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CAA Announces Preseason All-Freshman Team

LAWRENCEVILLE--The Colonial Athletic Association Wrestling Coaches announced their 2002-2003 preseason All-Freshman team at their annual fall meeting.

The team consists of 125 Bobby Stinson of Rider, **133 John Manarte of Hofstra, 141 Chris Vondruska of Hofstra**, 149 Joe Gallante of Rider, 157 Rob Gosnell of Old Dominion, 165 Ryan Cunningham of Rider, 174 Matt Ulrey of Old Dominion, 184 Adam Wright of Old Dominion, 197 Rob Panfili of Wagner and heavyweight Matt Carey of Rider.

Stinson (Berlin, NJ) placed sixth at the High School Nationals as a High School All-American after winning the New Jersey State Championship.

Manarte (Farmingville, NY) placed 17th at the Junior Nationals after placing third in the New York State Championships.

Vondruska (Lakewood, OH) placed fourth at the High School Nationals and was twice the Ohio State Championship runner-up.

Gallante (Ocean City, NJ) was the New Jersey State runner-up who lost in overtime to the eventual third place finisher at the High School Nationals.

Gosnell (Warrenton, VA) was the Virginia State Champion at 160 last year.

Cunningham (Cherry Hill, NJ) was a two-time New Jersey State Champion and was ranked fourth in the nation by Amateur Wrestling News.

Ulrey (Commerce, MI) placed third in the Michigan State Championships as a senior after a fourth place finish as a sophomore.

Wright (Dayton, VA) was the Virginia State Champion at 171 pounds last year after finishing runner-up as a junior.

Panfili (Saddle Brook, NJ) placed fifth in the New Jersey Championships.

Carey (Dallas, PA) placed fifth in the Pennsylvania State Championships last year.