

NORTH HILLS WRESTLING

OWN IT – One Team, One Tribe...



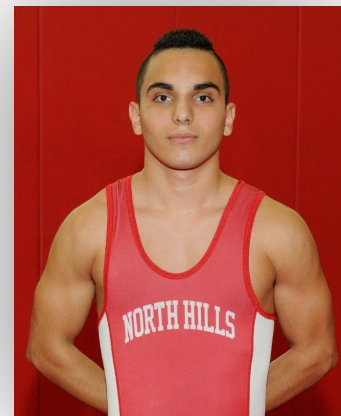
INDIANS TAKEDOWN FOXES IN A SUB-SECTION THRILLER

The North Hills Indians were on the road against the Fox Chapel Foxes last night where they put together their greatest display of team work and competitive greatness. Last night's match between these two teams will easily be remembered as one of the most exciting matches to be a part of. After a competitive back and forth meet, the Indians found themselves on the winning side of a hard earned 35-29 victory.

The night started out with an intense match at 160lb weight class; Sophomore Nathan Mankey pulled out a third period win against Fox Chapel's wrestler, making it clear that the Indian's were ready to leave it all on the mat. Senior Devon Cuda went on to earn his own victory in another exciting match, which went into overtime. Cuda then scored both the winning take down and near fall points. Zane Curry out wrestled his opponent and earned the team points for a technical fall. Gage Curry received forfeit points at the 120lb weight class. Armen Murtezi pinned his opponent and proudly received his first career win. Both John MacPherson and Keagan Lawson went on to pin their wrestlers with a combined fall time of 3:41. The North Hills Indians showcased not only the skill level and technique, but also the dedication that it takes to succeed while journeying on the road to greatness.

Indian of the week:

This weeks Indian of the week could realistically go to four different wrestlers for their winning performances in the Fox Chapel match. Nathan Mankey had a big come from behind win, Devon Cuda earned a win in OT against an opponent that pinned him last year and John MacPherson wrestled great while using controlled aggression to pin his opponent. But this weeks Indian of the week goes to a varsity wrestler who is a first year wrestler wrestling in his second career match. He demonstrated the ability to overcome adversity and competed with great poise. This weeks Indian of the week goes to Junior Armend Murtezi who had an epic pin to help his North Hills Indians get the team victory. Congratulations to Armend Murtezi!



Coach's Message -

*What do you want to me remembered for? Be remembered as a GRINDER! You want to be an athlete? GRIND! You want to be successful? GRIND! You want to be great? GRIND! **EMBRACE THE GRIND!***

NEXT UP...

The Indians move into second place in the sub-section standings with their win over Fox Chapel and are in complete control of their future to make the WPIAL playoffs. Our North Hills Indians will be back in action next Wednesday at Plum Senior High School where the Indians look to continue their winning streak. The Indians will face tough competition in sub-section opponent the Plum Mustangs. Please come out and support our North Hills Indians as they look to improve on their current four match win streak.

North Hills 35 vs. Fox Chapel 29

106	Megan Reichle	Loss by Fall (1:34)	Morales
113	Zane Curry	Win by Technical Fall	Smith
120	Gage Curry	Forfeit (FC)	-----
126	Armend Murtezi	Win by Fall (2:58)	Bursick
132	John MacPherson	Win by Fall (3:07)	Pisano
138	Keagan Lawson	Win by Fall (0:34)	Okunewick
145	Luke Fotta	Loss by Decision (8-3)	Meyers
152	Val Caruso	Loss by Major (8-0)	Durray
160	Nathan Mankey	Win by Decision(6-4)	Houser
170	Jake Stotz	Loss by Major (10-1)	Dietz
182	Devon Cuda	Win by Decision (9-4)	Mahon
195	-----	Forfeit (NH)	Carcy
220	Brian Fulton	Loss by Decision (8-3)	Morris
285	Sean Bright	Loss by Decision (3-0)	Pegher