

Farmington captures N. Farmington mat title

By C.J. RISAK

Southfield-Lathrup's Rob Parent, who holds the state record for career high school wrestling wins, added to his total, and Farmington High showed its team strength last Saturday at the North Farmington Invitational Tournament.

Coach Don Detters' Farmington club won the eight-school tournament, scoring 191 1/4 points. Plymouth Salem finished second with 101 points, Dearborn had 69, Detroit Country Day, 88 1/4, Walled Lake Western, 85 1/4, Lathrup, 74, North Farmington, 72 and Walled Lake Central, 30 1/4.

Lathrup's Parent, who established the state career victory record when he matched his 131st recently, was in fine form last Saturday, winning the 128-

pound championship with a 14-3 decision over Country Day's Glen Clark. Farmington had six weight-class champions and two runners up in the North Farmington tournament.

Farmington heavyweight Scott Hazen, who is undefeated this season, won his weight with a pin in 43 seconds over North's George Houtteker. Another Farmington champ was Jim Steiner, who pinned Western's Angelo Butazzoni in 2:35.

Jeff Fagan won the 147-pound crown for Farmington with a 14-8 decision over North's Jim Cotter. In the 134-pound final, Farmington's Dave Hall bested Country Day's Rick Villarsa, 13-2.

Two more Falcon matmen, John Murphy and Luigi Milani, won titles. Murphy outpointed Country Day's

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Mark Weiner, 12-8, in the 114-pound final, and Milani decided Country Day's Ed Valentine, 7-4, in the 140-pound final match.

SECOND-PLACE SALEM finished with three weight-class champs.

In the 100-pound class, Salem's Jim Schultz decided Farmington's Dave

Denny, 13-4. Jeff Dunson posted a 12-8 decision over Lathrup's Steve Kremer in the 107-pound final, and Scott Piper defeated Willie Libby of Western, 11-6, in the 157-pound final.

Keith Colgan of Western pinned Dearborn's Mike Kazanowski in 3:43 to win the 193-pound title. Dearborn's Bri-

an Pinfold stopped Farmington's Gregg Lemanski, 5-2, in the 180-pound final, and Country Day's Marc Kormeser topped Central's Dana Swaney, 7-3, in the 121-pound final.

N. FARMINGTON INVITATIONAL

TEAM FINISHES: Farmington High, 191 1/4 points; 1. Plymouth Salem, 101; 2. Dearborn High, 69; 3. Detroit Country Day School, 88 1/4; 4. Walled Lake Western, 85 1/4; 5. Southfield-Lathrup, 74; 6. North Farmington, 72; 7. Walled Lake Central, 30 1/4.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

100 POUNDS—Jim Schultz (Salem) defeated Dave Denny (Farmington), 13-4, in final. Lee Fennel (Western) defeated Mark Milani (N. Farmington), 2-0, in consolation.

107 POUNDS—Jeff Dunson (Salem) defeated Steve Kremer (Lathrup), 12-8, in final. Mike McKinnon (Farmington) defeated Mark Bays (Dearborn), 10-4, in consolation.

114 POUNDS—John Murphy (Farmington) defeated Mark Weiner (Country Day), 6-3, in final. John Donovan (N. Farmington) defeated Mark Richardson (Central), 3-1, in consolation.

121 POUNDS—Marc Kormeser (Country Day) defeated Dana Swaney (Central), 7-3, in final. Jay Katcher (Lathrup) defeated Dave DePree (N. Farmington), 9-0, in consolation.

128 POUNDS—Rob Parent (Lathrup) defeated Glen Clark (Country Day), 14-3, in final. Greg Hall (Farmington) defeated John Poley (Dearborn), 6-5, in consolation.

134 POUNDS—Dave Hall (Farmington) took Villarsa (Country Day), 13-2, in final. Jake McCormick (Western) defeated Steve Allen (Detroit), 11-2.

140 POUNDS—Lang Milani (Farmington) defeated Ed Valentine (Country Day), 7-4, in final. Jerry Valchek (Salem) defeated Mark McCormick (Western), 7-4, in consolation.

147 POUNDS—Jeff Fagan (Farmington) defeated Jim Cotter (N. Farmington), 14-8, in final. James Brady (Dearborn) defeated Phil Stern (Country Day), 5-2, in consolation.

157 POUNDS—Scott Piper (Salem) defeated Willie Libby (Western), 11-6, in final. Ed Holmes (Farmington) defeated Lee Fennel (Dearborn), 6-1, in consolation.

180 POUNDS—Jim Salter (Farmington) pinned Angelo Butazzoni (Western), 2:35, in final. Larry Houtteker (Salem) defeated Jay Bonds (N. Farmington), 6-3, in consolation.

193 POUNDS—Keith Colgan (Western) pinned Mike Kazanowski (Dearborn), 3:43, in final. Naden Kasch (Lathrup) pinned Karl Marzke (N. Farmington), 2-0, in consolation.

WEIGHTED—Scott Hazen (Farmington) pinned George Houtteker (N. Farmington), 41:10, in final. James Montgomery (Dearborn) pinned Scott Miller (Salem), 3:30, in consolation.

Seaholm smothered

By C.J. RISAK

It was strictly no contest Tuesday night, as Southfield-Lathrup ran over, around, and through Birmingham Seaholm enroute to an 84-37 non-league victory.

The win raised Lathrup's victory total to eight against two losses. Seaholm dipped to 1-9 on the season.

For Lathrup, it was just what the doctor ordered after the Chargers were decimated by Bloomfield Hills Lahser, 86-67, last Thursday.

"I wanted to see them have a good performance," Lathrup coach Jim Kourakis said after the win. "I thought they did a lot of things right. Sometimes a team can have a letdown, after times a big game and then playing a team with a 1-8 record. But they didn't, they really played well."

It didn't take long for Lathrup to assert itself. The game was tied at 10-10 before Ron Gold put the Chargers in control, scoring six of his team's final eight points in the first quarter to lead Lathrup to a 20-14 advantage.

Lathrup began to pull further away in the second stanza, despite some cold shooting. Jim McKnight sparked the Chargers, coming off the bench to score six points in the period. Seaholm, after collecting seven field goals in the first quarter, managed only three in the second and a total of nine points. Lathrup stretched its lead to 40-23 at halftime.

If any doubts still existed at halftime as to who the winner would be, Lathrup's Karl Akerman quickly dispersed them by scoring eight points in the first three minutes of the third quarter to give the Chargers a 50-25 lead. Substitutes entered the game early for Lathrup and Seaholm, and all 13 Chargers scored in the contest.

Akerman led the Chargers with 16 points, while Gold and McKnight each added 10. Andy Sorvan hit 11 for the Maples, eight coming in the first quarter.

Seaholm travels to Berkley Friday for an 8 p.m. contest. Lathrup is at Birmingham Groves Friday for the first of five straight games away from home. Game time is 8 p.m.

Christian wins

SOUTHFIELD CHRISTIAN 66 TEMPLE CHRISTIAN 59

Southfield Christian, shooting at a torrid pace from the field during the first half, defeated Redford Temple Christian, 66-59, Tuesday in a non-league basketball game.

The visiting Eagles took a 25-17 advantage after the first quarter and 41-29 at the intermission.

"They shot 61 per cent during the first half," said Temple coach Paul Clough. "(Jeff) Hamlin and (John) Mullins were really hot."

"It was like two different games. In the first half, we played zone defense and they hit outside all day," said Clough. "In the second half, we turned around and started catching up."

Temple did not abandon its zone, but loosened it up to keep the Eagles farther from the basket.

The Patriots, who had trailed by as

many as 15 points during the second quarter, cut the gap to five during the last minute, but that's as close as they could come.

"We missed a couple of layups and free throws at the end. Missed free throws really hurt us," said Clough.

Hamlin scored 15 points for Southfield, Rob Vosler 14 and Mullins 12.

TEMPLE CHRISTIAN-SOUTHFIELD CHRISTIAN

Southfield Christian (66): Jeff Hamlin 6, 3-5; Steve Hall 4, 2-5; Bill Miller 2, 1-2; Dan Urner 2, 4-11; John Mullins 6, 8-12; Joe Poir 5, 5-6; Kevin Lann 6, 2-2; Bob Vosler 6, 12-15; Tim Germaine 6, 8-9; E. J. Niemi 1, 0-2; Totals: 27, 12-22, 36.

Redford Temple Christian (59): Bob Vosler 14, 1-3; Bob Young 1, 2-11; Jeff Huber 7, 1-1; Craig Johnson 4, 2-4; Bill Miller 2, 3-2; Roger Miller 0, 0-2; Steve Lantz 4, 0-2; Mark O'Neil 1, 0-2; Tim Moore 6, 0-0; Totals: 27, 9-19.

TOTAL POINTS: Temple Christian 59, Southfield Christian 66. FOULED OUT: White (T).

SOUTHFIELD: 17 12 11 46
TEMPLE: 17 12 11 59

LATHRUP 84-SEAHOLM 37

SOUTHFIELD-LATHRUP (84): Karl Taylor 1, 2-2; Karl Akerman 1, 2-4; Jack Dahms 1, 2-5; Ron Gold 5, 0-4; Phil Coney 1, 0-2; Steve Sharpe 4, 0-0; Jim McKnight 5, 0-4; Salad Shays 5, 0-4; Dan Henry 0, 0-0; Craig Rowley 1, 1-3; Greg Smith 4, 0-2; Bill Desjard 1, 0-2; Craig Smith 1, 1-3; TOTALS: 40, 27-24.

BIRMINGHAM SEAHOLM (37): Dave Keller 3, 0-1; Andy Sorvan 6, 2-4; 10-10 Williams 0, 0-0; Gary Lewis 1, 0-0; Bob Lantz 1, 0-0; Carl Thibault 1, 0-0; Andy French 1, 0-2; Mike Weller 9, 7-2; TOTALS: 15, 7-19, 27.

TOTAL POINTS-LATHRUP: 84, Seaholm 37. FOULED OUT: None.

SOUTHFIELD-LATHRUP: 20 20 24 44
BIRMINGHAM SEAHOLM: 14 9 9 37



Seaholm's Jeff Harris (left) keeps an eye on Lathrup's Ron Gold during last Tuesday's game. (Photo by Allen Schlossberg)

Charger hockey line logs another big game

Someone had better start keeping tabs on how many goals the line of Andy Marshall, Steve Hoke and Dennis Tardich has been producing for Southfield-Lathrup's hockey team.

The way the senior trio has been firing them in these days, it'd be easy to lose count.

In one recent game, the Marshall-Hoke-Tardich line accounted for eight goals in a Lathrup victory. The group provided six of Lathrup's seven goals

against city-rival Southfield High last week.

Last Monday, the line clicked again with rightwinger Hoke scoring four goals to lead Lathrup past Livonia Bentley, 5-3, in a Suburban Hockey League game at Livonia's Edgar Arena.

The victory was Lathrup's fifth straight for a 7-5 league record.

The high-scoring Lathrup line, which has played together for the past three

seasons, dominated the play against Bentley. Marshall, who came in the line, had two assists, while Tardich came up with a goal and an assist.

"I used to call them my kid line back when they were just sophomores," said Lathrup coach Dave Butler with a laugh. "But now they're all grown up. They blend well together, and they can really anticipate each other's moves."

Bentley's Chris Delabio staked his team to a 1-0 lead with goal at 4:51 of the first period. Hoke scored from defenseman Kevin Daley at 11:35.

The score was tied at two-all after the second period as Hoke and Bentley's Gord Anderson traded goals. Lathrup put it away in the final stanza with Hoke scoring a pair of goals and Tardich adding one.

Butler had special praise for Daley, a senior defenseman.

"He's been playing like he's been all-league for three years," the coach said. "Daley and the other defenseman, Dave Wanasag, always get the puck out of our end real fast."

Lathrup outshot Bentley, 32-30. Brad Still, a sophomore, minded Lathrup's goal.

Lathrup plays next on Thursday (Jan. 25) at home against Livonia Churchill. The game has an 8 p.m. start at the Beech Woods Arena, Beech Road south of Nine Mile.

Southfield High has a 4 p.m. game against Wyandotte on Thursday at Beech Woods.

LATHRUP'S-BENTLEY 2

FIRST PERIOD, SCORING: Livonia Bentley-Cris Delabio (Kevin Tolan, Ken Mack), 4:51; Southfield-Lathrup-Daley (Kevin Daley), 11:35. SECOND PERIOD, SCORING: Lathrup-Lake (Dennis Tardich), Andy Marshall, 5:45; Bentley-Gord Anderson (Glen Herbert, Ray Jones), 12:35. PENALTIES: Gordy Lantz (SL) tripping, 5:45; Eric Knapton (LB) tripping, 2:15; Lantz (SL) tripping, 12:35.

THIRD PERIOD, SCORING: Lathrup-Hoke (Marshall), 6:20; Lathrup-Hoke (Anderson), 8:20; Bentley-Eric Evans (Gordon), 11:10; Lathrup-Tardich (Lantz), 11:10. PENALTIES: McCreary (LB) charging, 1:41; Angus (SL) tripping, 12:02; Jones (LB) holding, 16:12; Marshall (SL) tripping, 14:49.

OVER 20 HOCKEY LEAGUE

LEAGUE STANDINGS—Northland Heating, 9-3-3; Walled Lake Central, 8-3-3; Suburban Sports Center, 8-4-4; Roger Penske Chevrolet, 7-4-6; Concorde Camers, 6-7-5; Sawyer-Palmer Funeral Home, 5-5-5; Star Lincoln-Mercury, 5-7-3; Midwest Coffee, 5-4-1; Southfield-Holiday Inn, 3-11-2.

THURSDAY (JAN. 25)—Southfield-Holiday Inn vs. Star Lincoln-Mercury, 7:30 p.m.; Northland Heating vs. Sawyer-Palmer Funeral Home, 8:30 p.m.; Concorde Camers vs. Roger Penske Chevrolet, 8:40 p.m.; Suburban Sports Center vs. Midwest Coffee, 10:00 a.m. All games will be played at the Southfield Civic Center Arena, 34000 Evergreen Road.

Northland ices hockey victory

The goaltenders in Southfield's Over 30 Hockey League got a real workout last Thursday night. A total of 37 goals were scored as the line of Andy Marshall, Steve Hoke and Dennis Tardich has been producing for Southfield-Lathrup's hockey team.

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