

MARION

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WRESTLING

Marion Wrestling Records

Most Falls in a Season

Matt Wycoff	39	1999-00
Matt Wycoff	33	1998-99
Aaron Conway	32	2002-03
Matt Wycoff	30	1997-98
Ken Ware	29	1999-00
Caleb Conway	27	2014-15
Colin Conway	26	2016-17
Colin Conway	26	2015-16
Caleb Conway	24	2016-17
Colin Conway	24	2014-15
Lucas Stearns	23	2023-24
Lucas Stearns	23	2022-23
Levi Lochner	23	2012-13

Most Takedowns in a Season

Justin Sperry	133	1999-00
Justin Sperry	114	2000-01
Jesse Kensinger	113	1999-00
Ken Ware	103	1999-00
Aaron Conway	97	1999-00
Jordan Forkner	94	2002-03
Jesse Kensinger	90	1998-99

Fastest Fall

Niyo Gady	:06	2019
Scott Wilson	:07	1987
Austin Conway	:08	2005
Bob McCue	:09	1971
Jesse Kensinger	:09	2000
Matt McCue	:09	2001
Noah Case	:09	2023
Carson Webster	:11	2018
Caleb Conway	:11	2016
Mitch Ross	:11	2013

State Champions

Rick Danford	115 lbs.	1970
John Royer	145 lbs.	1989
Aaron Conway	119 lbs.	2003

Three Time WaMaC Champions

Lyle Lochner	1985-87
Steve Brighi	1980-82
Jerry Nibeck	1979-81
Robbie Bolyard	1978-80
Brian Hoffa	1975-77

Most Falls in a Career

Matt Wycoff	121	1997-00
Colin Conway	98	2017-17
Aaron Conway	91	2000-03
Caleb Conway	83	2014-17
Kody Blazek	83	2002-05
Austin Conway	68	2003-06
Ken Ware	64	1997-00
Jesse Kensinger	61	1997-00
Austin Weisinger	59	2007-10
Jordan Forkner	57	2000-03
Bryan Balvanz	56	1992-95
Nate Werneburg	54	1992-95
Alex Conway	54	2006-09

Best Career Record (Winning Percentage)

Aaron Conway	161 - 20	89%	2000-03
Dennis Oliphant	68 - 10	87%	1968-70
Matt Wycoff	148 - 29	84%	1997-00
Kody Blazek	147 - 26	82%	2002-05
Bob McCue	68 - 17 - 2	79%	1969-71
Caleb Conway	148 - 42	78%	2014-17
Colin Conway	139 - 42	77%	2014-17
Austin Conway	125 - 37	77%	2003-06
Lyle Lochner	81-25-1	76%	1984-87
Niyo Gady	119 - 37	76%	2017-20
Kevin Klopfenstein	56 - 18 - 2	75%	1971-74
Nate Werneburg	116 - 40	74%	1992-95
Austin Weisinger	122 - 44	73%	2009-10
Bryan Balvanz	113 - 45	72%	1992-95
Joe Swanson	113 - 43	72%	2003-06
Alex Conway	105 - 40	72%	2006-09

Head Coaches

Bill Linstrom	1957-1964
Loyd Shaffer	1965-1991
Bruce Weisinger	1992-2011
Jason Haag	2012-Present

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State Placelinners

State Champions

1970	Rick Danford	115
1989	John Royer	145
2003	Aaron Conway	119

Runner-up

1979	Joe Ickes	167
2004	Kody Blazek	125
1995	Nate Werneburg	HWT

3rd Place

1964	Ed Ruhl	145
1969	Dennis Oliphant	95
1970	Dennis Oliphant	98
1971	Bob McCue	105
1973	Glen McCue	98
1999	Matt Wycoff	189
2000	Matt Wycoff	189
2002	Aaron Conway	119
2005	Kody Blazek	130

4th Place

1972	Glen NcCue	98
1972	Jerry Morgan	155
1989	Brad Wilson	152
1992	Jason Rubalcava	140
1994	Nate Werneburg	HWT
1995	Bryan Balvanz	135
2017	Colin Conway	152

5th Place

1981	Curt Hall	145
1988	John Royer	138

6th Place

1973	Bruce Waters	155
1996	Wes Hilleshiem	119
2000	Jesse Kensinger	171
2001	Matt McCue	140
2006	Zach Blazek	145

7th Place

2017	Caleb Conway	145
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8th Place

2004	Austin Conway	135
2009	Curtis Ette	160
2010	Austin Weisinger	125

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State Qualifiers (Non-place Winners)

1960	Tom Curis	133	1961	Steve Perrin	95	1962	Lloyd Stenerson	103	1963	Joe Handley	165
				Charles Carney	133						
				Larry Thompson	165						
1964	Steve Wermager	120	1970	Bob McCue	107	1971	Rodger Bailey	145	1972	Rick Thomas	112
				Chuck Reilly	185		Dan Borst	185		Steve Davison	119
1974	Rick Long	HWT	1975	Tim Carter	112	1977	Brian Hoffa	119	1978	Scott Oglesby	145
				Marty Carter	167		Jerry Goehring	138		Larry Atwater	167
							Tom Borst	185			
1979	Robbie Bolyard	132	1980	Pat Freiling	126	1981	Steve Brighi	105	1982	Steve Brighi	112
	Mark Klopenstein	155		Robbie Bolyard	132		Jerry Nibeck	185		Curt Hall	155
				Jerry Nibeck	185						
				Jim Benson	HWT						
1983	Joe Sondag	145	1984	Lyle Lochner	98	1985	Don Royer	98	1986	Scott Wilson	HWT
				Joe Sondag	145		Jeff Gollaher	132			
							Dave Cox	145			
1987	TJ Yi	112	1988	Rob McComas	HWT	1989	TJ Yi	130	1990	TP Yi	125
	John Royer	132									
	Dave Cox	155									
	Dave Adams	185									
	Scott Wilson	HWT									
	Ron Geater	SHWT									
1991	Chad Vozenilek	119	1992	Ben Balvanz	112	1993	Ben Balvanz	119	1994	Bryan Balvanz	130
				Chad Vozenilek	125		Bryan Balvanz	125			
				Brad Henderson	145		Nate Werneburg	HWT			
1995	Rob Wiley	119	1996	Brett Sperry	103	1997	Brett Sperry	103	2000	Matt McCue	145
	Mike Kalkwarf	160								Tony Offerman	152
										Ken Ware	160
2001	Brett Forkner	215	2002	Kody Blazek	112	2003	Jordan Forkner	171	2004	Joe Swanson	130
				Jacob Blazek	130						
				Justin Sperry	135						

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State Qualifiers (Non-place Winners)

2006 Austin Conway 140

2008 Kris Thompson 103
Austin Weisinger 125
Curtis Ette 160

2009 Austin Weisinger 125
Alex Conway 152

2010 David Glover 171

2011 Alex Hunter 119

2017 Niyo Gady 106
Gaven Hiler 113

2019 Niyo Gady 106
Braden Garringer 138

2020 Niyo Gady 106
Austin Fritz 138
Ben Gibson 160

2021 Wes Logan 126
Dylan Mull 145
Abe Duval 195

2023 Lucas Stearns 106
Wes Logan 138
Noah Case 285

2024 AJ Dietz 106
Lucas Stearns 113
Lucas Horak 132
Adam Rose 175
Tayt Broell 215

Marion Wrestling *WaMaC Champs*

1959	Gary Turner	103	1960	Tom Curtis	133	1961	Steve Perrin	95	1962	Bill Hutchins	120
	Ernie Highley	145					John Keith	103		John Pazour	165
	Harold O'Deen	154					Dennis Stickney	112		Larry Nelson	175
	Tim Corporan	175					Max Corporon	154			
							Larry Thompson	165			
							Larry Nelson	175			
1963	Charlie Brown	145	1964	Steve Wermager	120	1965	Don Dippel	112	1967	Dale Montgomery	95
	Joe Handley	165		Ed Ruhl	145						
	George Moore	180									
1968	Mike Madeson	103	1969	Dennis Oliphant	95	1970	Dennis Oliphant	98	1971	Bob McCue	105
	Gary DeBow	127		Bob Hoke	138		Chuck Reilly	185		John Walton	185
1972	Rick Thomas	112	1973	Glen McCue	98	1974	Mark Moeller	105	1975	Jim Kray	98
	Jerry Morgan	155		Rick Thomas	118		Kevin Klopfenstien	112		Brian Hoffa	105
				Steve Davison	126		Marty Carter	145		Tim Carter	112
				Bruce Waters	155		Mark Ziegler	167		Tom Stalkfleet	132
							Randy Olson	185		Mark Henderson	138
										Tom Borst	155
										Tim Burgess	185
1976	Brian Hoffa	112	1977	Greg Hebert	98	1978	Robbie Bolyard	126	1979	Greg Hebert	98
	Rick Offerman	185		Brian Hoffa	119		Scott Ogelsby	145		Greg Hoffa	112
				Tom Borst	185		Larry Atwater	167		Robbie Bolyard	132
										Ken Waters	145
										Mark Klopfenstein	155
										Joe Ickes	167
										Jerry Nibeck	185

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1980	Steve Brighi 98 Robbie Bolyard 132 Ken Waters 155 Jerry Nibeck 185	1981	Steve Brighi 105 Curt Hall 145 Jerry Nibeck 185	1982	Steve Brighi 112 Kurt Freilinger 119 Curt Hall 145 Karl Raue 167	1983	Joe Sondag 145
1984	Joe Sondag 145	1985	Lyle Lochner 105	1986	Lyle Lochner 119 Dave Cox 145 Dave Adams 185 Ron Geater SHWT	1987	Don Royer 119 John Royer 132 Lyle Lochner 138 Dave Cox 155 Ron Geater SHWT
1988	Don Royer 126	1989	TJ Yi 130 John Royer 145 Brad Wilson 152	1990	Aaron Schultz 189	1993	Ben Balvanz 119 Brad Henderson 152
1994	Nate Werneburg HWT	1998	Brett Sperry 125	1999	Jesse Kensinger 171 Matt Wycoff 189	2000	Aaron Conway 112 Matt Wycoff 189
2003	Aaron Conway 119 Jordan Forkner 171	2004	Dan Rhodes 189	2005	Kody Blazek 130	2006	Joey Swanson 135 Austin Conway 140
2007	Kris Thompson 103	2009	Alex Conway 152	2011	Alex Hunter 119	2017	Caleb Conway 145 Colin Conway 152
2020	Niyo Gady 106						