

North Hills Settles for Fourth Place at Section 3-AAA Team Championships

January 27, 2010 by Rick Smith – North Hills (12-7) dropped two dual meets Wednesday night at North Allegheny High School, settling for fourth place for the second straight season at the WPIAL Class AAA Section 3 Team Championships. The Indians fell to Butler, 38-29, in the first semifinal dual meet. Meanwhile, North Allegheny defeated Fox Chapel, 51-12, in the other semifinal. North Hills then fell, 36-29, to Fox Chapel (14-6) in the third place contest while North Allegheny (11-1) captured the Section 3 team crown with a 33-28 victory over Butler (12-1) in the championship dual meet. All four teams will take part in the 20-team WPIAL Class AAA team playoffs that will begin on Monday, February 1, 2010. Sites and times will be announced on Thursday.

North Hills will next be in action this Saturday, January 30, 2010, at the 12-team Chartiers Valley Duals.

Butler 38 North Hills 29

285 – Mike Dietrich (NH) fall Chris White (B), 2:18
103 – Blake Caudill (B) dec. Drew Walker (NH), 8-7
112 – Tyler Walker (NH) md Nick Sutton (B), 23-10
119 – Cameron Weber (NH) fall Brandon Bauer (B), 3:39
125 – Zach Collins (B) wbf
130 – Troy Zangaro (NH) dec. Zach Reges (B), 3-1 sv
135 – Cody Hartman (B) fall Joden Rocco (NH), 2:44
140 – Eric Tuck (B) dec. Ryan Gibson (NH), 3-1
145 – Mike Crawford (B) fall Jake Campbell (NH), 2:40
152 – Dakota Collins (B) wbf
160 – Ben Amrhein (NH) md Robert Puncher (B), 10-2
171 – Matt Pribis (B) dec. Alen Turcinhodzic (NH), 5-1
189 – Cole Baxter (B) tech. fall Ben Smith (NH), 15-0 at 4:00
215 – T.J. McElwaine (NH) wbf

Fox Chapel 36 North Hills 29

103 – Drew Walker (NH) fall Jared Rice (FC), 0:47
112 – Tyler Walker (NH) fall Justin Berk (FC), 0:38
119 – Cameron Weber (NH) fft
125 – Connor Whelan (FC) fft
130 – Sam Molina (FC) dec. Joden Rocco (NH), 4-2
135 – Carson Brooks (FC) fall Troy Zangaro (NH), 2:56
140 – Mike Dunn (FC) dec. Ryan Gibson (NH), 4-3
145 – Shane Bialowas (FC) fall Jake Campbell (NH), 1:00
152 – Dave DiBenedetto (FC) fft
160 – Ben Amrhein (NH) tech. fall Bill Baldwin (FC), 18-0 at 2:15
171 – Stefano Geary (FC) decc. Alen Turcinhodzic (NH), 5-1
189 – Anthony Brooks (FC) dec. Ben Smith (NH), 4-2
215 – T.J. McElwaine (NH) dec. Dan Mahon (FC), 7-3
285 – Mike Dietrich (NH) dec. Tyler Lever (FC), 2-1 tb