

1964 State Wrestling Tournament Results

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Results of State Wrestling Tournament
Held at Enterprise High School
February 21 & 22

For the sixth time in the nine-year history of state high school wrestling competition, Benjamin Russell Wildcats of Alexander City are the champions.

Charley Lee's Wildcats won their sixth straight title here Saturday night by outpointing Fairfield Tigers, 105 to 95. Host Enterprise finished third with 52 points followed by these:

Lanier of Montgomery, 45; Banks of Birmingham, 38; Alabama School for the Blind of Talladega, 37; West End of Birmingham, 36; Marshall County of Guntersville, 28; Opelika, 20; Murphy of Mobile, 17; Central of Phenix City, 17; Sylvania, 8; Tarrant, 7; Shades Valley, 2; and McAdory 1.

Tommy Green, Tommy Lassmann, Steve Davis, Jimmy Graham and Freddie Shockley pulled down individual titles for BRHS.

Banks had two champs in John Harper and Heavyweight Paige Cutcliffe. Ricky NeSmith and Tommy Coach of Talladega, Johnny Miranda of Fairfield (the second year in a row), Rogers of Enterprise, Vaughn of Guntersville and Hatfield of Lanier were other division champions.

Championship Finals

95-Pound—NeSmith (Talladega School for the Blind) dec. Davis (Benjamin Russell), 2-0.

103—Green (Benjamin Russell) dec. Buntin (Fairfield), 4-0.

112—Lassmann (Benjamin Russell) dec. Shiver (Phenix City), 4-1.

120—Davis (Benjamin Russell) dec. Roberson (Fairfield), 1-0.

127—Miranda (Fairfield) dec. Hayes (Benjamin Russell), 3-2.

133—Rogers (Enterprise) dec. Pate (West End), 4-3.

138—Harper (Banks) dec. Starnes (Benjamin Russell), 3-0.

145—Graham (Benjamin Russell) dec. Camp (Opelika), 2-0.

154—Vaughn (Guntersville) dec. Walker (Enterprise), 9-1.

165—Shockley (Benjamin Russell) dec. Watson (Enterprise), 2-1.

180—Coach (Talladega School for the Blind) dec. Freeman (Fairfield), 4-2.

191—Hatfield (Lanier) pinned McLellan (Fairfield.)

Heavyweight—Cutcliffe (Banks) dec. Pilkerton (Fairfield), 3-1.