

WRESTLING
Ithaca College
 vs.
Lycoming College
Monday, Dec. 5, 2005
7 p.m.
Ben Light Gymnasium

TONIGHT'S MEET

The 18th-ranked Bombers (0-0) host 12th-ranked Lycoming (3-2-1) in their first dual meet of the season.

ABOUT ITHACA

The Bombers, ranked 18th in the latest national rankings, have won 13 consecutive dual meets at Ben Light Gymnasium, with their last loss coming Feb. 9, 2000 against Lycoming. Three Bombers are nationally ranked: senior **Matthias Keib** is up to third nationally at 174 pounds, junior **Kyle Kemmerer** is up to sixth at 125 pounds and junior **Nick Calandrino** (with a team-leading four falls) is ranked for the first time in his career -- sixth at 197 pounds. **Keib** and **Calandrino** each won their weight class at the Bomber Invitational, while senior **Robert Stubbs** has two championships this year: one at the Bomber Invitational and one at the UNC-Pembroke Classic.

LAST TIME OUT

The Bombers have been idle for over two weeks since competing at Cornell's Body Bar Invitational on November 19, where they were the only Division III team competing. **Keib**, the tournament's fifth seed, won his first two matches before losing to the top seed. **Keib** lost twice in the consolation round to place sixth. **Calandrino** went 2-2.

ABOUT LYCOMING

The Warriors, ranked 12th nationally, are coming off a 40-6 win over Scranton. Scranton took an early 3-0 lead on a 4-2 decision at 125, but the Warriors regained the momentum as junior **Sean Cullen** posted a 14-1 major decision at 133 and sophomore **Drew Barder** won by fall 52 seconds into the first period to give the Warriors a 10-3 lead. Also posting pins for the Warriors were senior **Derek Crane** and senior **James Hoffacker**. **Cullen** is ranked sixth nationally at 133; **Tommy Snyder** is ranked sixth nationally at HWT.

ABOUT THE SERIES

The series was tied 5-5 going into last year's meet, and Bombers came away with the advantage, beating the Warriors 25-13 in Williamsport. **Keib**, **Calandrino** and **Stubbs** all won by decision; **Keib's** win was the 50th of his career.

NEXT UP

The Bombers host 14th-ranked Oswego Wednesday in Ben Light Gymnasium at 7 p.m.

ITHACA SCHEDULE/RESULTS (0-0)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Nov. 5-6	Ithaca Invitational	Sixth of 17
Nov. 11-12	at UNC-Pembroke Classic	No team scores
Nov. 19	at Cornell Invitational	No team scores
Dec. 5	#12 LYCOMING	7 p.m.
Dec. 7	#14 OSWEGO	7 p.m.
Jan. 6	vs. Simpson at Williams	5 p.m.
	vs. Muhlenberg at Williams	7 p.m.
Jan. 7	at Williams Invitational	10 a.m.
Jan. 10	at RIT	7 p.m.
Jan. 13-14	Budd Whitehill National Duals at Lycoming	9 a.m.
Jan. 20-21	NYS Championships at Oswego	noon
Jan. 28	vs. Ohio at Buffalo	9 a.m.
	vs. Delaware State at Buffalo	11 a.m.
	at Buffalo	1 p.m.
	at Jamestown Community College Invitational*	10 a.m.
Feb. 1	at Oneonta	7 p.m.
Feb. 4	at Wilkes	2 p.m.
Feb. 7	CORTLAND	7 p.m.
Feb. 18	ECWC Championships at Cortland	10 a.m.
March 3-4	NCAA Championships at College of New Jersey	9 a.m.

HOME MEETS IN CAPS

* B team competition

ITHACA COLLEGE (0-0)

Probable Starters:

- 133 – John Paxos (Roxbury/Succasunna, N.Y.)
- 141 – Scott D’Annunzio (Great Valley/Malvern, Pa.)
- 149 – Josh Herzig (Lowville Academy/Denmark)
- 157 – Jad Duca (South Brunswick/Monmouth Junction, N.J.)
- 165 – Tyler Daffinee (Binghamton/Binghamton)
- 174 – Matthias Keib (G. Ray Bodley/Fulton)
- 184 – Robert Stubbs (MacArthur/Levittown)
- 197 – Nick Calandrino (Emerson/Emerson, N.J.)
- HWT – Jake Mender (Glens Falls/Warrensburg)

Lycoming College (3-2-1)

Probable Starters:

- 125 – James Saxton (Cinnaminson/Cinnaminson, Pa.)
- 133 – Sean Cullen (Cinnaminson/Cinnaminson, Pa.)
- 141 – Drew Barder (Upper Dauphin/Millersburg, Pa.)
- 149 – Kyle Hopkins (Cape Henlopen/Milton, Del.)
- 157 – Eric Miller (Montgomery/Muncy, Pa.)
- 165 – Heath Oberlin (Mifflinburg/Mifflinburg, Pa.)
- 174 – Derek Crane (Elizabethtown/Elizabethtown, Pa.)
- 184 – Tom Daub (Susquenita/Duncannon, Pa.)
- 197 – Matt Miller (Montgomery/Muncy, Pa.)
- HWT – James Hoffacker (Bermudian Springs/New Oxford, Pa.)/
Tom Snyder (Milton/New Columbia, Pa.)