoming            | 20.5        |
| 23       | North Dakota State | 19.0        |
|          | Penn               | 19.0        |
| 25       | Iowa State         | 17.0        |
|          | Rutgers            | 17.0        |



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# RECORD WATCH

| ALL-TIME WINS |                     |            |             |                     |
|---------------|---------------------|------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Rank          | Wrestler            | Wins       | Win%        | Years               |
| 1             | Ben Askren          | 153        | .950        | 2003-07             |
| 2             | Alan Waters         | 136        | .907        | 2010-15             |
| 3             | Drake Houdashelt    | 134        | .854        | 2010-15             |
| 4             | Wes Roper           | 131        | .780        | 1978-82             |
| T-5           | Shaon Fry           | 127        | .779        | 1990-94             |
| T-5           | Kenny Liddell       | 127        | .743        | 1990-95             |
| 7             | Raymond Jordan      | 123        | .809        | 2005-09             |
| 8             | Matt Pell           | 122        | .777        | 2003-07             |
| 9             | Kenny Burleson      | 119        | .777        | 1999-04             |
| 10            | Nick Marable        | 116        | .823        | 2006-10             |
| <b>11</b>     | <b>J'DEN COX</b>    | <b>114</b> | <b>.958</b> | <b>2013-Present</b> |
| 12            | Brent Haynes        | 113        | .769        | 2009-13             |
| 13            | Tyron Woodley       | 110        | .743        | 2001-05             |
| T-14          | Brad Cielecki       | 109        | .784        | 2001-05             |
| T-15          | John Kopinsky       | 106        | .741        | 1997-02             |
| T-15          | Jeremy Spates       | 106        | .736        | 1999-04             |
| 17            | Dom Bradley         | 105        | .875        | 2007-13             |
| 18            | Max Askren          | 104        | .867        | 2006-10             |
| T-19          | Joe Spinazzola      | 102        | .739        | 1979-84             |
| T-19          | Dave Young          | 102        | .723        | 1978-82             |
| T-21          | Mike Larson         | 101        | .673        | 2010-13             |
| T-21          | Jeff Urban          | 101        | .673        | 1996-00             |
| <b>T-23</b>   | <b>LAVION MAYES</b> | <b>101</b> | <b>.828</b> | <b>2012-Present</b> |
| T-24          | Michael Chandler    | 100        | .714        | 2005-09             |
| T-24          | Rick Romeo          | 100        | .680        | 1979-82             |

## TOP-10 CAREER WINNING PERCENTAGE (Minimum 100 wins)

| Rank     | Wrestler            | Win%        | Wins       | Years               |
|----------|---------------------|-------------|------------|---------------------|
| <b>1</b> | <b>J'DEN COX</b>    | <b>.958</b> | <b>114</b> | <b>2013-Present</b> |
| 2        | Ben Askren          | .950        | 153        | 2003-07             |
| 3        | Alan Waters         | .907        | 131        | 2010-15             |
| 4        | Dom Bradley         | .875        | 105        | 2007-13             |
| 5        | Max Askren          | .867        | 104        | 2006-10             |
| 6        | Drake Houdashelt    | .854        | 129        | 2010-15             |
| <b>7</b> | <b>LAVION MAYES</b> | <b>.828</b> | <b>101</b> | <b>2012-Present</b> |
| 8        | Nick Marable        | .823        | 116        | 2006-10             |
| 9        | Raymond Jordan      | .809        | 123        | 2005-09             |
| 10       | Brad Cielecki       | .784        | 109        | 2001-05             |

## TOP-10 CAREER TECHNICAL FALLS

| Rank     | Wrestler         | Technical Falls | Years               |
|----------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| 1        | Drake Houdashelt | 21              | 2010-Present        |
| 2        | Alan Waters      | 17              | 2010-Present        |
| 3        | Ben Askren       | 15              | 2003-07             |
| <b>4</b> | <b>J'DEN COX</b> | <b>14</b>       | <b>2013-Present</b> |
| 5        | Brent Haynes     | 13              | 2009-13             |
| 6        | Sam Henson       | 11              | 1991-92             |
| T-7      | Tyron Woodley    | 10              | 2001-05             |
| T-7      | Kenny Burleson   | 10              | 1999-04             |
| T-9      | Dorian Henderson | 9               | 2008-12             |
| T-9      | Jeff Foust       | 9               | 2003-06             |
| T-9      | Johnny Eblen     | 9               | 2010-15             |

## TOP-10 CAREER MAJOR DECISIONS

| Rank       | Wrestler            | Major Decisions | Years               |
|------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| 1          | Drake Houdashelt    | 39              | 2010-15             |
| 2          | Raymond Jordan      | 38              | 2006-09             |
| 3          | Tyron Woodley       | 28              | 2001-05             |
| 4          | Shaon Fry           | 26              | 1990-94             |
| T-5        | Jeremy Spates       | 25              | 1999-04             |
| <b>T-5</b> | <b>LAVION MAYES</b> | <b>25</b>       | <b>2013-Present</b> |
| <b>7</b>   | <b>J'DEN COX</b>    | <b>24</b>       | <b>2013-Present</b> |
| T-8        | Todd Porter         | 23              | 2009-13             |
| T-8        | Johnny Eblen        | 23              | 2010-15             |
| T-10       | Matt Pell           | 22              | 2003-07             |
| T-10       | Kyle Bradley        | 22              | 2010-14             |

# TIGER RECORDS

| Wt. | Wrestler         | Season | Dual | Career  |
|-----|------------------|--------|------|---------|
| 125 | Aaron Assad      | 7-4    | 0-2  | 34-23   |
| 133 | Jaydin Eierman   | 5-1    | 1-1  | 5-1     |
| 141 | Zach Synon       | 9-4    | 1-1  | 83-40   |
| 141 | Alex Butler      | 12-8   | 0-1  | 12-8    |
| 157 | Joey Lavallee    | 8-0    | 3-0  | 62-24   |
| 165 | Daniel Lewis     | 7-1    | 3-0  | 36-7    |
| 174 | Dylan Wisman     | 1-2    | 1-2  | 1-2     |
| 184 | Matt Lemanowicz  | 2-3    | 0-1  | 42-29   |
| 197 | J'den Cox        | 6-0    | 3-0  | 114-5   |
| HWT | Austin Myers     | 1-2    | 1-2  | 1-2     |
| Wt. | Wrestler         | Season | Dual | Career  |
| 125 | Chase Brennan    | 6-4    | 1-0  | 18-13   |
| 125 | Chandler Fohey   | 0-0    | 0-0  | 0-0     |
| 125 | Barlow McGhee    | 0-0    | 0-0  | 45-20   |
| 133 | John Erneste     | 9-2    | 1-0  | 26-8    |
| 133 | Quinn Smith      | 0-0    | 0-0  | 5-0     |
| 141 | Grant Leeth      | 0-0    | 0-0  | 0-0     |
| 141 | Matt Manley      | 1-0    | 1-0  | 63-28   |
| 141 | Nick Nasenbeny   | 3-6    | 0-0  | 9-12    |
| 141 | Sam Ritchie      | 1-2    | 0-0  | 1-2     |
| 141 | Will Roark       | 2-2    | 0-0  | 2-2     |
| 149 | Austin Eveler    | 0-0    | 0-0  | 0-0     |
| 149 | Ethan Karsten    | 7-1    | 0-0  | 7-1*    |
| 149 | Kevin Kissane    | 2-4    | 0-0  | 2-4     |
| 149 | Lavion Mayes     | 2-0    | 2-0  | 101-21  |
| 157 | Phyllip DeLoach  | 9-4    | 0-0  | 9-4     |
| 157 | Luke Fortuna     | 12-4   | 0-0  | 26-14   |
| 157 | Sean Hosford     | 7-1    | 0-0  | 7-1*    |
| 157 | Keegan McCormick | 5-6    | 0-0  | 5-6     |
| 157 | Blake Pepper     | 0-2    | 0-0  | 26-15   |
| 165 | Connor Flynn     | 13-1   | 0-0  | 27-19** |
| 174 | Jon Goerke       | 0-2    | 0-0  | 21-31   |
| 174 | Canten Marriott  | 10-5   | 0-0  | 10-5*   |
| 174 | Tim Miklus       | 0-0    | 0-0  | 12-9    |
| 174 | Matt Striegel    | 0-0    | 0-0  | 0-0     |
| 174 | Dalton Voyles    | 0-0    | 0-0  | 0-0     |
| 174 | Taylor Watkins   | 7-6    | 0-0  | 7-6     |
| 184 | Jayden Bears     | 3-4    | 0-0  | 3-4     |
| 184 | Willie Miklus    | 0-2    | 0-2  | 54-19   |
| 197 | Wyatt Koelling   | 6-3    | 0-0  | 6-3*    |
| 197 | Wood Mancuso     | 0-0    | 0-0  | 0-0     |
| 197 | Seth Pesek       | 0-0    | 0-0  | 0-0     |
| HWT | Jake Bohlken     | 8-4    | 0-0  | 8-4*    |
| HWT | Rodrigo Diaz     | 0-2    | 0-0  | 0-2     |
| HWT | Dante Jiovenetta | 7-5    | 0-0  | 7-5*    |
| HWT | James Romero     | 5-5    | 0-0  | 16-24   |

\* - Currently competing as a redshirt

\*\* - 14-18 at West Virginia

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# AARON ASSAD

**R- JR | 125 lbs.**

Brecksville, Ohio // Purdue

## ASSAD CAREER STATS

| Season        | Overall      | Duals (MAC)      | Tournament (MAC/NCAA)  | MD       | TF       | Fall     |
|---------------|--------------|------------------|------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2013-14*      | Redshirted   |                  |                        |          |          |          |
| 2014-15*      | 10-12        | 3-6 (1-2)        | 7-6 (0-0/0-0)          | 0        | 2        | 1        |
| 2015-16       | 17-7         | 0-1 (0-1)        | 17-6 (0-0/0-0)         | 2        | 3        | 3        |
| 2016-17       | 7-4          | 0-2 (0-0)        | 7-2 (0-0/0-0)          | 0        | 1        | 1        |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>34-23</b> | <b>3-9 (1-3)</b> | <b>31-14 (0-0/0-0)</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>5</b> |

\*- At Purdue



## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS:

|                       |    |
|-----------------------|----|
| Intermat.....         | NR |
| W.I.N. Magazine ..... | NR |
| The Open Mat .....    | NR |
| FloWrestling.....     | NR |
| TrackWrestling .....  | NR |

## ASSAD 2016-17 MATCH-BY-MATCH

| Date  | Opponent            | School             | W/L | Score      | Record |
|---|---------------------|--------------------|-----|------------|--------|
| <b>Joe Parisi Open (2nd Place - 125 Gold)</b> |                     |                    |     |            |        |
| Nov. 19                                       | Jake Silzer         | Illinois           | W   | Dec., 6-0  | 1-0    |
| Nov. 19                                       | Coulton Parker      | Oklahoma City      | W   | TF, 15-0   | 2-0    |
| Nov. 19                                       | Alonza Allen        | Chattanooga        | W   | Dec., 4-2  | 3-0    |
| Nov. 19                                       | Freddie Rodriguez   | SIU Edwardsville   | L   | Dec., 11-4 | 3-1    |
| Nov. 20                                       | (3) Joey Dance      | Virginia Tech      | L   | Dec., 8-4  | 3-2    |
| <b>UNI Open (3rd Place - 125)</b>             |                     |                    |     |            |        |
| Dec. 3  | Josh Portillo       | South Dakota State | W   | Dec., 5-2  | 4-2    |
| Dec. 3  | Jonathan Marmolejo  | Iowa State         | W   | Fall, 5:00 | 5-2    |
| Dec. 3  | Travis Piotrowski   | Illinois           | L   | Dec., 3-2  | 5-3    |
| Dec. 3  | Paul Bianchi        | North Dakota State | W   | Dec., 3-0  | 6-3    |
| Dec. 3  | Devin Schroder      | Purdue             | W   | Dec., 6-0  | 7-3    |
| Dec. 8  | (10) Jose Rodriguez | Ohio State         | L   | Dec., 3-1  | 7-4    |

## 2015-16 (RS SOPHOMORE)

- Wrestled to a 17-7 record at 125 pounds in his first season at Mizzou, placing in the top-three at three open tournaments.
- Made Mizzou dual debut against Eastern Michigan on Jan. 15.
- Champion of the Edinboro Open (Feb. 6) with a 5-0 record. Earned a pin and two technical falls in the tournament, including an 18-3 win in the championship bout over Logan Griffin (Michigan State).
- Placed third at the Joe Parisi Open (Nov. 21) after going 4-1. Recorded two major decisions in the tournament, defeating Ryan Brooks (Central Oklahoma), 12-1, and Tristan Bundy (Grand View), 16-2.
- Earned a second-place finish at the Roger Denker Open on Jan. 24 with a 3-1 record. Earned falls in the first two rounds of the tournament, including his fastest fall of the season at 1:07 over Cody Salazar (NE Oklahoma) in the first round.

## 2014-15 (RS FRESHMAN AT PURDUE)

- Placed sixth at Michigan State Open (unattached) (11/2)
- Competed at Roadrunner Open (11/16)
- Competed at Midlands Championships (12/29-30)
- Team leader in most points scored in a single match with his 23-7 technical fall of Cal State Bakersfield's Kyle Anderson at Roadrunner Open
- Fastest pin of season was a 56-second fall of Menlo's Daniel Gallegos at the Roadrunner Open
- First BIG dual victory was a 3-1 decision over Michigan State's Mitch Rogaliner

## BRECKSVILLE-BROADVIEW HEIGHTS HS (BRECKSVILLE, OHIO)

- Averaged 4.5 points/match
- Four-time varsity letterwinner at Brecksville - Broadview Heights
- Four-time Ohio High School state placewinner
- Went 44-4 and captured 113-pound title as a senior
- Took third in 2012 in Division I at 113, was the Division III 103-pound runner-up in 2011 and placed third at 103 in Division III in 2010
- Twice named team MVP
- Finished second at the 2013 National High School Wrestling Championships
- Finished on the podium at three events in 2012: second at Beast of the East, fifth at Walsh Ironman and seventh at freestyle Junior Nationals
- Also a four-year varsity baseball letterwinner

## PERSONAL

- Son of Todd and Carmen Assad
- Has a younger brother, Austin who wrestles for Univ. of Michigan
- Born on Sept. 20, 1994



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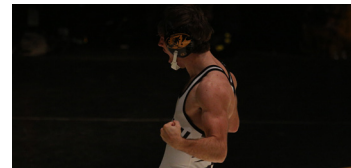
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# JAYDIN EIERMAN

**R- FR | 133 lbs.**

Columbia, Mo. // Father Tolton HS



## EIERMAN CAREER STATS

| Season        | Overall    | Duals (MAC)      | Tournament (MAC/NCAA) | MD       | TF       | Fall     |
|---------------|------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2015-16*      | 22-2       | 0-0 (0-0)        | 22-2 (0-0/0-0)        | 6        | 6        | 8        |
| 2016-17       | 5-1        | 1-1 (0-0)        | 4-0 (0-0/0-0)         | 1        | 1        | 1        |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>5-1</b> | <b>1-1 (0-0)</b> | <b>4-0 (0-0/0-0)</b>  | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b> |

\*- Redshirted, stats don't count to career totals

## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS:

|                      |      |
|----------------------|------|
| Intermat.....        | 9th  |
| W.I.N. Magazine..... | 11th |
| The Open Mat.....    | 8th  |
| FloWrestling.....    | 10th |
| TrackWrestling.....  | 8th  |

## EIERMAN 2016-17 MATCH-BY-MATCH

| Date                              | Opponent             | School             | W/L | Score       | Record |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-----|-------------|--------|
| Nov. 20                           | Dominic Latona       | Virginia Tech      | W   | Fall, 2:55  | 1-0    |
| <b>UNI Open (1st Place - 133)</b> |                      |                    |     |             |        |
| Dec. 3                            | Cam Sykora           | North Dakota State | W   | TF, 17-2    | 2-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Francis Edelen       | Illinois           | W   | MD, 14-6    | 3-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Sam Brancale         | Minnesota          | W   | Dec., 15-10 | 4-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Dylan Duncan         | Illinois           | W   | Dec., 6-3   | 5-0    |
| Dec. 8                            | (2) Nathan Tomasello | Ohio State         | L   | MD, 12-2    | 5-1    |

## 2015-16 (FRESHMAN)

- Completed a highly impressive redshirt season at 133 pounds with a 22-2 record, placing first at three open tournaments and third at two events.
- Won the Roger Denker Open (Jan. 24), recording two technical falls, a fall and a major decision in a 4-0 performance.
- Placed third at the Reno Tournament of Champions (Dec. 20), recording three technical falls, two falls and a major decision in the tournament.
- Won the UNI Open (Dec. 12), recording three falls and a major decision in the tournament.
- Won the Joe Parisi Open (Nov. 21) with a fall and two major decisions en route to the title.
- Took third at the Michigan State Open (Nov. 15), earning a fall, a technical fall and a major decision. Earned first collegiate win in 13-1 major decision over Luke Welch (Purdue).

## FATHER TOLTON HS (COLUMBIA, MO.)

- Completed high school as the second undefeated, four-time state champion in Missouri history
- Went 158-0 at Father Tolton, including a 53-0 senior season that finished with him being the 25th four-time champion in Missouri history
- Two-time Fargo All-American
- Ranked the No. 39 2015 recruit nationally by FloWrestling

## PERSONAL

- Son of Heather Selsor and Mike Eierman
- Father was a freshman All-American and an alternate on the 2000 Olympic team



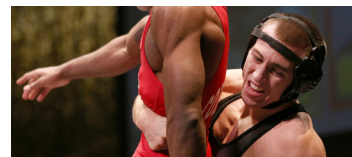
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# ZACH SYNON

R- SR | 141 lbs.

Cary, Ill. // Prairie Ridge HS



## SYNON CAREER STATS

| Season        | Overall      | Duals (MAC)        | Tournament (MAC/NCAA)  | MD        | TF       | Fall      |
|---------------|--------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| 2012-13*      |              |                    |                        |           |          |           |
| 2013-14       | 27-9         | 0-1 (0-1)          | 27-8 (0-0/0-0)         | 4         | 0        | 7         |
| 2014-15       | 31-13        | 8-5 (3-0)          | 23-6 (3-0/0-2)         | 3         | 2        | 4         |
| 2015-16       | 16-14        | 8-7 (5-2)          | 8-7 (0-2/0-2)          | 2         | 2        | 1         |
| 2016-17       | 9-4          | 1-1 (0-0)          | 8-3 (0-0/0-0)          | 1         | 0        | 0         |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>83-40</b> | <b>17-14 (8-3)</b> | <b>66-26 (3-2/0-4)</b> | <b>10</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>12</b> |

\* - Redshirted, stats don't count to career totals

## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS:

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| Intermat.....        | NR |
| W.I.N. Magazine..... | NR |
| The Open Mat.....    | NR |
| FloWrestling.....    | NR |
| TrackWrestling.....  | NR |

## SYNON 2016-17 MATCH-BY-MATCH

| Date  | Opponent         | School           | W/L | Score      | Record |
|---|------------------|------------------|-----|------------|--------|
| <b>Maryville Brand Kaufman Open (3rd Place - 141 Elite)</b> |                  |                  |     |            |        |
| Nov. 12   | Angelo Silvestro | SIU Edwardsville | W   | Dec., 3-0  | 1-0    |
| Nov. 12   | Mousa Jodeh      | Illinois         | W   | Dec., 2-0  | 2-0    |
| Nov. 12   | Nate Rodriguez   | Maryville        | L   | Dec., 4-1  | 2-1    |
| Nov. 12   | Alex Butler      | Mizzou           | W   | MD, 8-0    | 3-1    |
| Nov. 12   | Mousa Jodeh      | Illinois         | W   | Dec., 8-0  | 4-1    |
| <b>UNI Open (4th Place - 141)</b>                           |                  |                  |     |            |        |
| Nov. 20   | Dennis Gustafson | Virginia Tech    | W   | Dec., 2-0  | 5-1    |
| Dec. 3  | Ben Brancale     | Minnesota        | W   | Dec., 8-4  | 6-1    |
| Dec. 3  | Adam Hedin       | St. Cloud State  | W   | Dec., 12-6 | 7-1    |
| Dec. 3  | Brock Rathbun    | Iowa             | W   | Dec., 3-0  | 8-1    |
| Dec. 3  | Kanen Storr      | Iowa State       | L   | Dec., 3-2  | 8-2    |
| Dec. 3  | Alex Butler      | Mizzou           | W   | Dec., 1-0  | 9-2    |
| Dec. 3  | Carter Happel    | Iowa             | L   | Dec., 5-2  | 9-3    |
| Dec. 8  | Luke Pletcher    | Ohio State       | L   | Dec., 6-4  | 9-4    |

## CAREER HONORS

- 2016 NCAA Championships Qualifier (133 lbs.)
- 2016 Academic All-Mac Team
- 2015 NCAA Championships Qualifier (133 lbs.)
- 2015 MAC Champion (133 lbs.)
- 2015 Academic All-MAC team

## 2015-16 (RS JUNIOR)

- Posted a 16-14 record while qualifying for the NCAA Championships for the second consecutive season at 133 pounds.
- Defeated Corey Keener (Central Michigan) in overtime, 5-4, to help Mizzou extend its dual win streak to 37 straight duals.
- Was named MAC Wrestler of the Week on Dec. 16 after defeating No. 5 Johnni DiJulius (Ohio State) via fall at 5:59, helping Mizzou knock off then-No. 3 Ohio State.
- Earned a 2-1 decision win over No. 17-ranked Josh Alber, helping Mizzou narrowly escape with a 24-19 victory over Northern Iowa.
- Began the season on a nine-match winning streak, placing first at the Maryville Brand Kaufman Open (Nov. 14) and second at the Joe Parisi Open.

## 2014-15 (RS SOPHOMORE)

- Went 31-13 overall in breakout campaign, recording a 133 pound MAC Championship and clinching first trip to NCAA Championships.
- With only one automatic bid at 133 pounds available, recorded a perfect 3-0 record at 2015 MAC Championships to secure his first career visit to NCAA Championships.
- His 31 season victories marked a new single season career high, passing his 27 victories during the 2013-14 campaign.
- After making just one dual start in 2013-14, jumped up to 13 starts this season, finishing with an 8-5 record (3-0 in MAC duals).
- After beginning the season behind teammate Matt Manley at 133 pounds, earned the last 11 starts for the Tigers lineup.
- Competed in five tournaments before taking over 133 pound starting spot, placing in 4-of-5 events.
- Took home 3rd place at 2014 Harold Nichols Cyclone Open, 2nd place at 2014 UCM Open, 3rd place at 2014 Joe Parisi Open and 3rd place at 2014 UNI Open.
- Signature win of the season came on Jan. 10, 2015, as he defeated No. 3 (125 lbs.) Nahshon Garrett (Cornell) by 6-2 decision.
- Accumulated six different winning streaks of three matches or better throughout the season.
- Season best winning streak of six matches came between 2014 Cyclone Open & UCM Open.

## 2013-14 (RS FRESHMAN)

- In his first season as an attached wrestler for, Synon competed in six tournaments and earned his first career dual start against Central Michigan.
- Won six-of-eight matches at the Warren Williams / Daktronics Open for a fourth place finish.
- Named the Champion at the UCM Open after winning five straight matches including a 5-0 decision over Connor Cline (Oklahoma St.) in the finals.
- Finished in fifth and sixth at the Joe Parisi Open and Southern Scuffle, respectively. Between the two tournaments, Synon won 10-of-15 matches.
- At the Kaufman-Brand Open, won his three matches by either fall or major decisions.
- Lost in the finals to Dylan Peters (UNI) at the UNI Open for a second place finish.
- Earned his first career dual against No. 12 Corey Keener (Central Michigan) on Jan. 19.

## 2012-13 (FRESHMAN)

- Competed with his redshirt on in five tournaments.
- Picked up his first NCAA win against Oklahoma State's Gunnar Woodburn by major decision, 8-0, at the UCM Open.
- Synon went on to take second place at the UCM Open, losing only to Eddie Kilmara (Oklahoma St.) in the finals.
- Took fifth place at both the Kaufman-Brand and Grand View Opens.
- Won three-of-four matches at the Roger Denker Open to land a second place finish.
- Had 19 wins to eight losses on the year, with 14 of those victories coming by major decision or pin.

## PRAIRIE RIDGE HS (CARY, ILL.)

- His senior year, finished third place at state at 126 pounds.
- Had a combined record of 87-5 during his junior and senior seasons.
- Was a state champion in Greco in 2010 and 2011.
- Finished eighth at Fargo Cadet and Junior Nationals in Freestyle in 2011.
- Was an Academic All-Conference and Honor Roll Member.

## PERSONAL

- Zach Synon was born on May 4, 1994 to Dan and Michelle Synon in Barrington, Ill.
- His father graduated from SIU-Carbondale.
- Has one younger brother, Max.
- His uncle, Ryan Geist, wrestled at Illinois State.
- Chose Mizzou over Northwestern and Iowa.



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# ALEX BUTLER

**R- FR | 149 lbs.**

Rockford, Ill. // Boylan Catholic HS

## BUTLER CAREER STATS

| Season        | Overall     | Duals (MAC)      | Tournament (MAC/NCAA) | MD       | TF       | Fall     |
|---------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2015-16*      | 24-10       | 0-0 (0-0)        | 24-10 (0-0/0-0)       | 3        | 1        | 0        |
| 2016-17       | 12-8        | 0-1 (0-0)        | 12-7 (0-0)            | 1        | 0        | 1        |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>12-8</b> | <b>0-1 (0-0)</b> | <b>12-7 (0-0)</b>     | <b>1</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>1</b> |

\* - Redshirted, stats don't count to career totals



## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS:

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| Intermat.....        | NR |
| W.I.N. Magazine..... | NR |
| The Open Mat.....    | NR |
| FloWrestling.....    | NR |
| TrackWrestling.....  | NR |

## BUTLER 2016-17 MATCH-BY-MATCH

| Date  | Opponent         | School                  | W/L | Score           | Record |
|---|------------------|-------------------------|-----|-----------------|--------|
| <b>Maryville Brand Kaufman Open (5th Place - 141 Elite)</b> |                  |                         |     |                 |        |
| Nov. 12   | Trevor Feagans   | SIU Edwardsville        | W   | Dec., 7-5       | 1-0    |
| Nov. 12   | Darren Wynn      | McKendree               | L   | Dec., 12-6      | 1-1    |
| Nov. 12   | Jermanie Pryor   | Missouri Valley College | W   | MD, 10-2        | 2-1    |
| Nov. 12   | Dylan Thurston   | Illinois                | W   | Fall, 5:40      | 3-1    |
| Nov. 12   | Zach Synon       | Mizzou                  | L   | MD, 8-0         | 3-2    |
| Nov. 12   | Bryce Killian    | King                    | W   | Forfeit         | 4-2    |
| <b>Joe Parisi Open</b>                                      |                  |                         |     |                 |        |
| Nov. 19   | Dylan Thurston   | Illinois                | W   | Dec., 6-3       | 5-2    |
| Nov. 19   | Nate Rodriguez   | Maryville               | W   | Dec., 6-3       | 6-2    |
| Nov. 19   | Trevor Feagans   | SIU Edwardsville        | L   | MD, 15-2        | 6-3    |
| Nov. 19   | Darren Wynn      | McKendree               | L   | Fall, 7:00      | 6-4    |
| Nov. 19   | Will Roark       | Mizzou                  | L   | Dec., 4-1       | 6-5    |
| <b>UNI Open (5th Place - 141)</b>                           |                  |                         |     |                 |        |
| Dec. 3  | Dylan Thurston   | Illinois                | W   | Dec., 5-3       | 7-5    |
| Dec. 3  | Thomas Thorn     | Minnesota               | L   | Dec., 7-2       | 7-6    |
| Dec. 3  | Nick Nasenbeny   | Mizzou                  | W   | SV-1, 6-4       | 8-6    |
| Dec. 3  | Austin Nash      | Purdue                  | W   | Dec., 9-7       | 9-6    |
| Dec. 3  | Tyler Willers    | Northern Iowa           | W   | Dec., 7-6       | 10-6   |
| Dec. 3  | (19) Gabe Moreno | Iowa State              | W   | Dec., 8-6       | 11-6   |
| Dec. 3  | Zach Synon       | Mizzou                  | L   | Dec., 1-0       | 11-7   |
| Dec. 3  | Jwan Britton     | Michigan State          | W   | MFF             | 12-7   |
| Dec. 8 (149)  | (5) Micah Jordan | Ohio State              | L   | TF, 23-7 (5:44) | 12-8   |

## 2015-16 (FRESHMAN)

- In redshirt season, posted a 24-10 record, placing in the top-five in four open tournaments at 149 pounds.
- Finished as champion of the Bob Smith Open (Dec. 6), finishing the tournament 5-0 and earning a major decision in a first-round victory.
- Placed second in the 149-pound amateur bracket of the Joe Parisi Open (Nov. 21), finishing 4-1 in the tournament.
- Took fifth at the UCM Open (Nov. 7) and fourth at the Roger Denker Open (Jan. 24).

## BOYLAN CATHOLIC HS (ROCKFORD, ILL.)

- Went 46-1 as a high school senior
- Finished runner up in the Illinois state class 2A 138-pound bracket
- Placed second at the 2014 Illinois State championships as well
- Finished fourth at the 2013 Illinois State championships
- Fargo All-American

## PERSONAL

- Son of Martin and Debra Butler
- Older brother, Blaise, wrestled for Mizzou
- Honor roll member as a junior



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# JOEY LAVALLEE

R- JR | 157 lbs.

Reno, Nev. // Reno HS



## LAVALLEE CAREER STATS

| Season        | Overall      | Duals (MAC)         | Tournament (MAC/NCAA)  | MD        | TF       | Fall      |
|---------------|--------------|---------------------|------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| 2013-14       | 30-11        | 5-4 (5-1)           | 25-7 (3-1 (3-2))       | 6         | 3        | 7         |
| 2014-15       | 24-13        | 13-7 (6-1)          | 11-6 (2-1/2-2)         | 4         | 0        | 2         |
| 2015-16*      | 10-3         | 0-0 (0-0)           | 10-3 (0-0/0-0)         | 0         | 2        | 1         |
| 2016-17       | 8-0          | 3-0 (0-0)           | 5-0 (0-0/0-0)          | 3         | 1        | 1         |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>62-24</b> | <b>21-11 (11-2)</b> | <b>41-13 (5-2/5-4)</b> | <b>13</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>10</b> |

\*- Redshirted, stats don't count to career totals

## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS:

|                       |     |
|-----------------------|-----|
| Intermat.....         | 6th |
| W.I.N. Magazine ..... | 7th |
| The Open Mat .....    | 3rd |
| FloWrestling.....     | 7th |
| TrackWrestling .....  | 7th |

## LAVALLEE 2016-17 MATCH-BY-MATCH

| Date                              | Opponent           | School          | W/L | Score      | Record |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-----|------------|--------|
| Nov. 13                           | Shane Jones        | Old Dominion*   | W   | MD, 12-4   | 1-0    |
| Nov. 20                           | (17) Sal Mastriani | Virginia Tech   | W   | MD, 15-5   | 2-0    |
| <b>UNI Open (1st Place - 157)</b> |                    |                 |     |            |        |
| Dec. 3                            | Austin Hiles       | Michigan State  | W   | Fall, 3:35 | 3-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Mario Leveille     | Purdue          | W   | TF, 20-3   | 4-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Travis Holt        | St. Cloud State | W   | MD, 14-5   | 5-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Carson Brolsma     | Minnesota       | W   | Dec., 6-4  | 6-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Luke Fortuna       | Mizzou          | W   | Dec., 6-1  | 7-0    |
| Dec. 8                            | (19) Jake Ryan     | Ohio State      | W   | Dec., 12-5 | 8-0    |

\* - MAC Dual

## CAREER HONORS

- 2015 NCAA Championships Qualifier (157 lbs.)
- 2015 Academic All-MAC Team
- 2014 NCAA Championships Qualifier (157 lbs.)
- 2014 SEC First-Year Honor Roll

## 2015-16 (JUNIOR)

- In redshirt season, went 10-3 while posting two top-six finishes in open tournaments.
- Took sixth place at Reno Tournament of Champions (Dec. 20), going 4-1 in the tournament.
- Placed second at the Michigan State Open (Nov. 15) after posting 3-1 record at the tournament.

## 2014-15 (SOPHOMORE)

- Received an automatic bid to 2015 NCAA Championships in St. Louis, Mo., following a second place finish at 2015 MAC Championships.
- Posted an overall record of 24-13, including a 13-7 dual record (6-1 MAC competitions).
- In his first two seasons at Mizzou, Lavallee has put together an impressive 11-2 record in Mid-American Conference duals.
- His 13 dual season victories was a new career high, topping his previous record of five from a season ago.
- Solid contributor for Tiger lineup all season long, producing 40 dual points within his 14 dual victories.
- Racked up five wins over nationally ranked opponents this season, highlighted by defeating the No. 13 ranked foe twice (Justin DeAngelis - Oklahoma & Cody Pack - South Dakota State).
- Had an outstanding first two months of the 2014-15 season, putting together a 9-1 record and 2nd place finish at 2014 Harold Nichols Cyclone Open.

## 2013-14 (FRESHMAN)

- Earned "Most Pins" honor among Mizzou wrestlers.
- Competed as an unattached wrestler for five tournaments before having his redshirt taken off for the remainder of the season.
- Took fourth place at the Warren Williams / Daktronics Open after winning the first three collegiate matches of his career.
- Crowned the champion at the Harold Nichols Cyclone Open.
- Finished in second place at the Joe Parisi Open, losing in the finals to Alex Dieringer (Oklahoma St.) by a three point decision.
- Took the title at the Kaufman-Brand Open, defeating MU's Matt Lemanowicz in the final, 3-2.
- Became the third true freshman to enter the Tigers lineup in dual competition, going against No. 20 Luke Smith (Central Michigan).
- Won his first collegiate dual match by a 4-1 decision over Jarrett Jensen (UNI) the following weekend.
- Got his first ranked win after defeating No. 19 Alex Richardson (Old Dominion), 7-2.
- At the 2014 MAC Championships, finished in third place after three more wins, which included a decision win over No. 19 Brandon Zeerip (Eastern Michigan).
- Fell one match short of All-American round at 2014 NCAA's, winning three-of-five matches, including a technical fall over Johnny Greisheimer (Edinboro) and a 14-4 major decision over Paul Hancock (Army).
- Had 30 wins in his first year at Mizzou, with six major decisions, seven pins and three technical falls.

## RENO HS (RENO, NEV.)

- Put up a record of 206-12 in his four seasons at Reno High School.
- Took home Nevada state titles all four years.
- Took third place at Fargo in 2010.
- In 2011, made noise nationally after winning the FILA Cadet National Freestyle title at 63 kilos.

## PERSONAL

- Joey Lavallee was born to Joe and Renee Lavallee on March 16, 1994 in Gilroy, Calif.
- Has an older sister, Megin, and a younger brother, Justin.
- Was tabbed as the No. 57 wrestling recruit in the nation going into the 2013-14 season.



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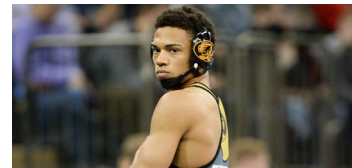
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# DANIEL LEWIS

R- SO | 165 lbs.

Blue Springs, Mo. // Blue Springs HS



## LEWIS CAREER STATS

| Season        | Overall     | Duals (MAC)       | Tournament (MAC/NCAA) | MD       | TF       | Fall      |
|---------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------------|----------|----------|-----------|
| 2014-15*      | 21-8        | 0-0 (0-0)         | 21-8 (0-0/0-0)        | 4        | 0        | 15        |
| 2015-16       | 29-6        | 12-2 (6-0)        | 17-4 (3-0/4-2)        | 5        | 1        | 10        |
| 2016-17       | 7-1         | 3-0 (1-0)         | 4-1 (0-0/0-0)         | 3        | 0        | 3         |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>36-7</b> | <b>15-2 (7-0)</b> | <b>21-5 (3-0/4-2)</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>13</b> |

\* - Redshirted, stats don't count to career totals

## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS:

|                       |     |
|-----------------------|-----|
| Intermat.....         | 4th |
| W.I.N. Magazine ..... | 4th |
| The Open Mat .....    | 4th |
| FloWrestling.....     | 4th |
| TrackWrestling .....  | 4th |

## LEWIS 2016-17 MATCH-BY-MATCH

| Date                              | Opponent           | School          | W/L | Score      | Record |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-----|------------|--------|
| Nov. 13                           | (11) Seldon Wright | Old Dominion*   | W   | MD, 8-0    | 1-0    |
| Nov. 20                           | Mike Ciavarro      | Virginia Tech   | W   | MD, 13-0   | 2-0    |
| <b>UNI Open (2nd Place - 165)</b> |                    |                 |     |            |        |
| Dec. 3                            | Jacob Cavaciu      | Unattached      | W   | Fall, 1:39 | 3-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Shakeno Jenkins    | Waldorf         | W   | Fall, 1:56 | 4-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Gabe Fogarty       | St. Cloud State | W   | Fall, 1:09 | 5-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Larry Early        | Minnesota       | W   | MD, 12-0   | 6-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | (1) Isaiah Matinez | Illinois        | L   | Dec., 7-4  | 6-1    |
| Dec. 8                            | Cody Burcher       | Ohio State      | W   | Dec., 6-1  | 7-1    |

\* - MAC Dual

## CAREER HONORS

- 2016 NCAA All-American (4th Place - 165 lbs.)
- 2016 MAC Champion (165 lbs.)
- 2016 MAC Freshman of the Year

## 2015-16 (RS FRESHMAN)

- In first year as an attached wrestler, went 29-6 and finished in fourth place at 165 pounds at the NCAA Championships (March 19), earning All-America status while also capturing a MAC Championship (March 6).
- Was awarded the Most Pins and Outstanding Freshman Award at end-of-the-year banquet.
- Recorded 10 falls, tied for most on the team and had eight first-period falls.
- Went 4-2 at NCAA Championships on the way to All-America honors, recording two falls, including one over No. 6-ranked Sean Rodriguez (Illinois) to advance to the third-place match.
- Won MAC Championship following an 8-3 win over Dakota Juarez (Eastern Michigan) in championship bout. In three matches, outscored opponents 30-3 with two major decisions in the quarterfinals and semifinals.
- Went 12-2 in dual competition and 6-0 in MAC duals, scoring 47 dual points, fifth most on the team.
- Back-to-back wins over top-10 opponents, defeating No. 6-ranked Max Rohskopf (N.C. State), 6-1 (Feb. 14), and No. 9-ranked Austin Wilson (Nebraska), 4-0 (Feb. 21).
- Defeated Cornell's No. 17-ranked Duke Pickett in overtime, TB-1 3-2, to help Mizzou upend the Big Red, 18-17 (Jan. 10).
- Placed third at the Cliff Keen Las Vegas Invitational (Dec. 5) and won the "Most Falls in the Least Amount of Time" Award after posting five first-period pins. Defeated four ranked opponents over the tournament, including wins over No. 5-ranked Cooper Moore (Northern Iowa), 8-2, and No. 6-ranked Clark Glass (Oklahoma), 8-2, in the third place match.
- Opened dual season with a first-period pin, defeating SIU Edwardsville's Eric Travers at 0:58 (Nov. 20).

## 2014-15 (FRESHMAN)

- In his redshirt campaign, the first-year Tiger finished his 2014-15 season with a solid 21-8 record.
- Of his 21 season victories, an incredible 15 of those resulted in pins. The 15 falls ranked first among all 2014-15 Tiger grapplers.
- In his first 13 wins of the season, 10 came by falls with the fastest pin coming in just 0:28.
- Competed in five total tournaments this season, placing in four of them.
- Took home 165 pound top honors at 2014 UCM Open, going a perfect 5-0.
- Best streak of season resulted in wins in 14-of-15 matches (Nov. 16, 2014 - Dec. 13, 2014).
- His season best winning streak of nine matches came between Joe Parisi Open and UNI Open. Of those nine wins, six resulted in falls.

## BLUE SPRINGS HS (BLUE SPRINGS, MO.)

- Won four straight state titles: Freshman season at 103 pounds, sophomore season at 126 pounds, junior season at 138 pounds, and senior season at 160 pounds.
- Had an overall high school career record of 186-4.
- In his perfect 45-0 senior season, every win was either a pin or a technical fall, with none of the matches reaching the third period.
- Was the first wrestler in Blue Springs history to win four state championships, and was only the second in state history to win in four different weight classes (first being Mizzou's J'den Cox).
- Was named The Star's All-Metro Wrestler of the Year for the 2013-14 season.
- Had a perfect junior season as well, going 46-0 and winning The Examiner's 2012-13 Wrestler of the Year. Lewis was named The Examiner's Wrestler of the Year for the 2013-14 season as well.
- Had a third place finish and was a Fargo All-American at 145 pounds his junior season.
- Finished seventh at the 2014 FILA Junior Freestyle National Championships.
- Lettered all four years in wrestling.

## PERSONAL

- Born to Christy and Craig Lewis on May 19, 1995 in Salina, Kan.



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# DYLAN WISMAN

**R- FR | 174 lbs.**

Winchester, Va. // Millbrook HS



## WISMAN CAREER STATS

| Season        | Overall    | Duals (MAC)      | Tournament (MAC/NCAA) | MD       | TF       | Fall     |
|---------------|------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2015-16*      | 19-8       | 0-0 (0-0)        | 19-8 (0-0/0-0)        | 3        | 7        | 0        |
| 2016-17       | 1-2        | 1-2 (1-0)        | 0-0 (0-0/0-0)         | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>1-2</b> | <b>1-2 (1-0)</b> | <b>0-0 (0-0/0-0)</b>  | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> |

\*- Redshirted, stats don't count to career totals

## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS:

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| Intermat.....        | NR |
| W.I.N. Magazine..... | NR |
| The Open Mat.....    | NR |
| FloWrestling.....    | NR |
| TrackWrestling.....  | NR |

## WISMAN 2016-17 MATCH-BY-MATCH

| Date    | Opponent         | School        | W/L | Score      | Record |
|---------|------------------|---------------|-----|------------|--------|
| Nov. 13 | Antonio Agee     | Old Dominion* | W   | Dec., 12-5 | 1-0    |
| Nov. 20 | (1) Zach Epperly | Virginia Tech | L   | Fall, 4:53 | 1-1    |
| Dec. 8  | (1) Bo Jordan    | Ohio State    | L   | MD, 14-6   | 1-2    |

\* - MAC Dual

## MILLBROOK HS (WINCHESTER, VA.)

- Finished high school ranked No. 40 on FloWrestling's High School Big Board (No. 11 at 182 pounds)
- Went 161-19 overall in high school
- Secured back-to-back Virginia state titles as a junior and a senior
- Four-time Virginia state qualifier
- 2014 NHSCA Junior Nationals champion
- 2014 FloNationals 182 pound champion
- 2015 NHSCA Junior Nationals champion

## PERSONAL

- 2015 Honor Roll
- Loves fishing and hunting

## 2015-16 (FRESHMAN)

- In redshirt season, went 19-8 while competing in five open tournaments at 174 pounds, placing in four tournaments.
- Of 19 wins, seven came via fall and three came via major decision.
- Placed fifth at the Edinboro Open (Feb. 6), going 4-1 in the tournament and scoring two falls and a major decision.
- Took second at the Roger Denker Open (Jan. 24), scoring a fall during a 3-1 performance.
- Earned fourth place finishes at the Nittany Lion Open (Dec. 6) and Michigan State Open (Nov. 15).



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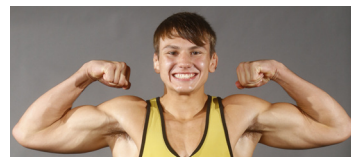




# MATT LEMANOWICZ

R- SR | 184 lbs.

Lee's Summit, Mo. // Lee's Summit West HS



## LEMANOWICZ CAREER STATS

| Season        | Overall      | Duals (MAC)         | Tournament (MAC/NCAA)  | MD        | TF       | Fall     |
|---------------|--------------|---------------------|------------------------|-----------|----------|----------|
| 2012-13*      |              |                     |                        |           |          |          |
| 2013-14       | 14-8         | 1-0 (0-0)           | 13-8 (0-0/0-0)         | 1         | 1        | 2        |
| 2014-15       | 19-13        | 0-1 (0-0)           | 19-12 (0-0/0-0)        | 2         | 2        | 0        |
| 2015-16       | 7-5          | 0-2 (0-1)           | 7-3 (0-0/0-0)          | 0         | 2        | 2        |
| 2016-17       | 2-3          | 0-1 (0-0)           | 2-2 (0-0/0-0)          | 1         | 0        | 0        |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>56-27</b> | <b>18-12 (11-2)</b> | <b>38-15 (5-2/5-4)</b> | <b>11</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>4</b> |

\*- Redshirted, stats don't count to career totals

## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS:

|                       |    |
|-----------------------|----|
| Intermat.....         | NR |
| W.I.N. Magazine ..... | NR |
| The Open Mat .....    | NR |
| FloWrestling.....     | NR |
| TrackWrestling .....  | NR |

## LEMANOWICZ 2016-17 MATCH-BY-MATCH

| Date            | Opponent          | School             | W/L | Score           | Record |
|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----|-----------------|--------|
| <b>UNI Open</b> |                   |                    |     |                 |        |
| Dec. 3          | Chase Shendenhelm | Northern Iowa      | L   | Dec., 6-2       | 0-1    |
| Dec. 3          | Cory Flaata       | St. Cloud State    | W   | MD, 8-0         | 1-1    |
| Dec. 3          | Bradley Banks     | Unattached         | W   | Dec., 3-0       | 2-1    |
| Dec. 3          | Brady Ayers       | South Dakota State | L   | SV-1, 6-4       | 2-2    |
|                 |                   |                    |     |                 |        |
| Dec. 8          | (4) Myles Martin  | Ohio State         | L   | TF, 21-5 (3:31) | 2-3    |

## CAREER HONORS

- 2015 Academic All-MAC Team

## 2015-16 (REDSHIRT JUNIOR)

- Went 7-5 on the season, placing in two open tournaments and making two dual starts.
- Won the Maryville Kaufman Brand Open (Nov. 14) at 157 pounds, going 4-0 at the tournament and scoring a technical fall and a fall.
- Took second at the Roger Denker Open (Jan. 24) at 165 pounds, posting a technical fall in the first round and a fall in the second round.

## 2014-15 (REDSHIRT SOPHOMORE)

- In his second season as attached wrestler, finished with 19-13 overall record.
- His 19 wins during the 2014-15 season marked a new career high, surpassing his previous mark of 14 wins (2013-14 campaign).
- Made second career dual start on Dec. 19, 2014 against Jake Residori (SIU-Edwardsville).
- Placed in two tournaments for the Tigers with his best showing coming at the 2014 UNI Open (2nd place).
- Also finished well at 2014 Kaufman Brand Open, tallying a 4-1 record and 3rd place finish at 165 pounds.
- Tallied 14 decision wins over the course of the year. Also added two Major Decisions, two Tech. Falls, and one Fall.
- Strongest stretch this season came at Kaufman-Brand Open and UNI Open where he went a combined 8-2 and claimed a pair of top-3 finishes.

## 2013-14 (REDSHIRT FRESHMAN)

- Earned the "Strength and Conditioning" Honors by Mizzou wrestling coaching staff.
- Competed in five tournaments for the Tigers, as well as earning his first career dual start against SIUE.
- Finished in sixth place at the Warren Williams/Daktronics Open, losing only to Missouri's Lavallee and twice against Northern Illinois' Andrew Morse.
- Was crowned the champion at the Joe Parisi Open in the freshman/sophomore division after picking up four straight wins.
- Finished in second place at the Kaufman-Brand Open, losing a close 3-2 match in the finals versus Missouri's Lavallee.
- His first career dual start and win occurred in the dual against SIUE, in which he pinned Logun Taylor to help the Tigers to their 40-0 shutout against the Cougars.

## 2012-13 (FRESHMAN)

- Took his redshirt in his first year on the Missouri team, competing in five tournaments as an unattached wrestler.
- His first collegiate win came against Colton Thomas of Oklahoma State by way of a 7-6 decision.
- Earned fifth place finishes at the UCM, Joe Parisi, and Grand View Opens, picking up 16 wins between the three tournaments.
- Finished in sixth place at the Kaufman-Brand Open.
- Earned a third-place finish at the Roger Denker Open.
- Had an overall season record of 23-10 with one major decision and two pins.

## LEE'S SUMMIT WEST HIGH SCHOOL (LEE'S SUMMIT, MO)

- Helped lead his team to a fifth place finish at state his junior season.
- His junior year, had an overall record of 49-4 after taking third place at state at 140 pounds.
- Went 52-2 his senior season, taking fifth place at state at 152 pounds.
- Had a high school career record of 152-33.
- In 2012, took first at state in both Freestyle and Greco.
- Was a three-time All-Conference selection, a two-time All-State honoree, and the District Wrestler of the Year.
- Played two years of football throughout high school.
- Academically, was an Academic All-American, two-time Academic All-State, a member of the National Honor Society, and was on the Principal's Honor Roll all four years.

## PERSONAL

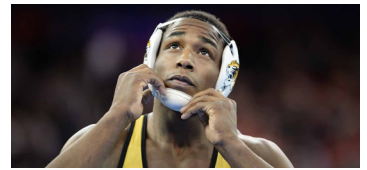
- Was born to Jack and Georgeanne Lemanowicz in Toledo, Ohio, on Feb. 1, 1994.
- His father attended Ohio State University, while his mother attended Ohio Northern University.
- Both parents work in the pharmaceutical industry.
- Has one older brother, Daniel.
- Chose Mizzou over Ohio State and Rutgers.



# J'DEN COX

SR | 197 lbs.

Columbia, Mo. // Hickman HS



## COX CAREER STATS

| Season        | Overall      | Duals (MAC)        | Tournament (MAC/NCAA)  | MD        | TF        | Fall      |
|---------------|--------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 2013-14       | 38-2         | 11-1 (7-1)         | 27-1 (3-0/5-0)         | 10        | 3         | 4         |
| 2014-15       | 37-2         | 21-0 (6-0)         | 16-2 (3-0/4-2)         | 7         | 4         | 8         |
| 2015-16       | 33-1         | 15-1 (7-1)         | 18-0 (3-0/5-0)         | 7         | 7         | 9         |
| 2016-17       | 6-0          | 3-0 (1-0)          | 3-0 (0-0/0-0)          | 0         | 0         | 3         |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>114-5</b> | <b>50-2 (21-2)</b> | <b>64-3 (9-0/14-2)</b> | <b>24</b> | <b>14</b> | <b>24</b> |

## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS:

|                      |     |
|----------------------|-----|
| Intermat.....        | 1st |
| W.I.N. Magazine..... | 1st |
| The Open Mat.....    | 1st |
| FloWrestling.....    | 1st |
| TrackWrestling.....  | 1st |

## COX 2016-17 MATCH-BY-MATCH

| Date                              | Opponent          | School          | W/L | Score      | Record |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----|------------|--------|
| Nov. 13                           | (9) Kevin Beazley | Old Dominion*   | W   | Dec., 5-0  | 1-0    |
| Nov. 20                           | (3) Jared Haught  | Virginia Tech   | W   | Dec., 2-0  | 2-0    |
| <b>UNI Open (1st Place - 197)</b> |                   |                 |     |            |        |
| Dec. 3                            | Wes Kibler        | Illinois        | W   | Fall, 3:59 | 3-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Vince Dietz       | St. Cloud State | W   | Fall, 3:17 | 4-0    |
| Dec. 3                            | Tyler Hoffman     | Northern Iowa   | W   | Fall, 5:19 | 5-0    |
| Dec. 8                            | (6) Kollin Moore  | Ohio State      | W   | Dec., 6-4  | 6-0    |

\* - MAC Dual

## CAREER HONORS

- 2016 Olympic Bronze Medalist
- 2016 NCAA National Champion (197 lbs.)
- 2015 NCAA All-American (5th place - 197 lbs.)
- 2014 NCAA National Champion (197 lbs.)
- 2016 MAC Wrestler of the Year
- 2014 MAC Freshman of the Year
- 2016 MAC Champion (197 lbs.)
- 2015 MAC Champion (197 lbs.)
- 2014 MAC Champion (197 lbs.)
- 2014 MAC Wrestler of the Year

## 2015-16 (JUNIOR)

- Captured his second NCAA National Championship at 197 pounds in a 4-2 win over No. 1-ranked Morgan McIntosh (Penn State), earning All-America Honors for the third consecutive season.
- One of two Mizzou wrestlers to win two NCAA titles (Ben Askren 2006-07).
- Fourth three-time All-American in program history, joining Ben Askren (4x, 2004-07), Max Askren (2008-10) and Drake Houdashelt (2013-15).
- Was awarded the "Most Outstanding Wrestler" at end-of-the-year banquet, earning the honor for the second time in career (2014).
- Ranked first on the team in wins (33), dual wins (15), dual points (65) and technical falls (7).
- Ranked second on the team in falls (9) and major decisions (7).
- Among program records, ranks first in career winning percentage (.958, 108-5), fourth in career technical falls (14), tied for fifth in technical falls in a season (7), sixth in career major decisions (24) and 14th in career wins (108).
- Won his third consecutive MAC title with a 9-1 major decision over Phil Wellington (Ohio). Was named Most Outstanding Wrestler for tournament following two pins and a major decision en route to the title.
- Became the fastest wrestler in program history to reach 100 wins in a 16-7 major decision over No. 10-ranked Aaron Studebaker (Nebraska), doing so in 105 matches.
- Bumped up to heavyweight against Cornell, scoring a 24-9 technical fall over Jeremy Sweany to secure an 18-17 victory for Mizzou.
- Placed first at the Cliff Keen Las Vegas Invitational, defeating three ranked opponents en route to the title, including a 22-7 technical fall over No. 20-ranked Derek Thomas (Utah Valley) in the quarterfinals round.
- Won the Championship at the Joe Parisi Open, defeating No. 10-ranked Jacob Smith (West Virginia), 2-0, to capture the title.

## 2014-15 (SOPHOMORE)

- Finished the season with a 37-2 total record, including a perfect 21-0 dual record (6-0 in MAC duals) and a fifth-place finish at Nationals.
- Concluded the regular season with an unblemished 30-0 record, and stretched his perfect record well into NCAA Championships.
- Suffered his first season loss on March 20, 2015 in the 197 pound NCAA Championships semifinals matchup. Before the loss, had put together a 36-0 record and an NCAA leading 56 consecutive victories dating back to the end of his 2013-14 season.
- Heading into 2015 NCAA's, his 36 consecutive victories included a 197 pound championship at the Cyclone Open, a 197 pound title at the Southern Scuffle, and 197 pound top honors at the MAC Wrestling Championships.
- His perfect 3-0 record and 197 pound title at the MAC Wrestling Championships was his second straight crown.
- During his perfect 21-0 regular season dual record, he tallied 87 total dual points which led all Mizzou grapplers.
- Of his 37 season wins, 19 of those produced bonus points for the team (seven MD, four TF, and eight Falls).
- Defeated 12 nationally ranked wrestlers on the season, including two up a weight class at HWT.
- Highest ranked wins included 2-1 decision over No. 4 Morgan McIntosh (Penn State), 6-1 decision over No. 5 Conner Hartmann (Duke), 4-3 decision over No. 6 Nathan Burak (Iowa) and 3-2 decision over No. 8 Max Huntley (Michigan).
- Two-time MAC Wrestler of the Week (Nov. 24-30 and Dec. 29 - Jan. 4).

## 2013-14 (FRESHMAN)

- Keeping his redshirt off for the year, Cox had the most successful season on the Tigers squad, picking up 38 wins and both a conference and national title at 197 pounds.
- In his first ever collegiate match, defeated Colt Castlebury of North Dakota State by major decision, 14-4.
- Claimed tournament titles at the Warren Williams / Daktronics, Joe Parisi and UNI Opens. Won all 13 of his matches across the three tournaments.
- Finished in third place at the Southern Scuffle, picking up his first three ranked wins including two over No. 3 Morgan McIntosh (Penn State).
- At the 2014 MAC Championships, defeated Ohio's Wellington in the finals to claim the conference title at 197 pounds by way of a major decision, 10-1.
- In a battle that came down to the last second against No. 1 Nick Hefflin (Ohio State), Cox claimed the national championship with a 2-1 decision.
- His national title was the fifth individual championship in Mizzou wrestling history and became only the fourth Tiger overall to claim the prestigious honor.
- Racked up postseason awards, winning the 2014 MAC Freshman of the Year and MAC Wrestler of the Year awards.
- Earned two Mizzou wrestling program awards: Most Outstanding Wrestler Award and Marshall Esteppe Most Outstanding Freshman Award.

## HICKMAN HS (COLUMBIA, MO.)

- Finished with an overall record of 205-3, including a perfect 56-0 record his senior year.
- Was the first state of Missouri wrestler to accomplish the feat of claiming four state titles in four different weight classes. Cox began at 171 pounds his freshman year and worked his way up each year jumping to 215 pounds, 220 pounds and finally HWT his senior campaign.
- Lettered in both wrestling and football all four years at Hickman.
- Claimed All-State honors as a linebacker for the Hickman football team his junior year.

## PERSONAL

- Born to Michael and Cathy Cox on March 3, 1995 in Columbia, Mo.
- Is the third of four children, with two older brothers, Zach and Drae, and sister, Chai.
- Brother, Drae, wrestled for Lindenwood University.



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# AUSTIN MYERS

R- FR | HWT

Alexandria, Ky. // West Virginia



## MYERS CAREER STATS

| Season        | Overall    | Duals (MAC)      | Tournament (MAC/NCAA) | MD       | TF       | Fall     |
|---------------|------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2015-16*      | 21-8       | 0-0 (0-0)        | 21-8 (0-0/0-0)        | 1        | 0        | 3        |
| 2016-17       | 5-3        | 1-2 (1-0)        | 4-1 (0-0/0-0)         | 0        | 1        | 2        |
| <b>Career</b> | <b>5-3</b> | <b>1-2 (1-0)</b> | <b>4-1 (0-0/0-0)</b>  | <b>0</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>2</b> |

\*- Redshirted at West Virginia, stats don't count to career totals

## INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS:

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| Intermat.....        | NR |
| W.I.N. Magazine..... | NR |
| The Open Mat.....    | NR |
| FloWrestling.....    | NR |
| TrackWrestling.....  | NR |

## MYERS 2016-17 MATCH-BY-MATCH

| Date                              | Opponent          | School          | W/L | Score      | Record |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----|------------|--------|
| Nov. 13                           | Will Hillard*     | Old Dominion    | W   | Fall, 3:19 | 1-0    |
| Nov. 20                           | (2) Ty Walz       | Virginia Tech   | L   | MD, 18-6   | 1-1    |
| <b>UNI Open (3rd Place - HWT)</b> |                   |                 |     |            |        |
| Dec. 3                            | Matt Lloyd        | Michigan State  | W   | TF, 16-0   | 2-1    |
| Dec. 3                            | Lawrence Phillips | St. Cloud State | W   | MFF        | 3-1    |
| Dec. 3                            | Brooks Black      | Illinois        | L   | Dec., 4-0  | 3-2    |
| Dec. 3                            | Jacob Aven        | Purdue          | W   | Fall, 1:13 | 4-2    |
| Dec. 3                            | Carter Isley      | Northern Iowa   | W   | Dec., 6-0  | 5-2    |
| Dec. 8                            | (1) Kyle Snyder   | Ohio State      | L   | Fall, 4:32 | 5-3    |

\* - MAC Dual

## CAMPBELL COUNTY HS (ALEXANDRIA, KY.)

- Won four Kentucky High School State Championships while never being defeated, ending with a perfect 189-0 record
- Led Campbell High School to four straight conference and region titles, and a State Championship in 2012.
- Three-time North Kentucky Wrestler of the Year
- 2015 Cincinnati Athlete of the Year
- Four-time member of the Kentucky National Team
- Three-time National High School Coaches Association (NHSCA) National Champion
- 2015 NHSCA Wrestling Athlete of the Year
- Four-time Regional Champion
- Three-time Fargo All-American
- 2015 FloWrestling Nationals 220-pound Champion
- Ranked No. 25 in the class of 2015 by FloWrestling.

## PERSONAL

- Born on September 23, 1995.
- Son of Chris and Jennifer Myers
- Plans to major in Sports Marketing at Mizzou

## 2015-16 (FRESHMAN AT WEST VIRGINIA)

- Went 21-8 in five open tournaments during redshirt season.
- Recorded three falls and a major decision.
- Finished second at the Clarion Open following a 4-1 performance.



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## 2016-17 MIZZOU STATISTICS

| Name             | Wt.     | Overall<br>W-L | Duals (MAC)<br>W-L | Dual<br>Points | Tournament<br>(MAC/NCAA) | Dec. | MD | TF | Fall | Forfeit | OT<br>Matches | Fastest<br>Fall |
|------------------|---------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------------------|------|----|----|------|---------|---------------|-----------------|
| Aaron Asaad      | 125     | 7-4            | 0-2 (0-0)          | 0              | 7-2                      | 5    | 0  | 1  | 1    | 0       | 0             | 5:00            |
| Jayden Bears     | 184     | 3-4            | 0-0                | 0              | 3-4                      | 0    | 1  | 0  | 2    | 0       | 0             | 0:23            |
| Jake Bohlken     | HWT     | 8-4            | 0-0                | 0              | 8-4                      | 5    | 1  | 0  | 2    | 0       | 0             | 4:58            |
| Chase Brennan    | 125     | 6-4            | 1-0 (1-0)          | 4              | 5-4                      | 5    | 1  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Alex Butler      | 141     | 12-8           | 0-1 (0-0)          | 0              | 12-7                     | 8    | 1  | 0  | 1    | 2       | 1             | 5:40            |
| J'den Cox        | 197     | 6-0            | 3-0 (1-0)          | 9              | 5-0                      | 3    | 0  | 0  | 3    | 0       | 0             | 3:17            |
| Phyllip DeLoach  | 157     | 9-4            | 0-0                | 0              | 9-4                      | 4    | 1  | 0  | 0    | 1       | 1             | --              |
| Rodrigo Diaz     | HWT     | 0-2            | 0-0                | 0              | 0-2                      | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Jaydin Eierman   | 133     | 5-1            | 1-1 (0-0)          | 6              | 5-0                      | 2    | 1  | 1  | 1    | 0       | 0             | 2:55            |
| John Erneste     | 133     | 9-2            | 1-0 (1-0)          | 6              | 8-2                      | 2    | 2  | 1  | 3    | 1       | 0             | 3:35            |
| Austin Eveler    | 149     | 0-0            | 0-0                | 0              | 0                        | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Connor Flynn     | 165     | 13-1           | 0-0                | 0              | 13-1                     | 6    | 1  | 4  | 2    | 0       | 0             | 0:44            |
| Chandler Fohey   | 125     | 0-0            | 0-0                | 0              | 0                        | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Luke Fortuna     | 157     | 12-4           | 0-0                | 0              | 12-4                     | 11   | 1  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 2             | --              |
| Jon Goerke       | 174     | 0-2            | 0-0                | 0              | 0                        | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Sean Hosford     | 157     | 7-1            | 0-0                | 0              | 7-1                      | 1    | 1  | 1  | 4    | 0       | 0             | 0:14            |
| Dante Jiovenetta | HWT     | 7-5            | 0-0                | 0              | 7-5                      | 4    | 0  | 0  | 3    | 0       | 0             | 0:22            |
| Ethan Karsten    | 149/157 | 7-1            | 0-0                | 0              | 7-1                      | 3    | 1  | 0  | 3    | 0       | 0             | 0:59            |
| Kevin Kissane    | 149     | 2-4            | 0-0                | 0              | 1-2                      | 1    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 1       | 1             | --              |
| Wyatt Koelling   | 197     | 6-3            | 0-0                | 0              | 6-3                      | 4    | 0  | 1  | 1    | 0       | 0             | 1:09            |
| Joey Lavallee    | 157     | 8-0            | 3-0 (1-0)          | 11             | 5-0                      | 3    | 3  | 1  | 1    | 0       | 0             | 3:35            |
| Matt Lemanowicz  | 184     | 2-3            | 0-1 (0-0)          | 0              | 2-2                      | 1    | 1  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 1             | --              |
| Daniel Lewis     | 165     | 7-1            | 3-0 (1-0)          | 11             | 4-1                      | 1    | 3  | 0  | 3    | 0       | 0             | 1:09            |
| Matt Manley      | 141     | 1-0            | 1-0 (1-0)          | 3              | 0                        | 1    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Canten Marriott  | 174     | 10-5           | 0-0                | 0              | 10-5                     | 2    | 4  | 1  | 2    | 1       | 0             | 2:05            |
| Lavion Mayes     | 149     | 2-0            | 2-0 (1-0)          | 6              | 0                        | 2    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Keegan McCormick | 157     | 5-6            | 0-0                | 0              | 5-6                      | 1    | 0  | 2  | 1    | 1       | 0             | 5:54            |
| Barlow McGhee    | 125     | 0-0            | 0-0                | 0              | 0                        | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Tim Miklus       | 174     | 0-0            | 0-0                | 0              | 0                        | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Willie Miklus    | 184     | 0-2            | 0-2 (0-1)          | 0              | 0                        | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Austin Myers     | HWT     | 5-3            | 1-2 (1-0)          | 6              | 4-1                      | 1    | 0  | 1  | 2    | 1       | 0             | 1:13            |
| Nick Nasenbeny   | 141     | 3-6            | 0-0                | 0              | 3-6                      | 2    | 0  | 0  | 1    | 0       | 1             | 5:44            |
| Blake Pepper     | 157     | 0-2            | 0-0                | 0              | 0-2                      | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Seth Pesek       | 197     | 0-0            | 0-0                | 0              | 0                        | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Sam Ritchie      | 141     | 1-2            | 0-0                | 0              | 1-2                      | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 1       | 0             | --              |
| Will Roark       | 141     | 2-2            | 0-0                | 0              | 2-2                      | 1    | 1  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| James Romero     | HWT     | 5-5            | 0-0                | 0              | 5-5                      | 0    | 0  | 0  | 4    | 1       | 0             | 0:55            |
| Matt Striegel    | 174     | 0-0            | 0-0                | 0              | 0                        | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Zach Synon       | 141     | 9-4            | 1-1 (0-0)          | 3              | 8-3                      | 8    | 1  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Dalton Voyles    | 174     | 0-0            | 0-0                | 0              | 0                        | 0    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| Taylor Watkins   | 174     | 7-6            | 0-0                | 0              | 7-4                      | 5    | 1  | 0  | 1    | 0       | 0             | 2:07            |
| Dylan Wisman     | 174     | 1-2            | 1-2 (1-0)          | 3              | 0                        | 1    | 0  | 0  | 0    | 0       | 0             | --              |
| TOTAL            | -       | 187-103        | 18-12 (9-1)        | 68             | 169-91                   | 93   | 26 | 14 | 41   | 10      | 7             | 0:14            |

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## 2016-17 MIZZOU MISC. STATISTICS

### Individual Dual Record by Weight

| 125 | 133 | 141 | 149 | 157 | 165 | 174 | 184 | 197 | HWT | Total |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| 1-2 | 2-1 | 2-1 | 2-1 | 3-0 | 3-0 | 1-2 | 0-3 | 3-0 | 1-2 | 18-12 |

### Dual Pins by Weight

| 125 | 133 | 141 | 149 | 157 | 165 | 174 | 184 | 197 | HWT | Total |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| 0-0 | 2-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-1 | 3-2   |

### Dual Technical Falls by Weight

| 125 | 133 | 141 | 149 | 157 | 165 | 174 | 184 | 197 | HWT | Total |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-2   |

### Dual Major Decisions by Weight

| 125 | 133 | 141 | 149 | 157 | 165 | 174 | 184 | 197 | HWT | Total |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| 1-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 2-0 | 2-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 5-3   |

### Dual Decisions by Weight

| 125 | 133 | 141 | 149 | 157 | 165 | 174 | 184 | 197 | HWT | Total |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| 0-2 | 0-0 | 2-1 | 2-0 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 1-0 | 0-1 | 3-0 | 0-0 | 10-4  |

### Dual Disqualifications/Forfeits by Weight

| 125 | 133 | 141 | 149 | 157 | 165 | 174 | 184 | 197 | HWT | Total |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-1   |

### Team Record at Dual Starting Weight

| 125 | 133 | 141 | 149 | 157 | 165 | 174 | 184 | 197 | HWT | Total |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| 1-2 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 0-0 | 1-2   |

### Team Ranking Week-By-Week

|         | NWCA | InterMat (Tourn.) | Intermat (Dual) | WIN (TPI) | WIN (Dual) | TrackWrestling | FloWrestling (Team) | FloWrestling (Dual) |
|---------|------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------|------------|----------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Nov. 2  | 5th  | 5th               | 3rd             | --        | --         | 4th            | 5th                 | --                  |
| Nov. 8  | 5th  | 5th               | 3rd             | --        | --         | 6th            | 6th                 | --                  |
| Nov. 15 | 5th  | 6th               | 3rd             | 6th       | --         | 6th            | 5th                 | --                  |
| Nov. 22 | 5th  | 6th               | 3rd             | 6th       | --         | 6th            | 6th                 | 5th                 |
| Nov. 29 | 5th  | 6th               | 3rd             | 6th       | --         | 6th            | 6th                 | 5th                 |
| Dec. 6  | 5th  | 6th               | 3rd             | 6th       | 5th        | 6th            | 6th                 | 5th                 |

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Match-By-Match Missouri Lineup

| Date    | Opponent            | 125     | 133     | 141    | 149    | 157      | 165   | 174    | 184    | 197 | HWT   |
|---------|---------------------|---------|---------|--------|--------|----------|-------|--------|--------|-----|-------|
| Nov. 13 | at Old Dominion     | Brennan | Erneste | Manley | Mayes  | Lavallee | Lewis | Wisman | Miklus | Cox | Myers |
| Nov. 20 | Virginia Tech       | Assad   | Eierman | Synon  | Mayes  | Lavallee | Lewis | Wisman | Miklus | Cox | Myers |
| Dec. 8  | at Ohio State       | Assad   | Eierman | Synon  | Butler | Lavallee | Lewis | Wisman | Miklus | Cox | Myers |
| Dec. 10 | at Ohio             |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Dec. 20 | Kent State          |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Dec. 20 | Appalachian State   |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Jan. 8  | at Oklahoma         |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Jan. 12 | at Buffalo          |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Jan. 14 | at Cornell          |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Jan. 15 | at Eastern Michigan |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Jan. 22 | Central Michigan    |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Jan. 27 | Oklahoma State      |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Feb. 4  | Northern Illinois   |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Feb. 12 | Northern Iowa       |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Feb. 15 | SIU Edwardsville    |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |
| Feb. 18 | NWCA National Duals |         |         |        |        |          |       |        |        |     |       |

Dual Team Points Scored by Weight

| Opp.    |                     | 125 | 133 | 141 | 149 | 157 | 165 | 174 | 184 | 197 | HWT | Total |
|---------|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Nov. 13 | at Old Dominion     | 4   | 6   | 3   | 3   | 4   | 4   | 3   | 0   | 3   | 6   | 36    |
| Nov. 20 | Virginia Tech       | 0   | 6   | 3   | 3   | 4   | 4   | 0   | 0   | 3   | 0   | 23    |
| Dec. 8  | at Ohio State       | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0   | 3   | 3   | 0   | 0   | 3   | 0   | 9     |
| Dec. 10 | at Ohio             |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Dec. 20 | Kent State          |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Dec. 20 | Appalachian State   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Jan. 8  | at Oklahoma         |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Jan. 12 | at Buffalo          |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Jan. 14 | at Cornell          |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Jan. 15 | at Eastern Michigan |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Jan. 22 | Central Michigan    |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Jan. 27 | Oklahoma State      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Feb. 4  | Northern Illinois   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Feb. 12 | Northern Iowa       |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Feb. 15 | SIU Edwardsville    |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |
| Feb. 18 | NWCA National Duals |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |       |



# BRIAN SMITH

## HEAD COACH • 19TH SEASON



Beginning his career as Missouri's seventh Head Wrestling Coach, Brian Smith sat down with his team and made a list of goals that he hoped would help the 1998 squad and future Tiger teams. Over the past 18 years, Smith and the many men that have come through the varsity program have slowly but surely checked items off that original list. Individual Big 12 and MAC Conference Champions, improved grade-point averages, record-setting attendances, a No. 1 national ranking and Missouri's first-ever NCAA National Champion in wrestling were all on Smith's "to-do" list. His unique "Tiger Style" training program has molded today's team into a national powerhouse that looks to contend for the

program's first team NCAA title.

Since being introduced as Missouri's Head Wrestling Coach May 5, 1998, Smith has demanded nothing but the best from himself, his coaches and his wrestlers. Owning 15 consecutive seasons with a dual record at or above .500, beginning with the 2001-02 season, Smith has coached 22 All-Americans to 42 top-eight performances and five Tigers to seven national championships.

The winningest coach in program history, Smith has compiled a 237-92-3 record at Missouri over his 18 season tenure. On Nov. 15, 2014 in the team's season opener, Smith and his Tigers claimed a 54-0 victory over Truman State and gave the legendary coach his 200th career win at Mizzou. Smith's 100th career victory came on Dec. 9, 2006 in Mount Pleasant, Mich., as the team bested then-No. 11 Central Michigan, 31-9. The win made Smith just the second Tiger wrestling coach to reach the 100-win plateau.

With a .718 career winning percentage, Smith holds the highest winning percentage in Mizzou wrestling history. Smith has taken home five consecutive conference Coach of the Year honors dating back to 2012, including four straight awards by the MAC league office. Additionally, in May 2007, Smith was honored with the Dan Gable Coach of the Year Award, presented by W.I.N. Magazine.

Five Tiger wrestlers have reached the pinnacle of collegiate wrestling, collecting seven NCAA Championships under Smith's tenure, beginning with Ben Askren. During Askren's Tiger career, Smith guided the 174-pound grappler Askren to the program's first back-to-back National Championship titles (2006 and 2007). On March 21, 2009, Mark Ellis became the second Missouri wrestler in program history to collect top honors. Wrestling at heavyweight, Ellis bested his opponent, 3-2, in overtime with Smith coaching from the corner. In March 2010, Max Askren became the third national champion in the history of the program, as he dominated the No. 1 seed in the 184-pound weight class by a 10-3 score. After a four-year drought, true freshman J'den Cox claimed the program's fifth national title in 2013-14 after defeating Ohio State's Nick Hefflin, 2-1. A year later, redshirt senior Drake Houdashelt concluded his historical Tiger Style career with a 149 pound National Championship at 2015 NCAA's. On March 19, 2016, Cox returned to the top of the podium at Madison Square Garden, becoming the second two-time NCAA Champ in program history. Cox defeated No. 1 seed Morgan McIntosh (Penn State), 4-2, to capture the title at 197 pounds.

Additionally, Smith has helped guide two wrestlers to the Olympics. Ben Askren was the first wrestler in program history to compete in the summer games with an appearance in the 2008 Beijing Summer Olympics, followed by J'den Cox, who won bronze at the 2016 Rio Summer Olympics this past summer. The whirlwind summer for Cox included trips to Iowa City, New York City, Los Angeles, Mongolia and Germany, all serving as qualifying or tune-up tournaments leading up to Rio. In four Olympic matches, Cox was not taken down once, an incredible feat for a wrestler who had under five months to prepare for freestyle competition after the completion of the folkstyle wrestling season.

Cox narrowly missed out on the opportunity to wrestle for gold, falling 2-1 in the semifinals before defeating Cuba's Reineris Salas Perez in the bronze medal match. Cox was awarded a two-point takedown in the closing seconds of the match after a video review. The match concluded after Perez failed to return to the mat after the video review, resulting in a disqualification.

In 2015-16, Mizzou captured its fifth consecutive conference title and seventh NCAA top-10 finish in program history, finishing the 2016 NCAA's in sixth place. Four Tigers (Lavion Mayes, Daniel Lewis, Willie Miklus and J'den Cox) earned All-America honors inside the world's most famous arena, Madison Square Garden. Cox became the second two-time National Champion and fourth three-time All-American in program history with his NCAA Title at 197 pounds, while Mayes and Miklus earned All-American honors for the second time in their careers.

Mizzou swept the MAC end-of-the-year honors for the third straight season, as Smith was named Coach of the Year, J'den Cox Wrestler of the Year and Daniel Lewis Freshman of the Year. Dating back to the 2013-14 season, the Tigers reeled off 37 straight dual wins, marking the longest winning streak in program history, before falling to Oklahoma State, 23-9, on Jan. 22, 2016.

The 2014-15 Mizzou wrestling campaign will arguably go down as the best season in program history. Under Smith's guidance, the Tigers finished with a perfect 24-0 regular season, marking only the second undefeated season in program history (joining 1967-68 Tiger squad). As the only unbeaten program in Division I wrestling in 2014-15, the Tigers also racked up national accolades with a title at the 2015 National Duals Finals, and 2014-15 MAC Regular Season and Postseason Championships. The 8-0 record and first place honors during the MAC regular season was the first ever regular season title in Mizzou wrestling history.

After the team's fourth consecutive conference championship and new all-time MAC Championships team points record of 139.5, all 10 Tiger Style grapplers earned automatic bids to the 2015 NCAA Championships. Led by five All-Americans (Alan Waters, Lavion Mayes, Drake Houdashelt, Willie Miklus and J'den Cox) and the program's sixth all-time individual National Champion, the Tigers finished in fourth place overall. The team trophy finish gave Mizzou their fourth top-10 NCAA's finish in the past nine years, and their sixth top-10 NCAA's finish in program history.

During the 2013-14 season, Smith helped the Tigers claim their third consecutive conference championship, while also earning back-to-back MAC Coach of the Year honors. Mizzou sent eight wrestlers to 2014 NCAA's, and came away with two more All-Americans (Houdashelt and Cox) and the program's fifth all-time individual National Champion.

In 2012-13, after the University of Missouri departed from the Big 12 Conference, Smith

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#### COACHING HONORS

2016 MAC Coach of the Year  
2015 MAC Coach of the Year  
2014 MAC Coach of the Year  
2013 MAC Coach of the Year  
2012 Big 12 Coach of the Year  
2010-12 NWCA President  
2007 Dan Gable Coach of the Year

#### COACHING CAREER

Cornell, assistant coach..... 1992-97  
Syracuse, head coach..... 1997-98  
Missouri, head coach..... 1998-present

#### SYRACUSE, HEAD COACH

1997-98

#### MISSOURI, HEAD COACH

|                     |                                     |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1998-99 .....       | 4-9-0                               |
| 1999-00 .....       | (NCAA 41st) 11-11-0                 |
| 2000-01 .....       | (NCAA 38th) 7-10-1                  |
| 2001-02 .....       | (NCAA 17th) 18-3-0                  |
| 2002-03 .....       | (NCAA 16th) 15-6-0                  |
| 2003-04 .....       | (NCAA 13th) 15-3-0                  |
| 2004-05 .....       | (NCAA 11th) 15-6-0                  |
| 2005-06 .....       | (NCAA 15th) 13-4-1                  |
| 2006-07 .....       | (NCAA 3rd) 12-2-0                   |
| 2007-08 .....       | (NCAA 11th) 9-4-1                   |
| 2008-09 .....       | (NCAA 7th) 18-4-0                   |
| 2009-10 .....       | (NCAA 10th) 7-7-0                   |
| 2010-11 .....       | (NCAA 19th) 15-9-0                  |
| 2011-12 .....       | (Big 12 Champs T; NCAA 26th) 14-4-0 |
| 2012-13 .....       | (MAC Champs T; NCAA 7th) 16-3-0     |
| 2013-14 .....       | (MAC Champs R/T; NCAA 14th) 10-2-0  |
| 2014-15 .....       | (MAC Champs R/T; NCAA 4th) 24-0-0   |
| 2015-16 .....       | (MAC Champs R/T; NCAA 6th) 14-2-0   |
| 2016-17 .....       | 2-1-0                               |
| <b>Totals .....</b> | <b>239-93-3</b>                     |

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## COACH SMITH'S NCAA ALL-AMERICANS

|                   |             |                  |                   |             |                  |                         |             |                  |
|-------------------|-------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------|------------------|-------------------------|-------------|------------------|
| Scott Baker       | 2002        | 6th (197)        | Nick Marable      | 2008        | 3rd (165)        | Drake Houdashelt        | 2013        | 6th (149)        |
| Tyron Woodley     | 2003        | 8th (165)        | Raymond Jordan    | 2008        | 5th (184)        | Mike Larson             | 2013        | 8th (184)        |
| Scott Baker       | 2003        | 2nd (184)        | Max Askren        | 2008        | 7th (197)        | Dom Bradley             | 2013        | 4th (HWT)        |
| Jeremy Spates     | 2004        | 5th (149)        | Michael Chandler  | 2009        | 5th (157)        | Drake Houdashelt        | 2014        | 5th (149)        |
| Kenny Burleson    | 2004        | 7th (157)        | Nick Marable      | 2009        | 7th (165)        | <b>J'den Cox</b>        | <b>2014</b> | <b>1st (197)</b> |
| Ben Askren        | 2004        | 2nd (174)        | Raymond Jordan    | 2009        | 3rd (174)        | Alan Waters             | 2015        | 3rd (125)        |
| Tyron Woodley     | 2005        | 7th (165)        | Max Askren        | 2009        | 5th (197)        | Lavion Mayes            | 2015        | 7th (141)        |
| Ben Askren        | 2005        | 2nd (174)        | <b>Mark Ellis</b> | <b>2009</b> | <b>1st (HWT)</b> | <b>Drake Houdashelt</b> | <b>2015</b> | <b>1st (149)</b> |
| Matt Pell         | 2005        | 7th (184)        | <b>Max Askren</b> | <b>2010</b> | <b>1st (184)</b> | Willie Miklus           | 2015        | 7th (184)        |
| Tyler McCormick   | 2006        | 7th (133)        | Mark Ellis        | 2010        | 6th (HWT)        | J'den Cox               | 2015        | 5th (197)        |
| <b>Ben Askren</b> | <b>2006</b> | <b>1st (174)</b> | Todd Schavrien    | 2011        | 6th (141)        | Lavion Mayes            | 2016        | 3rd (149)        |
| Tyler McCormick   | 2007        | 6th (133)        | Dom Bradley       | 2011        | 3rd (HWT)        | Daniel Lewis            | 2016        | 4th (165)        |
| Matt Pell         | 2007        | 3rd (165)        | Alan Waters       | 2013        | 4th (125)        | Willie Miklus           | 2016        | 6th (184)        |
| <b>Ben Askren</b> | <b>2007</b> | <b>1st (174)</b> | Nathan McCormick  | 2013        | 8th (133)        | <b>J'den Cox</b>        | <b>2016</b> | <b>1st (197)</b> |

would do it all again. This time in the new Mid-American Conference (MAC), he led the Tigers as an affiliate member, and took the conference crown by storm, ending an 11-year reign by the Chippewas from Central Michigan. His squad posted a total of 136.0 team points, which shattered the then MAC Championship record for team points. And again, all 10 of his wrestlers qualified for the NCAAs. He was named Mid-American Conference Coach of the Year for his accomplishments.

In 2011-12, the program reached several feats that had never been touched in the 67 years of Missouri wrestling. First, the team won the program's first conference championship ever, placing first at the 2012 Big 12 Championships with 77.0 points in front of their hometown fans at the Hearnes Center. They sent eight of their 10 wrestlers to the championship bout and crowned four individual champions while qualifying nine grapplers for that year's NCAA Championship. For their success at the Big 12 Championship, Smith was named Big 12 Coach of the Year for the first time in his career.

A few days later, the Tigers learned their 10th wrestler, redshirt freshman heavyweight Devin Mellon, earned a wild card bid to the NCAA Championship, marking the first time in program history that Mizzou had qualified all 10 of their starters. Additionally, it was announced that the Tigers were the only team in the country to qualify every starter for NCAA's in 2012. At least one Tiger grappler has been selected to compete at the NCAA Championship event in each of Smith's 18 seasons at Missouri and his squads have finished among the top-20 programs at the NCAA Championships in 13 of the last 14 seasons. In 2008-09 and 2014-15, Missouri set the bar higher with a program-high five Tigers earning All-American accolades, the previous high, three, had been set on four occasions.

Smith's teams have made a remarkable turnaround. Inheriting a program that had not seen a winning record since the 1991-92 campaign, the Tigers are now continuously ranked among the top-10 in the nation, reaching as high as No. 1 during both the 2006-07 and 2014-15 campaigns. On Dec. 12, 2006, the Missouri wrestling team became just the 11th wrestling program in history to earn a No. 1 ranking. Only a loss to eventual National Champion Minnesota forced the Tigers down in the polls. On Feb. 14, 2015, following their National Duals Finals Championship and clinching of an undefeated season, the Tigers once again reached the top spot in the USA Today / NWCA Division I Coaches Poll. The 2010-11 squad also accomplished something that no other Tiger team had done before, as they took home the team title at the 2010 Midlands Championships. Despite not having a single finalist, the Tigers cruised past the rest of the field with 103.5 points, beating out Wisconsin (93.5), Lehigh (93.0) and Iowa (91.0).

Building excitement and interest for the sport of wrestling, not only in Columbia but across the nation, Smith and his team have helped turn out record crowds in the Hearnes Center. On Feb. 11, 2007, competing against Iowa State, the Tigers packed in 2,772 fans with several thousand more watching the dual live on the Mizzou Sports Network (MSN). The mark bested the previous high by 644 spectators, a record set one year prior against Oklahoma State, Jan. 22, 2006. With record numbers of fans attending Missouri's duals during the 2006-07 season, the Tigers ranked fifth in the nation for attendance.

The demands that Smith puts on his wrestlers extend well beyond the mat. In the fall

of 2002, his team had a grade-point average of 2.81, the highest GPA for a Missouri wrestling team under Coach Smith. In 2010, Smith had eight wrestlers with GPA's over 3.0. In all, 21 wrestlers have been recognized by the National Wrestling Coaches Association (NWCA), Big 12 and CoSIDA for their academic achievements since he took the reins in 1998. Among that list is Tyler McCormick, a 2008 graduate and two-time All-American. In 2006, McCormick headlined the Big 12 All-Academic first team as the only grappler in the conference to post a 4.0 grade-point average. The Tiger All-American went on to become the first wrestler since Shaon Fry (1993) to earn ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America first team accolades and was later awarded one of 29 prestigious NCAA Postgraduate Scholarships in 2008. Away from the mat and outside of the classroom, Smith's squad is committed to giving back to the community. Over the past seven years, four Tiger grapplers have served on the Student Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) as president.

A 1990 graduate of Michigan State University, Smith's coaching career began at Western High School in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. From 1991-92, Smith led Western High to its first top-10 finish at the state tournament, claiming a second place finish in 1991 and a fourth place showing in 1992. Smith coached two state champions and led five wrestlers to top finishes at the Florida state tournament. Smith's collegiate coaching career began at Cornell University in 1992. While an assistant at Cornell, he put together two of the nation's top-10 recruiting classes, a feat he accomplished without athletic scholarships, (Ivy League schools do not offer athletic scholarships). Those recruiting classes helped Cornell take two Ivy League Championships, a 10th-place finish at the 1993 NCAA Championships and a 17th-place finish in 1994. At the 1994 NCAA Championships, one of Smith's top athletes, David Hirsch, became Cornell's first national champion since 1960.

In 1997, Smith took over the head coaching position at Syracuse University, helping to stabilize a program that was nearly eliminated. Before leaving for Missouri in May of 1998, Smith coached Jason Gleasman (HWT) to All-America honors.

A competitor himself, Smith was a three-time All-Big Ten wrestler and a four-time letterman at Michigan State from 1986-1990. As a senior, he was selected as the Spartan's Most Outstanding Wrestler. Competing at 126-pounds, Smith finished fifth at the Big Ten Championships in 1988, third in 1989 and second in 1990. Smith stands among the top-25 on Michigan State's all-time wins list with 84 career victories as a Spartan. He also stands tied for 19th on MSU's single-season wins list with 32 victories in 1990.

A native of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where his father coached football, Smith was a two-time wrestling state champion in 1984 with Oviedo High School and 1985 while competing at St. Thomas Aquinas High School. During the summer of 2003, Smith took 12 wrestlers, including graduates Austin DeVoe and Jeremy Spates, on the NWCA Collegiate All-Star International Tour. Smith served as head coach as the men competed in three cities in Greece; Athens, Thessaloniki and Larisa as well as Sophia, Bulgaria. Both DeVoe and Spates went 7-2 in their individual competitions. The Florida native graduated from Michigan State with a degree in education and married the former Denise Dean in 1993. Brian and Denise, have three children, Quinn, Kylie and Braden. In the spring of 2009, Smith received his Master's Degree in Athletic Administration from William Woods University.

## COACH SMITH'S COACHING TREE

### WRESTLERS

#### NAME (YEARS AT MIZZOU)

|                           |   |
|---------------------------|---|
| Austin DeVoe (2003-06)    | Colorado School of Mines, Head Coach                  |
| Mark Ellis (2007-10)      | Virginia, Assistant Coach                             |
| Mike Larson (2010-13)     | Mizzou, Strength & Conditioning Coach                 |
| Nick Marable (2006-10)    | West Virginia, Assistant Coach                        |
| Ty Prazma (2010-15)       | Northern Illinois, Assistant Coach                    |
| Todd Schavrien (2008-11)  | Cal Poly, Head Assistant Coach/Recruiting Coordinator |
| Jon Sioresdas (2002-03)   | Cal Poly, Head Coach                                  |
| Jeremy Spates (1999-2004) | SIUE, Head Coach                                      |

### COACHES

#### NAME (YEARS AT MIZZOU)

|                               |                                |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Bart Horton (1998-2007)       | Air Force, Assistant Coach     |
| Sammie Henson (2012-14)       | West Virginia, Head Coach      |
| Lee Pritts (1998-2004, 07-10) | Arizona State, Assistant Coach |

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**AARON ASSAD**

RS JR

Brecksville, Ohio  
Purdue



**JAYDEN BEARS**

RS FR

Staley, Mo.  
Staley HS



**JAKE BOHLKEN**

FR

Smithville, Mo.  
Smithville HS



**CHASE BRENNAN**

RS SO

Monett, Mo.  
Monett HS



**ALEX BUTLER**

RS FR

Rockford, Ill.  
Boylan Catholic HS



**J'DEN COX**

SR

Columbia, Mo.  
Hickman HS



**PHYLLIP DELOACH**

RS FR

Alton, Ill.  
Alton HS



**RODRIGO DIAZ**

FR

Lafayette, La.  
Lafayette HS



**JAYDIN EIERMAN**

RS FR

Columbia, Mo.  
Father Tolton HS



**JOHN ERNESTE**

RS SO

Kansas City, Mo.  
Park Hill HS



**AUSTIN EVELER**

RS FR

Lee's Summit, Mo.  
Lee's Summit West



**CONNOR FLYNN**

SO

Dardenne Prairie, Mo.  
West Virginia



**CHANDLER FOHEY**

RS FR

Hannibal, Mo.  
Hannibal HS



**LUKE FORTUNA**

SO

Glenn Elynn, Ill.  
Montini Catholic HS



**JON GOERKE**

SR

Union, Ill.  
Marengo Community HS



**SEAN HOSFORD**

FR

Kansas City, Mo.  
Park Hill HS



**DANTE JIOVENETTA**

FR

Islamorada, Fla.  
Coral Shores HS



**ETHAN KARSTEN**

FR

Platte City, Mo.  
Platte County HS



**KEVIN KISSANE**

RS FR

Wichita, Kan.  
Maize South HS



**WYATT KOELLING**

FR

Kaysville, Utah  
Davis HS

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**JOEY LAVALLEE**

RS JR

*Reno, Nev.  
Reno HS*



**GRANT LEETH**

RS SO

*Kearney, Mo.  
Kearney HS*



**MATT LEMANOWICZ**

RS SR

*Lee's Summit, Mo.  
Lee's Summit HS*



**DANIEL LEWIS**

RS SO

*Blue Springs, Mo.  
Blue Springs HS*



**WOOD MANCUSO**

RS SO

*Morehead City, N.C.  
West Carteret HS*



**MATT MANLEY**

RS SR

*Perry, Okla.  
Perry HS*



**CANTEN MARRIOTT**

FR

*Excelsior Springs, Mo.  
Park Hill HS*



**LAVION MAYES**

RS SR

*Mascoutah, Ill.  
Mascoutah HS*



**KEEGAN MCCORMICK**

RS FR

*Lee's Summit, Mo.  
Lee's Summit North HS*



**BARLOW MCGHEE**

RS JR

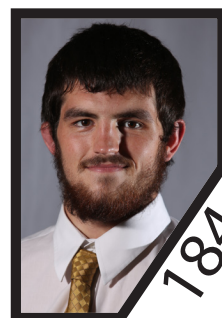
*Rock Island, Ill.  
Rock Island HS*



**TIM MIKLUS**

RS SO

*Altoona, Iowa  
Southeast Polk HS*



**WILLIE MIKLUS**

RS JR

*Altoona, Iowa  
Southeast Polk HS*



**AUSTIN MYERS**

RS FR

*Alexandria, Ky.  
West Virginia*



**NICK NASENBENY**

RS SO

*Plainfield, Ill.  
Plainfield Central HS*



**BLAKE PEPPER**

RS SR

*Imperial, Mo.  
Sackman HS*



**SETH PESEK**

RS FR

*Gardner, Kan.  
Gardner Edgerton HS*



**SAM RITCHIE**

RS FR

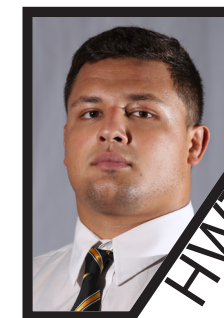
*St. Peters, Mo.  
Francis Howell North HS*



**WILL ROARK**

RS FR

*Seneca, Mo.  
Seneca HS*



**JAMES ROMERO**

SO

*Albuquerque, N.M.  
Atrisco Heritage Academy HS*



**QUINN SMITH**

RS SO

*Columbia, Mo.  
South Dakota State*

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174

**MATT STRIEGEL**

RS FR

*Belleville, Ill.  
Belleville East HS*



147

**ZACH SYNON**

RS SR

*Cary, Ill.  
Prairie Ridge HS*



174

**DALTON VOYLES**

RS FR

*Pacific, Mo.  
Pacific HS*



174

**TAYLOR WATKINS**

RS FR

*Columbus, Kan.  
Columbus HS*



174

**DYLAN WISMAN**

RS FR

*Winchester, Va.  
Millbrook HS*



HC

**BRIAN SMITH**

19th season



AHC

**ALEX CLEMSEN**

Third season



AC

**JOE JOHNSTON**

Ninth season



AC

**DEVIN MELLON**

First season



S&C

**MIKE LARSON**

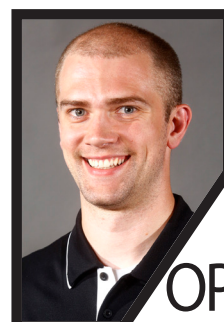
Third season



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**MITCH SWEE**

Second season



OPS

**CODY SHOEMAKER**

Second season

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| NAME             | PRONUNCIATION     | WEIGHT | YEAR   | HOMETOWN / LAST SCHOOL                     |
|------------------|-------------------|--------|--------|--|
| Aaron Assad      | (acid)            | 125    | RS Jr. | Brecksville, Ohio / Purdue University      |
| Jayden Bears     |                   | 184    | RS Fr. | Staley, Mo. / Staley HS                    |
| Jacob Bohlken    | (bowl-kin)        | HWT    | Fr.    | Smithville, Mo. / Smithville HS            |
| Chase Brennan    |                   | 125    | RS So. | Monett, Mo. / Monett HS                    |
| Alex Butler      |                   | 141    | RS Fr. | Rockford, Ill. / Boylan Catholic HS        |
| J'den Cox        |                   | 197    | Sr.    | Columbia, Mo. / Hickman HS                 |
| Phyllip DeLoach  |                   | 157    | RS Fr. | Alton, Ill. / Alton HS                     |
| Rodrigo Diaz     |                   | HWT    | Fr.    | Lafayette, La. / Lafayette HS              |
| Jaydin Eierman   | (I-er-man)        | 133    | RS Fr. | Columbia, Mo. / Father Tolton HS           |
| John Erneste     | (earnest-E)       | 133    | RS So. | Kansas City, Mo. / Park Hill HS            |
| Austin Eveler    | (ehv-eh-lurr)     | 149    | RS Fr. | Lee's Summit, Mo. / Lee's Summit West      |
| Connor Flynn     |                   | 165    | So.    | Dardenne Prairie, Mo. / West Virginia      |
| Chandler Fohey   | (Fo-he)           | 125    | RS Fr. | Hannibal, Mo. / Hannibal HS                |
| Luke Fortuna     |                   | 157    | So.    | Glen Ellyn, Ill. / Montini Catholic HS     |
| Jon Goerke       | (GOR-key)         | 174    | Sr.    | Union, Ill. / Marengo Community HS         |
| Sean Hosford     |                   | 157    | Fr.    | Kansas City, Mo. / Park Hill HS            |
| Dante Jiovenetta | (Gio-va-net-a)    | HWT    | Fr.    | Islamorada, Fla. / Coral Shores HS         |
| Ethan Karsten    |                   | 149    | Fr.    | Platte City, Mo. / Platte County HS        |
| Kevin Kissane    | (kiss-eign)       | 149    | RS Fr. | Wichita, Kan. / Maize South HS             |
| Wyatt Koelling   | (KOH-ling)        | 197    | Fr.    | Kaysville, UT / Davis HS                   |
| Joey Lavallee    | (luh-val-lee)     | 157    | RS Jr. | Reno, Nev. / Reno HS                       |
| Grant Leeth      |                   | 141    | RS So. | Kearney, Mo. / Kearney HS                  |
| Matt Lemanowicz  | (luh-man-oh-witz) | 184    | RS Sr. | Lee's Summit, Mo. / Lee's Summit HS        |
| Daniel Lewis     |                   | 165    | RS So. | Blue Springs, Mo. / Blue Springs HS        |
| Wood Mancuso     |                   | 197    | RS So. | Morehead City, N.C. / West Carteret HS     |
| Matt Manley      |                   | 141    | RS Sr. | Perry, Okla. / Perry HS                    |
| Canten Marriott  |                   | 174    | Fr.    | Excelsior Springs, Mo. / Park Hill HS      |
| Lavion Mayes     | (luh-VON)         | 149    | RS Sr. | Mascoutah, Ill. / Mascoutah HS             |
| Keegan McCormick |                   | 157    | RS Fr. | Lee's Summit, Mo. / Lee's Summit North HS  |
| Barlow McGhee    |                   | 125    | RS Jr. | Rock Island, Ill. / Rock Island HS         |
| Tim Miklus       | (mick-les)        | 174    | RS So. | Altoona, Iowa / Southeast Polk HS          |
| Willie Miklus    | (mick-les)        | 184    | RS Jr. | Altoona, Iowa / Southeast Polk HS          |
| Austin Myers     |                   | HWT    | RS Fr. | Alexandria, Ky. / West Virginia            |
| Nick Nasenbeny   |                   | 141    | RS So. | Plainfield, Ill. / Plainfield Central HS   |
| Blake Pepper     |                   | 157    | RS Sr. | Imperial, Mo. / Seckman HS                 |
| Seth Pesek       | (pesh-ick)        | 197    | RS Fr. | Gardner, Kan. / Gardner Edgerton HS        |
| Sam Ritchie      |                   | 141    | RS Fr. | St. Peters, Mo. / Francis Howell North HS  |
| Will Roark       | (row-arc)         | 141    | RS Fr. | Seneca, Mo. / Seneca HS                    |
| James Romero     |                   | HWT    | So.    | Albuquerque, N.M./Atrisco Heritage Aca. HS |
| Quinn Smith      |                   | 133    | RS So. | Columbia, Mo. / Rock Bridge HS             |
| Matt Striegel    | (stree-gull)      | 174    | RS Fr. | Belleville, Ill. / Belleville East HS      |
| Zach Synon       | (sin-in)          | 141    | RS Sr. | Cary, Ill. / Prairie Ridge HS              |
| Dalton Voyles    |                   | 174    | RS Fr. | Pacific, Mo. / Pacific HS                  |
| Taylor Watkins   |                   | 174    | RS Fr. | Columbus, Kan. / Columbus HS               |
| Dylan Wisman     | (WISS-men)        | 174    | RS Fr. | Winchester, Va. / Millbrook HS             |

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| <b>Head Coach</b>                        | Brian Smith (Michigan State, 1990) 19th Season at Mizzou |
| <b>Associate Head Coach</b>              | Alex Clemson   |
| <b>Assistant Coaches</b>                 | Joe Johnston and Devin Mellon                            |
| <b>Strength &amp; Conditioning Coach</b> | Mike Larson  |
| <b>Director of Operations</b>            | Cody Shoemaker   |

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