

**71st NCAA Wrestling Tournament**  
**3/15/2001 to 3/17/2001 at Iowa**

**2001**

**Team Champion** Minnesota - 138.5 Points

**Outstanding Wrestler:** Cael Sanderson - Iowa State

**Gorriaran Award:** Garrett Lowney - Minnesota

**Top Ten Team Scores** Number of Individual Champs in parentheses.

1 Minnesota	138.5	6 Iowa State	66.5 (1)
2 Iowa	125.5 (2)	7 Michigan	65.5
3 Oklahoma State	115.5 (1)	8 Nebraska	52.5
4 Oklahoma	93.5 (1)	9 Arizona State	48
5 Illinois	89 (2)	10 Wisconsin	47 (1)
		10 Boise State	47

**Champions and Place Winners** Wrestler's seed in brackets, [US] indicates unseeded.

<b>125 1st: Stephen Abas [1] - Fresno State (13-10)</b>	<b>2nd:</b> Jody Strittmatter [2] - Iowa
<b>3rd:</b> Leroy Vega [3] - Minnesota (3-1)	<b>4th:</b> A.J. Grant [10] - Michigan
<b>5th:</b> Mario Stuart [US] - Lehigh (3-2)	<b>6th:</b> Matt Brown [6] - Oklahoma State
<b>7th:</b> Chris Williams [7] - Michigan State (7-5)	<b>8th:</b> Ruben DeLeon [9] - Cal State-Bakersfield
<b>133 1st: Eric Juergens [1] - Iowa (10-7)</b>	<b>2nd:</b> Johnny Thompson [2] - Oklahoma State
<b>3rd:</b> Witt Durden [US] - Oklahoma (4-3)	<b>4th:</b> Todd Beckerman [3] - Nebraska
<b>5th:</b> Roman Fleszar [5] - Hofstra (6-3)	<b>6th:</b> Pat McNamara [4] - Michigan State
<b>7th:</b> David Douglas [11] - Arizona State (6-3)	<b>8th:</b> Brett Lawrence [10] - Minnesota
<b>141 1st: Michael Lightner [2] - Oklahoma (5-4)</b>	<b>2nd:</b> Doug Schwab [1] - Iowa
<b>3rd:</b> Eric Larkin [3] - Arizona State (8-2)	<b>4th:</b> Grant Hoerr [11] - Wisconsin
<b>5th:</b> Mark Conley [US] - Navy (WFT)	<b>6th:</b> Sean Gray [4] - Virginia Tech
<b>7th:</b> Robert Sessley [US] - Ohio State (7-6)	<b>8th:</b> Chad Erikson [7] - Minnesota
<b>149 1st: Adam Tirapelle [3] - Illinois (5-3)</b>	<b>2nd:</b> Dave Esposito [4] - Lehigh
<b>3rd:</b> Mike Zadick [US] - Iowa (5-3)	<b>4th:</b> Jared Frayer [8] - Oklahoma
<b>5th:</b> JaMarr Billman [7] - Lock Haven (7-4)	<b>6th:</b> Jared Lawrence [2] - Minnesota
<b>7th:</b> Mike Kulczycki [11] - Michigan (10-5)	<b>8th:</b> Eric Schmiesing [6] - Hofstra
<b>157 1st: T.J. Williams [1] - Iowa (3-2 TB)</b>	<b>2nd:</b> Bryan Snyder [2] - Nebraska
<b>3rd:</b> Shane Roller [12] - Oklahoma State (12-10)	<b>4th:</b> Luke Becker [6] - Minnesota
<b>5th:</b> Eric Jorgensen [4] - Oregon State (3-1 OT)	<b>6th:</b> Kirk White [5] - Boise State
<b>7th:</b> Yoshi Nakamura [3] - Pennsylvania (10-8 OT)	<b>8th:</b> Gray Maynard [US] - Michigan State
<b>165 1st: Don Pritzlaff [1] - Wisconsin (3-1 OT)</b>	<b>2nd:</b> Joe Heskett [2] - Iowa State
<b>3rd:</b> Matt Lackey [5] - Illinois (3-2)	<b>4th:</b> Brad Pike [6] - Minnesota
<b>5th:</b> Steven Blackford [3] - Arizona State (8-5)	<b>6th:</b> Kevin Stanley [9] - Indiana
<b>7th:</b> Chris Vitale [US] - Lehigh (5-2)	<b>8th:</b> Ben Shirk [US] - Iowa
<b>174 1st: Josh Koscheck [1] - Edinboro (8-1)</b>	<b>2nd:</b> Maurice Worthy [3] - Army
<b>3rd:</b> Otto Olson [2] - Michigan (3-2)	<b>4th:</b> Jacob Volkmann [10] - Minnesota
<b>5th:</b> Tyrone Lewis [4] - Oklahoma State (11-5)	<b>6th:</b> Gabe McMahan [5] - Iowa
<b>7th:</b> Jim Stanec [US] - Cornell (7-4)	<b>8th:</b> Ati Conner [12] - Nebraska
<b>184 1st: Cael Sanderson [1] - Iowa State (8-4)</b>	<b>2nd:</b> Daniel Cormier [3] - Oklahoma State
<b>3rd:</b> Viktor Sveda [4] - Indiana (7-2)	<b>4th:</b> Andy Hrovat [7] - Michigan
<b>5th:</b> Damion Hahn [5] - Minnesota (4-2)	<b>6th:</b> Cash Edwards [9] - Boise State
<b>7th:</b> Josh Lambrecht [US] - Oklahoma (WBF 4:52)	<b>8th:</b> Kyle Hansen [US] - Northern Iowa
<b>197 1st: Mark Munoz [1] - Oklahoma State (5-3)</b>	<b>2nd:</b> Pat Quirk [7] - Illinois
<b>3rd:</b> Owen Elzen [5] - Minnesota (WBF 3:59)	<b>4th:</b> Rusty Cook [4] - Boise State
<b>5th:</b> Mike Fickell [11] - Pennsylvania (13-11 OT)	<b>6th:</b> David Shunamon [US] - Edinboro
<b>7th:</b> Brad Vering [2] - Nebraska (14-8)	<b>8th:</b> Nik Fekete [US] - Michigan State
<b>285 1st: John Lockhart [4] - Illinois (2-1 TB)</b>	<b>2nd:</b> Tommy Rowlands [2] - Ohio State
<b>3rd:</b> Garrett Lowney [1] - Minnesota (WBF 0:42)	<b>4th:</b> Leonce Crump [9] - Oklahoma
<b>5th:</b> Billy Blunt [7] - Fresno State (6-2)	<b>6th:</b> Paul Hynek [6] - Northern Iowa
<b>7th:</b> Matt Brink [5] - Michigan (3-2)	<b>8th:</b> Jake Vercelli [US] - Purdue

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**125 Weight Class**

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**Championship Pigtail Bouts for 125**

Dunmire, Eric - Northern Iowa	Dunmire 6-5
Navarro, Nathan - Oregon State	
Vombaur, Ben - Boise State	Vombaur 3-1
Schaefer, Greg - Indiana	
Strittmatter, Jody - Iowa	Strittmatter Fall 2:44
McCormack, Trap - Lock Haven	

**Consolation Pigtail Bouts for 125**

McCormack, Trap - Lock Haven	McCormack 12-5
Gray, Jacob - Edinboro	
Williams, Chris - Michigan State	Williams 6-2
Schaefer, Greg - Indiana	
Navarro, Nathan - Oregon State	Navarro 11-5
Powell, Jason - Nebraska	

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Doug Schwab, Iowa [1]	Doug Schwab TF 23-6, 6:59		
Mark Conley, Navy		Doug Schwab MT 22-7, 6:58	
Matt Goldstein, Lehigh	Jared Sullivan 9-4		<b>141 Weight Class</b>
Jared Sullivan, Tennessee-Chattanooga			
Zach Roberson, Iowa State [9]	Zach Roberson 4-2	Doug Schwab 3-1	
Mark Mansueto, Maryland		Charles Walker 5-2	
Ryan Egan, Northern Illinois	Charles Walker 6-2		
Charles Walker, Oklahoma State [8]			
Donnie DeFilippis, George Mason [5]	Donnie DeFilippis Fall 2:48		Doug Schwab 11-9
Frank Edgar, Clarion		Mike Maney 6-5	
Pat Diaz, James Madison	Mike Maney Fall 6:27		
Mike Maney, Lock Haven [12]			
Andrew Gharst, Cal Poly-SLO		Sean Gray 6-0	
Mike Castillo, Michigan State	Mike Castillo 8-5		
Robert Sessley, Ohio State		Sean Gray 11-8	
Sean Gray, Virginia Tech [4]	Sean Gray 6-3		
Eric Larkin, Arizona State [3]	Eric Larkin 14-5		<b>Michael Lightner 5-4</b>
Mark Rial, Northern Iowa		Eric Larkin 10-4	
Mike Settembrino, Seton Hall	Ralph Lopez 5-3		
Ralph Lopez, Fresno State			
Grant Hoerr, Wisconsin [11]	Grant Hoerr 10-3	Grant Hoerr 3-2	
Gabe Vigil, Boise State		Grant Hoerr 1-0	
Cory Ace, Edinboro	Cory Ace 10-7		
Jason DeBruin, Hofstra [6]			Michael Lightner 8-0
Chad Erikson, Minnesota [7]	Chad Erikson Fall 1:35		
Corey Williams, North Carolina-Greensboro		Chad Erikson 8-1	
Mike Castillo, Illinois	Mike Castillo 7-2		
Jason Mester, Central Michigan [10]			
Coyte Cooper, Indiana	Shane Cunanan 1-1 TB	Michael Lightner 12-3	
Shane Cunanan, Oregon State			
Tony Abbate, Slippery Rock		Michael Lightner TF 17-2, 4:44	
Michael Lightner, Oklahoma [2]	Michael Lightner TF 19-4, 4:43		





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**Championship Pigtail Bouts for 141**

DeBruin, Jason - Hofstra

DeBruin 5-1

Waldron, Tom - Cornell

Roberson, Zach - Iowa State

Roberson 13-5

Hart, Jeremy - Appalachian State

**Consolation Pigtail Bouts for 141**

Edgar, Frank - Clarion

Edgar 5-4

Waldron, Tom - Cornell

Hart, Jeremy - Appalachian State

Hart 5-2

Mester, Jason - Central Michigan

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**157 Weight Class**

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**Championship Pigtail Bouts for 157**

Hockenberry, Ed - Bloomsburg	
Papadatos, Dennis - Hofstra	Hockenberry TF 18-3, 7:00

Crane, Clovis - Purdue	
Boccia, P.J. - Appalachian State	Crane 8-6

**Consolation Pigtail Bouts for 157**

Harris, Eugene - Oregon	
Papadatos, Dennis - Hofstra	Harris 14-5

Janson, Josh - Ohio State	
Boccia, P.J. - Appalachian State	Janson 21-8



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Don Pritzlaff, Wisconsin [1]	Don Pritzlaff TF 25-8, 6:52	Don Pritzlaff 17-6	<b>165 Weight Class</b>
Luke Larwin, Oregon			
Nick Nemeth, Kent State	Nick Nemeth 5-2	Don Pritzlaff TF 17-2, 6:08	
Tony Howard, George Mason			
Kevin Stanley, Indiana [9]	Kevin Stanley 9-3	Kevin Stanley 9-3	
Chris Pendleton, Oklahoma State			
Dave Guarino, SUNY-Buffalo	Dave Guarino 6-5	Don Pritzlaff 6-3	
Nick Catone, Rider			
Matt Lackey, Illinois [5]	Matt Lackey 19-12	Matt Lackey 13-4	
Mark Fee, Appalachian State			
Tony Denke, Nebraska	Tony Denke 11-6	Matt Lackey 3-1 OT	
Ian Nelms, Cal State-Bakersfield [12]			
Pat O'Donnell, Harvard	Doug Ciesleski 7-0	Robbie Waller 9-7	
Doug Ciesleski, Slippery Rock			
Hunter Guenot, Bloomsburg	Robbie Waller 3-1	Don Pritzlaff 3-1 OT	
Robbie Waller, Oklahoma [4]			
Steven Blackford, Arizona State [3]	Chris Vitale 12-9	Ben Shirk 8-5	
Chris Vitale, Lehigh			
Ben Shirk, Iowa	Ben Shirk 9-1	Brad Pike 10-2	
Burt Pierson, California-Davis			
Ben Boozer, Edinboro [11]	Ben Boozer 15-1	Brad Pike 10-1	
Josh Weidman, Maryland			
Nate Lawrenz, Northern Iowa	Brad Pike 20-7	Joe Heskett 3-1 OT	
Brad Pike, Minnesota [6]			
Chris Martin, Virginia Tech [7]	Chris Martin Fall 6:43	Chris Martin 6-5	
John Clark, Ohio State			
Tim Ortman, Pennsylvania	Charles Martelli 6-3	Joe Heskett 13-3	
Charles Martelli, Michigan [10]			
Denis Alampiev, American	Denis Alampiev 7-6	Joe Heskett 9-2	
Greg Francesca, Virginia			
Noel Thompson, Hofstra	Joe Heskett 5-5 TB		
Joe Heskett, Iowa State [2]			

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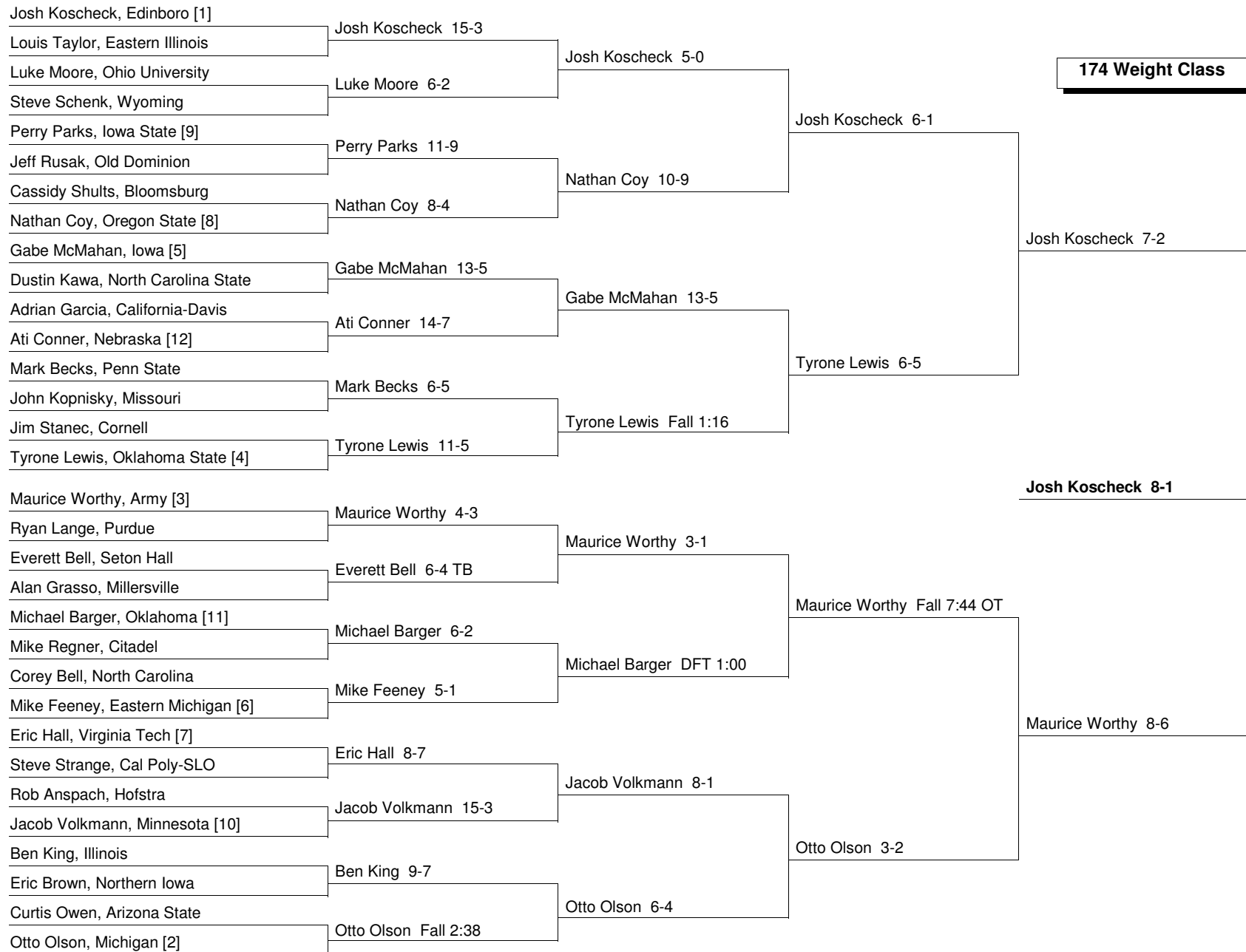
**Championship Pigtail Bouts for 165**

O'Donnell, Pat - Harvard	O'Donnell 6-4
Pennell, Jed - Oregon State	
Lawrenz, Nate - Northern Iowa	Lawrenz 9-3
Bonfiglio, Ryan - Princeton	
Catone, Nick - Rider	Catone 4-3
Fronhofer, Carl - Pittsburgh	

**Consolation Pigtail Bouts for 165**

Pennell, Jed - Oregon State	Pennell Fall 6:41
Pierson, Burt - California-Davis	
Bonfiglio, Ryan - Princeton	Bonfiglio 21-13
Fee, Mark - Appalachian State	
Fronhofer, Carl - Pittsburgh	Fronhofer 13-3
Clark, John - Ohio State	

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**Championship Pigtail Bouts for 174**

Bell, Everett - Seton Hall

Bell Fall 1:41

Hieber, Ryan - Ohio State

Shults, Cassidy - Bloomsburg

Shults 7-3

Parker, Greg - Princeton

**Consolation Pigtail Bouts for 174**

Kopnisky, John - Missouri

Kopnisky 8-1

Hieber, Ryan - Ohio State

Parker, Greg - Princeton

Parker 17-8

Strange, Steve - Cal Poly-SLO

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Cael Sanderson, Iowa State [1]	Cael Sanderson TF 24-9, 7:00		
Kyle Hansen, Northern Iowa		Cael Sanderson Fall 1:37	
Jeremy Wilson, Portland State	Jeremy Wilson 11-1		
Justin Millard, Edinboro			
Cash Edwards, Boise State [9]	Cash Edwards 3-1 TB		Cael Sanderson TF 21-6, 6:16
Jimi Massey, Virginia		Jessman Smith 2-1	
Dan Stine, Pittsburgh	Jessman Smith 10-2		
Jessman Smith, Iowa [8]			
Damion Hahn, Minnesota [5]			Cael Sanderson 21-7
Scott Justus, Virginia Tech	Scott Justus 6-5	Scott Justus 5-4	
Francis Volpe, Harvard	Francis Volpe 7-1		
Shawn Scannell, Rider [12]			
Adam Duncan, Tennessee-Chattanooga	Adam Duncan 13-9		Viktor Sveda 13-8
Ralph DeNisco, Wisconsin		Viktor Sveda Fall 4:31	
Josh Millard, Lock Haven	Viktor Sveda Fall 3:56		
Viktor Sveda, Indiana [4]			
Daniel Cormier, Oklahoma State [3]	Daniel Cormier Fall 2:50		
R.D. Pursell, Arizona State		Daniel Cormier TF 22-7, 5:00	
John Garriques, Seton Hall	Jake Stork 8-3		
Jake Stork, Maryland			
Rob Rohn, Lehigh [11]	Josh Lambrecht 11-2		Daniel Cormier 16-4
Josh Lambrecht, Oklahoma		Josh Lambrecht Fall 2:06	
Jeffrey Moskyok, Duquesne	Doug Lee 15-4		
Doug Lee, Oregon [6]			
Andy Hrovat, Michigan [7]	Andy Hrovat 13-6		
Tom Cass, Duke		Andy Hrovat 11-6	
Nick Magistrelli, Kent State	Tom Tanis 13-8		
Tom Tanis, Rutgers [10]			
Josh States, SUNY-Buffalo	Anton Talamantes 15-11		Andy Hrovat 3-1 TB
Anton Talamantes, Ohio State		Nate Patrick 6-3	
Dave Colabella, James Madison	Nate Patrick 3-0		
Nate Patrick, Illinois [2]			

**184 Weight Class**

**Cael Sanderson 8-4**

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**Championship Pigtail Bouts for 197**

Shunamon, David - Edinboro

Shunamon 17-5

Tyner, David - Tennessee-Chattanooga

Elzen, Owen - Minnesota

Elzen 10-0

Eynon, Greg - Millersville

**Consolation Pigtail Bouts for 197**

Mielnik, Pete - Penn State

Mielnik 5-4

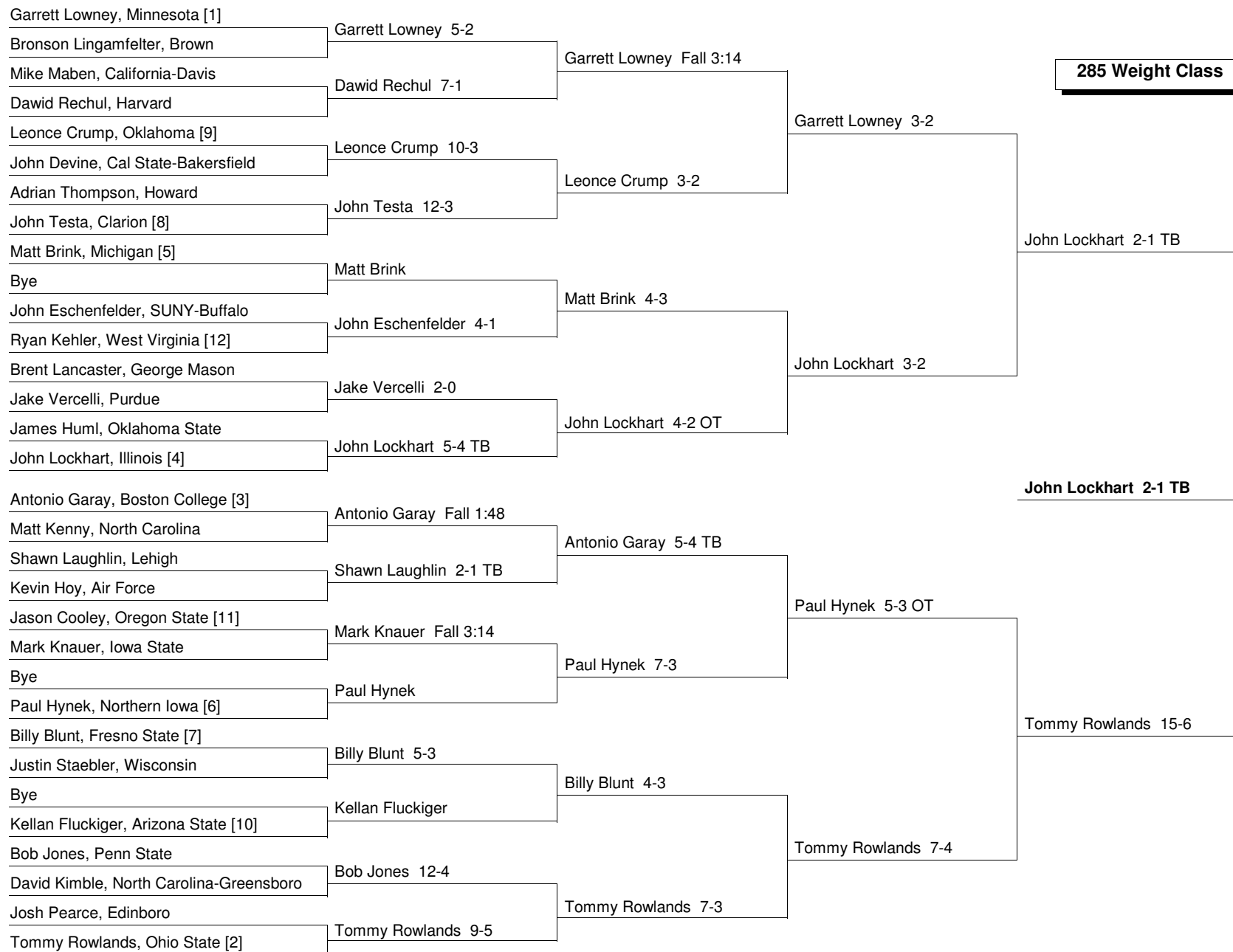
Tyner, David - Tennessee-Chattanooga

Eynon, Greg - Millersville

Eynon Fall 2:26

Sonnen, Chael - Oregon

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**285 Weight Class**

**John Lockhart 2-1 TB**

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