

# BUCKNELL WRESTLING

## 2008-09 MATCH NOTES VS. ARMY



Bucknell Bison (0-1, 0-0 EIWA) vs. Army Black Knights (2-1-1, 1-0 EIWA)  
 Monday, Nov. 24, 2008 • 7 p.m.  
 Lewisburg, Pa. • Davis Gym

Internet Video: Bison Vision (BucknellBison.com)  
 Doug Birdsong, play-by-play Phil Lockoff, analyst

### 2008-09 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

#### November

16	<b>No. 5 MISSOURI</b>	L, 25-16
22	at Navy Classic	3rd of 12
24	<b>ARMY*</b>	7 p.m.
29	at Northeast Duals (Troy, N.Y.)	
	vs. Central Michigan	9:15 a.m.
	vs. Appalachian State	11 a.m.
	vs. Virginia	3:15 p.m.

#### December

2	at Franklin & Marshall*	7 p.m.
5-6	at Cliff Keen Invit. (Las Vegas, Nev.)	All Day
19	<b>CLEVELAND STATE/DREXEL/WAGNER</b>	12 p.m.

#### January

9-10	at Virginia Duals	TBA
17	at Brown*	TBA
24	<b>LIBERTY</b>	1 p.m.
25	<b>OLD DOMINION</b>	1 p.m.
30	at Iowa	8 p.m.

#### February

1	<b>COLUMBIA*</b>	1 p.m.
6	at Lehigh*	7 p.m.
15	at American*	TBA
20	at East Stroudsburg*	7 p.m.

#### March

7-8	at EIWA Championships (Philadelphia, Pa.)	All Day
19-21	at NCAA Championships (St. Louis, Mo.)	All Day

Home matches in **BOLD CAPS**

\* EIWA match  
 All times Eastern

### PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Chohany	Choe-HAAN-e
Czapla	ZAAP-la
Hahn	HAAN
LeValley	La-VALL-e
Ochalek	OTCH-a-leck
Reber	REEB-er
Regan	REE-gan
Rendos	REN-das
Riccio	RICH-e-o
Sechler	SECK-lur
Waltko	WALT-co

### HEAD COACHES

#### Bucknell

Dan Wirnsberger  
 21-21-2 (Bucknell - 4th)  
 47-43-2 (Career - 7th)

#### Army

Chuck Barbee  
 72-50-3 (Army - 9th)  
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### PROBABLE BUCKNELL LINEUP

#### Wrestler (2008-09 Record)

<b>125:</b> Derek Reber (9-3)	Notes
<b>133:</b> No. 14 David Marble (8-1)	Lewisburg native, posted 10-0 MD in first dual
<b>141:</b> Luke Chohany (0-1)/Adam Healey (11-6)	Won second straight Navy Classic title Saturday
<b>149:</b> Kevin LeValley (10-3)	Chohany is returning starter & started vs. Missouri
<b>157:</b> Ryan Ochalek (5-5)/Scott Sechler (5-4)	Only Bison w/wins by fall, tech. fall and maj. dec.
<b>165:</b> No. 14 Andy Rendos (10-1)	Ochalek started vs. Missouri
<b>174:</b> Shane Riccio (10-4)	Won third straight Navy Classic title Saturday
<b>184:</b> David Thompson (5-4)	Third on team w/52 career wins
<b>197:</b> Jay Hahn (8-5)/Nathan Jones (7-7)	Won 3 dec. by 7 total points to place 2nd at Navy
<b>HWT:</b> Sean LoCurto (1-3)	Hahn beat Jones for 5th place at Navy Classic
	Went 1-2 at Navy Classic wrestling at 197 pounds

### BUCKNELL ROSTER

Name	Cl.	Wt.	Hometown/High School
Wade Baldwin	Fr.	141	Summit, N.J./New Providence
Luke Chohany	Jr.	141	Duncannon, Pa./Susquenita
Nicholas Czapla	Fr.	157	West Falls, N.Y./Warsaw
Kevin Foley	Fr.	165	Fredericksburg, Va./Brooke Point
Jay Hahn	So.	197	Malvern, Pa./Great Valley High School
Adam Healey	Fr.	141	Wilkes Barre, Pa./Wyoming Seminary
Gavin Johnston	So.	149	Newtown Square, Pa./Delaware County Christian
Nathan Jones	Fr.	184/197	Sidney, Ohio/Troy Christian
Kevin LeValley	So.	149	Hugo, Colo./Limon
Sean LoCurto	Jr.	197	Garden City, N.Y./Garden City
David Marble	Jr.	133	Harpursville, N.Y./Harpursville Central
José Matos	So.	125	Williamstown, N.J./St. Augustine Prep
William McCormick	So.	Hwt.	Waukesha, Wis./Heritage Christian
Ryan Ochalek	So.	157	Oil City, Pa./Oil City
Derek Reber	Fr.	125	Lewisburg, Pa./Lewisburg Area
John Regan	Fr.	149	Plum Borough, Pa./Kiski School
Andy Rendos	Jr.	165	Brockway, Pa./Brockway Area
Shane Riccio	Jr.	174	Warren, N.J./Watchung Hills
Tyler Riccio	So.	157	Warren, N.J./Bridgewater-Raritan Regional
Scott Sechler	So.	157	Slatington, Pa./Northern Lehigh
David Thompson	So.	184	West Liberty, Ohio/Graham Local
Rob Waltko	So.	184	Pittsburgh, Pa./North Allegheny

**Head Coach:** Dan Wirnsberger (Michigan State '95), fourth season

**Assistant Coaches:** Dave Hoffman (Virginia Tech '06) third season, Dustin Manotti (Cornell '06), second season

**Volunteer Assistant Coach:** Donny Ooton (Brockport '07), first season

### ROSTER BREAKDOWN

<b>125</b> José Matos Derek Reber
<b>133</b> David Marble
<b>141</b> Wade Baldwin Luke Chohany Adam Healey
<b>149</b> Gavin Johnston Kevin LeValley John Regan
<b>157</b> Nicholas Czapla Ryan Ochalek Tyler Riccio Scott Sechler

<b>165</b> Kevin Foley Andy Rendos
<b>174</b> Shane Riccio
<b>184</b> Nathan Jones David Thompson Rob Waltko
<b>197</b> Jay Hahn Nathan Jones Sean LoCurto
<b>HWT</b> William McCormick

<b>Freshmen</b> Wade Baldwin Nicholas Czapla Kevin Foley Adam Healey Nathan Jones Derek Reber John Regan
<b>Sophomores</b> Jay Hahn Gavin Johnston Kevin LeValley Jose' Matos William McCormick Ryan Ochalek Tyler Riccio Scott Sechler

David Thompson  
 Rob Waltko

#### Juniors

Luke Chohany  
 Sean LoCurto  
 David Marble  
 Andy Rendos  
 Shane Riccio

**USA TODAY/INTERMAT/NWCA  
NATIONAL RANKINGS**

Rank	Team	Record
1.	<b>Iowa</b>	<b>0-0</b>
2.	Iowa State	0-0
3.	Ohio State	2-0
4.	Cornell	0-0
5.	<b>Missouri</b>	<b>2-0</b>
6.	Nebraska	0-0
7.	Oklahoma State	0-0
8.	Illinois	3-0
9.	Michigan	0-0
10.	Northwestern	3-0
11.	Minnesota	0-0
12.	Wisconsin	3-0
13.	Boise State	3-0
14.	Penn State	0-1
15.	Edinboro	3-0
16.	Hofstra	1-0
17.	<b>Central Michigan</b>	<b>0-0</b>
18.	Indiana	0-0
19.	Oklahoma	1-0
20.	<b>Old Dominion</b>	<b>0-0</b>
21.	Penn	0-0
22.	<b>Lehigh</b>	<b>2-0</b>
23.	Northern Iowa	0-0
24.	<b>Virginia</b>	<b>1-2</b>
25.	Kent State	2-1

- Nov. 18 poll  
 - records through Nov. 17  
 - Bucknell's 2008-09 opponents in **bold**

**RANKED WRESTLERS**

<u>Bucknell</u>	<u>Army</u>
David Marble (133): No. 14	Matt Kyler (149): No. 9
Andy Rendos (165): No. 14	Richard Starks (197): No. 16

\* USA Today/InterMat/NWCA

**SEASON/CAREER RECORDS**

Wrestler	Season	Career
Wade Baldwin	0-0	0-0
Luke Chohany	0-1	21-16
Nicholas Czapla	6-5	6-5
Kevin Foley	0-2	0-2
Jay Hahn	8-5	13-20
Adam Healey	11-6	11-6
Gavin Johnston	1-4	1-8
Nathan Jones	7-7	7-7
Kevin LeValley	10-3	32-17
Sean LoCurto	1-3	7-20
David Marble	8-1	59-23
Jose' Matos	11-5	23-16
William McCormick	2-3	8-10
Ryan Ochalek	5-5	18-18
Derek Reber	9-3	9-3
John Regan	3-2	3-2
Andy Rendos	10-1	65-18
Shane Riccio	10-4	52-26
Tyler Riccio	4-6	11-16
Scott Sechler	5-4	12-13
David Thompson	5-4	22-17
Rob Waltko	5-6	16-18

**BUCKNELL-ARMY MATCHUP**

Eight days after hosting one of the most exciting matches Davis Gym has seen since the return of wrestling at Bucknell, the Bison will entertain EIWA rival Army Monday night at 7 p.m. Since that thrilling match with No. 5 Missouri that featured a win by Andy Rendos over No. 1 Nick Marable at 165 pounds, Bucknell has competed at the Navy Classic and came away with a third-place finish in the competitive field. Monday's match will be just the second dual of the season for the Bison, but it will be Army's fifth. The Black Knights are 2-1-1 with three matches coming at the Fighting Scot Duals at Edinboro. Army competed at the Body Bar Invitational at Cornell this past weekend and finished fourth of 11 teams.

**BUCKNELL-ARMY SERIES**

- Army leads 7-0.
- Army and Bucknell have met each of the last two Novembers with the Black Knights winning 36-6 in 2006-07 and 19-14 in 2007-08.
- Andy Rendos is the only Bison to post wins against Army each of the last two years

**Last Meeting:**

**Army 19, Bucknell 14^ (Nov. 20, 2007) - West Point, N.Y.**

- 125 - No. 16 Fernando Martinez (A) maj. dec. José Matos, 15-3.
- 133 - No. 14 David Marble (B) dec. Whitt Dunning, 14-13.
- 141 - Matt Kyler (A) maj. dec. Eric Harris, 13-3.
- 149 - Kevin LeValley (B) dec. Casey Thome, 9-3.
- 157 - Christian Snook (A) maj. dec. Ryan Ochalek, 11-1.
- 165 - No. 17 Andy Rendos (B) dec. Brian Rowan, 7-1.
- 174 - Shane Riccio (B) dec. Dean Gaier, 4-2.
- 184 - David Thompson (B) dec. Ryan Mergen, 5-3.
- \*197 - Richard Starks (A) dec. Sean LoCurto, 6-0.
- 285 - Nathan Thobaben (A) maj. dec. George Hingson, 12-1.

\* - Starting weight

^ - Bucknell docked one team point for unsportsmanlike conduct by bench.

**NATIONAL RANKINGS**

Monday's matchup between Bucknell and Army features a total of four wrestlers that show up in the latest USA Today/InterMat/NWCA individual rankings. The Bison have two (David Marble, Andy Rendos), while a pair of Black Knights (Matt Kyler, Richard Starks) are ranked.

**MILESTONES APPROACHING FOR WIRNSBERGER**

Bucknell head coach Dan Wirnsberger needs just two victories to move into second place on the Bison all-time wins list. He has helped Bucknell to a 21-21-2 record in his four years. Bob Ferraro holds the program record with 169 wins, while Bill Wrabley and Rich Schumacher are tied for second with 22. Wirnsberger is also just three wins shy of 50 in his career.

**NAVY CLASSIC**

Seventeen Bison competed at the Navy Classic on Saturday and nine of them earned medals for their performances as the team placed third in the 12-team field. Nationally ranked grapplers David Marble and Andy Rendos both won their weight classes. It was the third consecutive year Rendos claimed the Navy Classic title, while it was the second straight crown for Marble.

**Bucknell's Placewinners at Navy Classic**

- 125: Derek Reber (5th)
- 133: David Marble (1st)
- 141: Adam Healey (5th)
- 149: Kevin LeValley (2nd)
- 165: Andy Rendos (1st)
- 174: Shane Riccio (3rd)
- 184: David Thompson (2nd)
- 197: Jay Hahn (5th), Nathan Jones (6th)

**Team Standings**

- 1. Navy - 155.5
- 2. Virginia Tech - 153.5
- 3. Bucknell - 120.5
- 4. UNC Greensboro - 69.5
- 5. George Mason - 69
- 6. Duke - 46.5
- 7. The Citadel - 45.5
- 8. Campbell - 34
- 9. Franklin & Marshall - 33
- 10. Gardner Webb - 30.5
- 11. Duquesne - 23
- 12. West Virginia - 20

**BIG WIN FOR RENDOS**

Junior co-captain Andy Rendos, who was ranked 17th nationally at the time, upset Missouri's No. 1-ranked Nick Marable last Sunday. The bout went to overtime and Rendos prevailed with a late reversal to win 3-1 as the Davis Gym crowd erupted. It marked the first time since the Bison program returned in 2006-07 that a Bucknell wrestler defeated a

**RANKINGS THROUGH THE YEAR****Preseason**

133 - David Marble (16)  
165 - Andy Rendos (14)

**Nov. 11**

133 - David Marble (14)  
165 - Andy Rendos (17)

**Nov. 18**

133 - David Marble (14)  
165 - Andy Rendos (14)

**HONORS/AWARDS****Damon's Bison Athlete of the Week**

Andy Rendos (Nov. 17)

**EIWA Wrestler of the Week**

Andy Rendos (Nov. 17)

**RECORD WATCH****Top Career Records - By Win Total**

Name (Years)	W-L-T	Pct.
1. Bobby Ferraro (1991-95)	118-21-1	.846
2. Tom Marchetti (1987-91)	106-24-1	.813
3. Brian Pitzer (1996-2000)	93-37-0	.715
4. Tom Scotton (1974-78)	89-4-1	.952
5. Ken Herceg (1988-92)	88-34-0	.721
6. Mike Van Doren (1988-93)	82-33-0	.713
7. Bryan Burns (1987-91)	81-30-1	.728
8. Ed Curran (1984-88)	71-20-1	.777
9. <b>Andy Rendos (2006-pres.)</b>	<b>65-18-0</b>	<b>.783</b>
10. Ron Wellman (1991-95)	63-51-0	.553

**Top Career Records - By Winning %**

Name (Years)	W-L-T	Pct.
1. Tom Scotton (1974-78)	89-4-1	.952
2. Bobby Ferraro (1991-95)	118-21-1	.846
3. Scott Greenly (1978-81)	54-10-0	.844
4. Gene Santoli (1971-75)	60-9-8	.831
5. Tom Marchetti (1987-91)	106-24-1	.813
6. <b>Andy Rendos (2006-pres.)</b>	<b>65-18-0</b>	<b>.783</b>
7. Ed Curran (1984-88)	71-20-1	.777
8. Bryan Burns (1987-91)	81-30-1	.728
9. Ken Herceg (1988-92)	88-34-0	.721
10. <b>David Marble (2006-pres.)</b>	<b>59-23-0</b>	<b>.720</b>



No. 1 ranked opponent. In fact, it was just the third time a Bucknell wrestler has defeated a top-10 foe over the last three years. David Marble posted an 8-6 win over Navy's No. 10 Joe Baker in 2006-07 and he also defeated No. 9 Tyler McCormick from Missouri by a 16-9 margin last January.

**DOUBLE-FIGURE WINS**

Thanks to a number of early season tournaments, five Bison wrestlers have already surpassed the 10-win total for the season. Last year 12 Bison had more than 10 wins the entire year. Leading the squad with 11 victories apiece are freshman Adam Healey and sophomore Jose' Matos. Jay Hahn (8 wins) and Gavin Johnston (1 win) have already eclipsed their win totals from 2007-08.

**WINNING STREAKS**

Bucknell's three 2008 NCAA qualifiers - David Marble, Andy Rendos, Shane Riccio - enter Monday's match with the longest individual winning streaks for the Bison. Marble has won six straight, including three in a row on the way to his second consecutive Navy Classic title. Rendos's nine straight victories, the second-longest streak of his career, is the most among Bison. Rendos won 14 in a row as a freshman. Riccio logged four consecutive wins at the Navy Classic to claim third at 174 pounds after dropping his second match of the tournament.

**RETURN OF BUCKNELL WRESTLING**

Bucknell is in its third season after a four-year hiatus as a club-varsity program. Dan Wirnberger has guided the team to a 21-21-2 record over that span and has helped four different wrestlers qualify for the NCAA Championships a total of six times. That quartet of grapplers has combined for six NCAA victories, including two each by junior captains David Marble and Andy Rendos.

**BUCKNELL SCHEDULE**

Last year Bucknell faced five nationally ranked teams and this year it is likely to have at least that many on its schedule. In addition to last Sunday's matchup with No. 5 Missouri, the Bison will travel to No. 1 Iowa and No. 22 Lehigh. No. 20 Old Dominion is also on the home slate, while No. 17 Central Michigan and No. 24 Virginia will be opponents at the Northeast Duals later this month.

**RENDOS MOVING UP PAIR OF LISTS**

Thanks to a 10-1 record this season junior Andy Rendos is moving up a pair of lists in Bucknell's record book. Rendos now has 65 career victories, which ranks ninth all-time. He is just six wins behind eighth-place Ed Curran. Rendos' career record of 65-18 (.783) ranks him sixth on the career winning percentage list. He started the year in seventh on that ledger. Classmate David Marble now stands 10th on that list thanks to his 8-1 mark this season. He has a career record of 59-23 (.720).

**UP NEXT**

Bucknell will travel to Troy, N.Y., for the Northeast Duals this Saturday. The Bison will face nationally ranked Central Michigan and Virginia at the event. Additionally, Appalachian State will be an opponent for Bucknell, which posted an 0-3 record against a competitive slate in 2007.

**LIVE VIDEO/PHOTO STORE**

Monday's match between Bucknell and Army will be broadcast live on Bucknell's Web site BucknellBison.com via Bison Vision. Additionally, photos of Monday's match will be available for viewing and for purchase through BucknellBison.com. Click on the Photo Gallery associated with the recap of the match or visit the BucknellBison.com Photo Store by clicking on the "Shop" tab at the top of the BucknellBison.com home page.

**BEN ASKREN AUCTION**

Two-time national champion and 2008 Olympian Ben Askren conducted a wrestling clinic prior to last week's Bucknell-Missouri match. He signed a program and a rally towel from the event that is currently up for auction on BucknellBison.com. Fans interested in bidding on the items can click on the "Shop" tab at the top of the BucknellBison.com home page and then follow the "Online Auctions" link.

**SEASON LEADERS**

Wins		Falls		Technical Falls		Major Decisions	
1. Adam Healey	11	1. Ryan Ochalek	4	1. Adam Healey	1	1. Rob Waltko	4
Jose' Matos	11	Andy Rendos	4	Kevin LeValley	1	2. Derek Reber	3
3. Kevin LeValley	10	3. David Marble	3	John Regan	1	3. Nicholas Czapla	2
Andy Rendos	10	Jose' Matos	3			Jay Hahn	2
Shane Riccio	10	Shane Riccio	3			David Marble	2
6. Derek Reber	9	6. Nathan Jones	1			Tyler Riccio	2
7. Jay Hahn	8	Kevin LeValley	1				
David Marble	8	Sean LoCurto	1				
9. Nathan Jones	7	Derek Reber	1				
10. Nicholas Czapla	6						

**DUAL TEAM POINTS SCORE BY WEIGHT/FINAL SCORES**

Opponent	125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	HWT	FINAL
MISSOURI	4-0	6-0	0-3	3-0	0-3	3-0	0-4	0-4	0-5	0-6	16-25, L

**DUAL STARTERS**

Opponent	125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	HWT
MISSOURI	Reber	#14 Marble	Chohany	LeValley	Ochalek	#17 Rendos	S. Riccio	Thompson	Hahn	LoCurto

**MATCH-BY-MATCH RESULTS**

**No. 5 Missouri 25, Bucknell 16**

**Nov. 16, 2008 • Lewisburg, Pa.**

- 125: Derek Reber (B) maj. dec. Troy Dolan (M), 10-0.
- 133: David Marble (B) fall Todd Schavrien (M), 4:57
- 141: Marcus Hoehn (M) dec. Luke Chohany (B), 5-2
- 149: Kevin LeValley (B) dec. Andrew Sherry (M), 6-4
- 157: Ammanuel Brooks (M) dec. Ryan Ochalek (B), 11-6
- 165: Andy Rendos (B) dec. Nick Marable (M), 3-1 (OT)
- 174: Raymond Jordan (M) maj. dec. Shane Riccio (B), 13-3
- 184: Dorian Henderson (M) maj. dec. David Thompson (M), 11-2
- 197: Maxwell Askren (M) tech. fall Jay Hahn (B), 20-4 (7:00)
- HWT: Dominique Bradley (M) fall Sean LoCurto (B), 1:45

**Bucknell Individual Results**

Wrestler	Overall		Duals		EIWA Duals		Fall/TF	Major	Duals Wins for Bonus Pts	Career W-L
	W	L	W	L	W	L				
Wade Baldwin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0-0
Luke Chohany	0	1	0	1	0	0	0/0	0	0	21-16
Jack Conroy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	16-20
Nicholas Czapla	6	5	0	0	0	0	0/0	2	0	6-5
Kevin Foley	0	2	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	0-2
Jay Hahn	8	5	0	1	0	0	0/0	2	0	13-20
Adam Healey	11	6	0	0	0	0	0/1	0	0	11-6
Gavin Johnston	1	4	0	0	0	0	0/0	1	0	1-8
Nathan Jones	7	7	0	0	0	0	1/0	1	0	7-7
Kevin LeValley	10	3	1	0	0	0	1/1	1	0	32-17
Sean LoCurto	1	3	0	1	0	0	1/0	0	0	7-20
David Marble	8	1	1	0	0	0	3/0	2	1	59-23
José Matos	11	5	0	0	0	0	3/0	1	0	23-16
William McCormick	2	3	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0	8-10
Ryan Ochalek	5	5	0	1	0	0	4/0	1	0	18-18
Derek Reber	9	3	1	0	0	0	1/0	3	1	9-3
John Regan	3	2	0	0	0	0	0/1	0	0	3-2
Andy Rendos	10	1	1	0	0	0	4/0	1	0	65-18
Shane Riccio	10	4	0	1	0	0	3/0	0	0	52-26
Tyler Riccio	4	6	0	0	0	0	0/0	2	0	11-16
Scott Sechler	5	4	0	0	0	0	0/0	1	0	12-13
David Thompson	5	4	0	1	0	0	0/0	0	0	22-17
Rob Waltko	5	6	0	0	0	0	0/0	4	0	16-18