

Oregon All-Time Wrestling Coaching Records

Top 25

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* Active

HOF - indicates National High School Wrestling Hall of Fame Member

1.	* Steve Thorpe	Career Record: 516-123-1
	2007 – NFHSA National Coach of the Year (118-6 in league matches)	
	<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>
	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
	(22) Sweet Home	516-123
		1996-2017
		1998, 1999, 2007, 2009, 2017
2.	Norm Davis	Career Record: 504-196-5
	(HOF – 1997)	
	1997 – National High School Wrestling Hall of Fame	
	<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>
	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
	(34) Sweet Home	504-196-2
		1963-1996
		1976,
3.	Russ Thurman	Career Record: 500-76-0
	(HOF – 1996)	
	<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>
	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
	(28) Crook County	500-76
		1965-1992
		1969, 1975
4.	Dave Abraham	Career Record: 438-105-5
	(HOF – 1998)	
	1992 – National High School Coach of the Year	
	<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>
	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
	(30) North Bend	500+
		1966-1995
		1979
5.	Jerry Ewing	Career Record: 409-128-10
	(HOF – 2001)	
	1994 – NHSACA National Coach of the Year	
	<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>
	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
	(NA) McLoughlin	409-128-10
		1971-2000
		1986, 1987, 1991, 1992
6.	Charlie Anthony	Career Record: 350+
	(HOF – 2013)	
	<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>
	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
	(27) Ontario	
		1985-2011
		1997
7.	* Neil Russo	Career Record: 328-
	2012 – NHSCA National Coach of the Year	
	<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>
	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
	(5) Reynolds	
		1994-1998
	(15) Newberg	328-
		1999-2013
		2009
	(3) Newberg	
		2014-2016
		2009
	(1) Newberg	
		2017

8. Bill Geister	(HOF – 1996)	Career Record: 300+	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(5) Myrtle Point		1956-1960	
(25) Clackamas		1961-1986	
9. Curt Burger	(HOF – 2013)	Career Record: 293-68-3	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(21) Hermiston	512-103	1993-2013	2001, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010 2011
10. * J.D. Alley		Career Record: 263-141-0	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(26) Culver	262-141-0	1991-2016	2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016
(1) Culver	1-0	2017	2017
11. Wayne Van Burger	(HOF – 2005)	Career Record: 238-72-6	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(2) Seaside		1973-1974	
(21) Marshfield	238-72-6	1985-2005	
12. Ron Sather	(HOF – 2014)	Career Record: 224-NA	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(21) Corvallis		1989-2008	
(2) Corvallis		2013-2014	
13. Dennis Warren	(HOF – 2010)	Career Record: 223-50-1 +	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(4) Warrenton		1975-1978	
(6) Warrenton		1980-1985	
(16) Warrenton		1987-2002	
14. Jim Phillips	(HOF – 2010)	Career Record: 213-103-7	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(16) Albany/West Albany			1976-1991
15. Kary Hadden	(HOF – 2013)	Career Record: 168-29-1	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(21) Sprague	168-29-1	1990-2010	
(4) Sprague		2012-2015	

16. * Luke Cleaver	Career Record: 134-39-1		
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(16) Nyssa	134-39-1	2002-2017	2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2012, 2015, 2016, 2017

17. Doug Muck	(HOF – 2013)	Career Record: 125-12	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(3) Myrtle Point	45-3	1966-1968	
(7) Putnam	80-10	1969-1975	1971

18. Pat Boyd	Career Record: 122-20		
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(11) Lakeview	122-20	1971-1981	

19. Elroy Thompson	Career Record: 119-11-1		
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(10) Tillamook	119-11-1	1984-1993	1984, 1993

20. Don York	(HOF – 2009)	Career Record: 114-80	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(20) Cleveland		1957-1976	
(6) Cleveland		1978-1983	

21. Jim Gadberry	(HOF – 2011)	Career Record: 101-42	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(5) Milwaukie	101-42	1980-1985	1984

22. Dutch Simons	Career Record: 75-2-1		
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(11) Klamath Union	75-2-1	1947-1957	1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1954

23. Jerry Dilley	(HOF – 1995)	Career Record:	
1989 – National Coach of the Year			
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(46) Lowell		1962-2007	1971, 1975, 1976, 1978, 1980, 1981, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1991

24t. * Steve Lander	Career Record:		
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(NA) Dallas			
(15) Roseburg		2002-2016	2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017

24t.* Greg Haga		Career Record:	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(17) Crater		1993-2009	1993, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006
(7) Crater		2011-2017	2017

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Multiple State Championships

Tony Russo	(HOF – 2003)	Career Record:	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(19) Newberg		1980-1998	1986, 1987, 1991, 1992, 1994,

Harry Mondale	(HOF – 1996)	Career Record:	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(38) Phoenix		1970-2007	1980, 1981, 1983, 1988, 1995, 1996, 2001

Mark Hofman		Career Record:	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(NA) Burns		2007-2011	2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011

* Jake Huffman		Career Record:	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(9) Crook County		2008-2016	2013, 2014, 2015, 2016

Bob Bishop		Career Record:	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(NA) Willamina		1989-1995	1992, 1993, 1994

Bill Winn		Career Record:	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(3) Burns		2002-2004	2002, 2003, 2004

Bill Ryder	(HOF – 1995)	Career Record:	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(14) Grants Pass		1962-1975	1962, 1963, 1964
(NA) Glendale		1987-1988	

Emory Blackwell		Career Record:	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(1) Dayton		1987-1998	1995, 1996, 1997

Joe Frank		Career Record:	
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(3) Reedsport	31-8-1	1965-1968	1965, 1966, 1967

Steve Stratton**School**

(12) Gladstone
(3) Gladstone

(HOF – 2007)**Record****Years**

1972-1983
1993

Career Record:**State Championships**

1976, 1979, 1982

Shaun Williams**School**

(3) Hermiston

Record**Years**

2013-2015

Career Record:**State Championships**

2013, 2014, 2015

Bob Bergen**School**

(15) Eagle Point

(HOF – 2003)**Record****Years**

1975-1989

Career Record:**State Championships**

1978, 1985, 1988

Dick Weisbrodt**School**

(33) Lebanon

(HOF – 1995)**Record****Years**

1958-1990

Career Record:**State Championships**

1963, 1968

Mel Calhoun**School**

(38) Nyssa

(HOF – 1997)**Record****Years**

1960-1997

Career Record:**State Championships**

1968, 1990

Lamont Simons**School**

(3) Woodburn
(27) South Albany

(HOF – 2000)**Record****Years**

1969-1971
1972-1998

Career Record:**State Championships**

1970, 1971

Chuck Zacur**School**

(8) Canby

Record**Years**

1949-1956

Career Record:**State Championships**

1955, 1956

Ralph Dyson**School**

(7) Sutherlin

Record**Years**

1954-1960

Career Record:**State Championships**

1959, 1960

John Platt**School**

(9) Corvallis

Record**Years**

1960-1968

Career Record:**State Championships**

1965, 1967

Larry Wright**School**

(8) Canby

(HOF – 1998)**Record****Years**

1962-1968

Career Record:**State Championships**

1962, 1963

Gene Hedrick**School**

(2) The Dalles
(8) Wasco County
(20) Centennial

Record**Years**

1962-1963
1964-1971
1972-1991

Career Record:**State Championships**

1969, 1970

Dennis IngramSchool

(13) Barlow

(HOF – 2001)RecordYears

1980-1992

Career Record:State Championships

1980, 1981

Ken SurbrookSchool

(12) Benson

RecordYears

1977-1988

Career Record:State Championships

1982, 1983

Carl WilkinsSchool

(NA) Riddle

RecordYears

1989-1990

Career Record:State Championships

1989, 1990

Verl MillerSchool

(24) La Grande

(HOF – 1999)RecordYears

1974-1997

Career Record:State Championships

1978, 1996

Andy KovachSchool

(4) Nyssa

RecordYears

1998-2001

Career Record:State Championships

1999, 2000

Jeff KloetzerSchool

(3) Burns

RecordYears

2005-2007

Career Record:State Championships

2005, 2006

*** Jeff Freeman**School

(9) Glide

RecordYears

2008-2016

Career Record:State Championships

2013-2014

Longtime Coaches with No Records**Pat Ball**School

(40) Banks

(HOF – 2005)RecordYears

1976-2015

Career Record:State Championships**Mel Calhoun**School

(38) Nyssa

(HOF – 1997)RecordYears

1960-1997

Career Record:State Championships**Ray Downs**School

(4) Warrenton

(33) Neah-Kah-Nie

(HOF – 2005)Record

53-21

Years

1970-1973

1974-2007

Career Record:State Championships**Dennis Radford**School

(35) The Dalles

(HOF – 2000)RecordYears

1966-2000

Career Record:State Championships

Bill Thompson

School
(35) Cottage Grove

(HOF – 2017)
Record Years
1979-2013

Career Record:

State Championships

Everett Hurley

School
(7) Oakland
(25) Bandon

(HOF – 2011)
Record Years
1961-1967
1968-1992

Career Record:

State Championships

Kurt Davis

School
(3) Astoria
(3) North Marion
(5) Grant
(20) Redmond
Longtime Wrestling Official

(HOF – 2010)
Record Years
1973-1975
1976-1978
1979-1983
1984-2002

Career Record:

State Championships

*** Les Combs**

School
(10) Clackamas
(20) Mountain View

Record Years
1987-1996
1997-2016

Career Record:

State Championships

Hank Juran

School
(30) Salem

(HOF – 1997)
Record Years
1947-1976

Career Record:

State Championships

Tom Phillips

School
(30) Cascade

(HOF – 2009)
Record Years
1981-2010

Career Record:

State Championships
2000

Wes Hogland

School
(29) Molalla

(HOF – 1996)
Record Years
1956-1984

Career Record:

State Championships

Warren Bolin

School
(29) Madison

Record Years
1959-1988

Career Record:

State Championships

Doug Bashor

School
(28) Crescent Valley

(HOF – 1999)
Record Years
1962-1989

Career Record:

State Championships

Mike Mechling

School
(1) Vernonia
(7) Wilson
(19) Benson

(HOF – 2013)
Record Years
1981
1982-1988
1989-2007

Career Record:

State Championships

Jerry FentonSchool

(26) Putnam

(HOF – 2007)

RecordYears

1977-1995

Career Record:State Championships**Rollin Schimmel**School

(19) Pendleton

(4) Glencoe

(2) Pendleton

(HOF – 2003)

RecordYears

1969-1987

1988-1991

1999-2000

Career Record:State Championships**Buck Davis**School

(24) Bend

(HOF – 2012)

RecordYears

1984-2007

Career Record:State Championships**Brent Belveal**School

(23) South Albany

(HOF – 2015)

RecordYears

1984-2006

Career Record:State Championships*** Mel Byers**School

(22) Wallowa

RecordYears

1996-2017

Career Record:State Championships**Jack Berger**School

(21) Silverton

(HOF – 2001)

RecordYears

1964-1984

Career Record:State Championships**Dave Sanville**School

(8) Bend

(13) West Linn

(HOF – 2003)

RecordYears

1977-1984

1989-2001

Career Record:State Championships**Bill Hryciw**School

(20) Benson

RecordYears

1958-1977

Career Record:State Championships*** Kerry Benthin**School

(20) Colton

RecordYears

1997-2016

Career Record:State Championships**Les Pierce**School

(20) Milwaukie

(HOF – 2006)

RecordYears

1971-1990

State Championships

1973

Career Record:**Bruce Glenn**School

(20) Albany

(HOF – 2000)

RecordYearsState Championships

1972-1991

Career Record:

Pete Russo	(HOF – 2003)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>
(9) Newberg		1969-1977
(11) Canby		1978-1988
		<u>State Championships</u>
		1970

* Ariaiah Fasana		Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>
(19) Willamina		1999-2016
		<u>State Championships</u>
		1999

Others (Hall of Fame Members)

Cy Bellock	(HOF – 1995)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>
(NA) North Salem		1963-1965
		<u>State Championships</u>

Gale Davis	(HOF – 1996)	Career Record:
Longtime Redmond Assistant Coach		

Jerry Lane	(HOF – 1996)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>
(NA) McNary		1972-1976
		<u>State Championships</u>
		1975

Terry Crenshaw	(HOF – 1998)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>
Unknown		
		<u>State Championships</u>

George Krupicka	(HOF – 1998)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>
(18) North Eugene		1960-1977
		<u>State Championships</u>

Bill Worrell	(HOF – 1998)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>
(7) McMinnville		1964-1970
(NA) Churchill		
		<u>State Championships</u>

John Horn	(HOF – 1999)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>
(14) North Salem		1985-1998
		<u>State Championships</u>
		1998

Ron Hicks	(HOF – 1999)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Years</u>
(8) Glide		1958-1965
(9) Roseburg		1966-1974
		<u>State Championships</u>
		1974

Larry Topliff (HOF – 1999) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
Longtime Sandy Assistant Coach
(2) Sandy 2015-2016

Carl Burton (HOF – 2000) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
Unknown

Gordon Jarman (HOF – 2002) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(16) St. Helens 1977-1992

Don Conway (HOF – 2003) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(NA) Putnam

Tom Dyar (HOF – 2003) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(NA) Franklin 1973-1976
(NA) Centennial

Gordon Hoffman (HOF – 2003) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(NA) Hillsboro 1973

Masao Miyake (HOF – 2003)
Longtime Wrestling Official

Jack Olson (HOF – 2003) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
NA

Gary Head (HOF – 2004) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
NA

Ron James (HOF – 2004) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(NA) Hillsboro 1993-1995

Robert Shewbert (HOF – 2004) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(3) Roseburg 1954-1956

Dean Speasl (HOF – 2004) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(NA) Crater

Melvin Schuldt

School

Unknown

(HOF – 2005)
Record Years

Career Record:

State Championships

Craig Olsen

School

(NA) Gresham

(HOF – 2006)
Record Years

Career Record:

State Championships

Vern Olsen

School

(NA) Centennial

(HOF – 2006)
Record Years

Career Record:

State Championships

Ron Calhoun

School

(NA) Sandy

(HOF – 2007)
Record Years
1983

Career Record:

State Championships

*** Jay Miller**

School

(14) Illinois Valley

(HOF – 2007)
Record Years
2003-2016

Career Record:

State Championships

Randy Robinson

School

(14) Churchill

(HOF – 2007)
Record Years
1993-2007

Career Record:

State Championships

Howard Morris

School

(4) Tigard

(HOF – 2008)
Record Years
1959-1962

Career Record:

State Championships

Curtis Sexton

School

(17) Churchill

(HOF – 2008)
Record Years
1986-2002

Career Record:

State Championships

Rick Franklin

School

Longtime Wrestling Official

(HOF – 2009)
Record Years

State Championships

Bob Buzzard

School

(NA) North Salem

(HOF – 2009)
Record Years
-2012

Career Record:

State Championships

Fred Lucas

School

(NA) NA

(NA) North Bend

(10) Medford

(HOF – 2009)
Record Years

Career Record:

State Championships

Jim Phillips (HOF – 2009)
Longtime Wrestling Official

Greg Strobel (HOF – 2010) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(3) Roseburg 1979-1982

Ginger Lile (HOF – 2011)
Longtime Wrestling State Tournament Organizational Official

Lee Allen (HOF – 2011) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(NA) Klamath Union

Rick Wallace (HOF – 2011)
Longtime Wrestling Official

Gary Bowden (HOF – 2012) **Career Record: 112-34-1**
School Record Years State Championships
(16) Thurston 112-34-1 1993-2008 2002

John Dustin (HOF – 2012) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(9) Marshfield 1963-1971

Steve Woods (HOF – 2012) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(8) Estacada 1977-1984 1977

John Zerba (HOF – 2012)
Longtime McLoughlin Volunteer Coach

H.D. Weddel (HOF – 2013) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(7) Tigard 1986-1992
(9) McMinville 1993-2002

Dick Bellock (HOF – 2014) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(12) McKay

Doug Hislop (HOF – 2014) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
Longtime Coach and Official at La Grande and Imbler

Wayne Snoderly (HOF – 2014) **Career Record:**
School Record Years State Championships
(14) David Douglas 1994-2007

Bob Akers	(HOF – 2015)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u> <u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(46) Longtime Centennial Assistant Coach		
Chuck Corak	(HOF – 2015)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u> <u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(7) Pine Eagle		
(3) Enterprise		
(1) Enterprise		
(3) Enterprise		
Doug Caffall	(HOF – 2016)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u> <u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(20) Longtime Newberg Volunteer Coach		
Dale Freeman	(HOF – 2016)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u> <u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(13) Pendleton		
Rich Rolan	(HOF – 2016)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u> <u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(NA) The Dalles		
Dr. Mike Reuter	(HOF – 2016)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u> <u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
Coach & Longtime Official from Eugene		
Ron & Laurice Ochs	(HOF – 2016)	
(30) Longtime Sponsors of the Nels Ochs Memorial Tournament in Madras		
Del Helzer	(HOF – 2017)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u> <u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
Unknown		
Kevin Kramer	(HOF – 2017)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u> <u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(NA) The Dalles		
Donnie McPherson	(HOF – 2017)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u> <u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(NA) Jefferson		
(NA) Roosevelt		
2013-2016		
Roger Rolan	(HOF – 2017)	Career Record:
<u>School</u>	<u>Record</u> <u>Years</u>	<u>State Championships</u>
(11) Oregon City		
2005-2015		