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Editorial

By The Bryants

You are the reason we publish *Wrestling USA Magazine*; you are a coach, wrestler or fan who cares a lot about the sport of wrestling. You are the person who makes it possible for us to publish this magazine.

Wrestling USA Magazine has been the National Voice of Amateur Wrestling since 1965. In our magazine readers find match-winning ideas from America's winningest coaches. This magazine shows you how to improve your wrestling technique, motivate every wrestler and develop better match strategies. There are articles just for wrestlers and coaches on lifting, dieting, training and mental preparation for matches and big tournaments.

We want to show you how to get dozens of match winning ideas from America's winningest coaches! Score more points! Win more matches!

We blaze the trail, helping you follow your favorite prospects up the ladder to stardom, with complete championship statistics and reports. From kid wrestlers on the World All-Star Team, national ranking of high school wrestlers, high school All-America team, college ranks and national championship results to the World and Olympic games. *Wrestling USA Magazine* has lead the way.

Wrestling prepares a young man or woman for fighting the game of life. It offers the thrill of individual combat under socially acceptable conditions. It affords unrivaled use of skills. It demands independence of thought and action, and encourages self confidence and self restraint. It increases one's capacity for an active and abundant life. Our hope is that, in the future, the joys, the experiences and benefits of this time honored sport may be brought in larger measure to an ever increasing host of American youth.

Wrestling USA Magazine is a family business. Lanny, who created and developed the magazine, was a teacher/wrestling coach who wrestled in junior high, high school, and college. He also coached for twenty-five years on the high school and college level. Cody, our son won three state titles with a high school career record of 115-4-1 and ended his high school wrestling with 94 consecutive wins. Ann, assistant editor, wife and mom, of five, who has survived it all for forty-four years!

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As Always

Let's Be "on the Go" Together for our sport of amateur wrestling!

Lanny, Ann, Cody and staff

Idaho - Nick Webster, Skyline High School, Idaho Falls, throwing a head and arm on Eli Willden, Twin Falls High School. Willden pinned Webster in 5:13. Photo by Linda Lemons.



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