

No. 10 @ASUWrestling Advances to VA Duals Gold Bracket

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HAMPTON, Va. – The No. 10 Sun Devils nearly pulled off a shutout and put together back-to-back wins en route to a place in Saturday's gold bracket at the 38th annual Virginia Duals.

Arizona State (5-2) earned a commanding 35-3 victory over Virginia (2-5) in their first match of the day, taking a shutout into the final bout, before handing Iowa State (2-5) a 25-13 loss, earning the Sun Devils a place in the championship bracket.

Notably, in the win over Virginia, No. 23 Ali Naser earned an upset victory, 10-7, over No. 3 Jack Mueller at 133 lbs. The Sun Devils also won both 125 lbs. matches behind Josh Kramer and No. 17 Ryan Millhof while Nikko Villarreal (141) and Jason Tsirtsis (149) also won vs. UVA.

The Sun Devils earned four straight wins in both duals starting with No. 4 Josh Shields (157) and followed by No. 15 Anthony Valencia (165), No. 1 Zahid Valencia (174), and Kordell Norfleet (184). No. 4 Tanner Hall (HWT) also capped the Iowa State win with a victory.

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