2014-2015 Signees

Labette Community College Head Wrestling Coach, Ryan A. Phillips announces his first wave of signees for the 2014-2015 academic year. Jacob Findley, Taylor Spackler, Bryson Grino, Danny “Shea” Conely, Cody Foos, McKale Washington, Cambdon Peper, Hunter Dalton, Blake Hampton, and Bryan Trompeter have all decided to continue their wrestling careers as Cardinals for Labette Community College.

Jacob Findley

Jake is a senior from Oklahoma 5A powerhouse Collinsville. During Jake’s final two years for the Collinsville Cardinals, he has collected two runner-up finishes at the Oklahoma State Wrestling Championships. In addition, Jake has earned two team championships which were done in a dominating fashion. In 2014 Collinsville accumulated a 41.5 points cushion to win the state title, while in 2013, the Cardinals won the state championship by 52.5 points. Jacob will wrestle 125 pounds for Labette Community College. He is the son of Rick and Shannon Findley. Coach Phillips’ thoughts, “Jacob is a huge asset to the team because he is a proven winner. Being from Collinsville, he knows what kind principles are needed to win on an individual and team level.”

Cody Foos

Cody is coming off a very successful senior campaign for Pryor, Oklahoma collecting 46 wins, and earning a second place finish at the 5A wrestling championships. Cody also finished fourth as a freshman for Pryor. Cody will wrestle 141 pounds for Labette. Cody is the son of Sheila Foos. Coach Phillips’ thoughts, “Cody is a blue-collar kid who will work hard to accomplish his goals. He is a coachable athlete who’s skills will progress quickly being in a college wrestling room.”
Danny “Shea” Conley

Shea is coming off a prep career as a three-time 6A Oklahoma place winner, two-time finalist, and state champion. While accumulating 134 high school wins, Shea was also a member of the 2014 Broken Arrow state championship dual team. Anticipate seeing Shea wrestle 141/149 pounds for the Labette Community College wrestling team in the Fall. Shea is the son of Danny and Brenda Conley. Coach Philips’ thoughts, “Shea is an individual who will make an immediate impact for the team. He also possesses leadership qualities and discipline that is necessary to be successful on and off the mat.”

McKale Washington

McKale is a senior from Moore High School in Oklahoma. As a prep athlete, McKale qualified for the 6A state tournament all four years. Out of those state tournament appearances, he has earned three fourth-place finishes, as well as accumulated 112 wins. Expect McKale to wrestle 149/157 for the Cardinals. He is the son of Robert and Christy Washington. His father, Robert, also served as his wrestling coach in Moore. Coach Phillips’ thoughts, “I anticipate McKale to breakthrough very quickly on the college wrestling scene. He is a well-rounded athlete being a varsity member in wrestling, football, track, and baseball.”

Cambdon Peper

Cambdon is a Sapulpa High School graduate who has amassed 115 wins as prep. Labette Wrestling fans can expect Peper to wrestle at the 157 pound weight class. He is the son of Jason Peper and Angela Whiteneck. Coach Phillips’ thought about Cambdon, “Peper is hardworking student-athlete who will succeed in the sport of wrestling, as well as in the classroom. He is sound wrestler who has great technique in neutral, top, and bottom positions.”
Blake Hampton

A Spring Hill, Kansas native, Blake finished his high school career with a record of 145-30. Blake fought his way to the Kansas state wrestling tournament four times. As a freshman, he went 2-2 at state. He found his way to the podium three times after freshman year, placing fifth and fourth twice. Blake will compete at the 174 pound weight class for the LCC Cardinals. He is the son of Bryan and Lauren Hampton. Coach Phillips’ thoughts, “Blake is coming in right away to battle for the 174 pound starting position. As a four-year starter, he has a knack for winning and expects to get his hand raised.”

Hunter Dalton

Hunter is finishing up his career as a prep for Bixby High School in Oklahoma. His stats include 52 wins by fall, three-time Oklahoma qualifier, and earning fourth place honors junior and senior year. Hunter will also contend for the 174 pound starting position for Labette Community College. Hunter was also second-team All-Metro, academic all-conference honorable mention, and four-year letterman. Hunter is the son of Steve and Redena Dalton. Coach Phillips’ thoughts, “Hunter is very competitive student-athlete with a great support system. Hunter brings his ability to pin and earn valuable team points for the squad.”

Other commits include:

Bryson Grino from Pryor, Oklahoma. Bryson will wrestle 133 pounds for the Cardinals next Fall. Bryson is also the high school teammate of Cody Foos.

Taylor Spackler will be wrestling 125 for LCC in the 14-15 year. Taylor is a University of Central Missouri transfer. Taylor will provide some solid depth at 125.

Bryan Trompeter will also continue his wrestling career for LCC, competing at the 197 pound weight class. Bryan is a Oklahoma state qualifier for Southmoore High School.