



# WRESTLING

## CENTRAL COLLEGE CoSIDA 2008-09 PRESEASON INFORMATION FORM

### General

**Name of school:** Central College  
**City/zip:** Pella, Iowa 50219  
**Founded:** 1853  
**Enrollment:** 1,558  
**Nickname:** Dutch  
**School colors:** Red and White  
**Home field:** P.H. Kuyper Gymnasium  
**Capacity:** 2,000

**Affiliation:** Reformed Church in America  
**Conference:** Iowa Conference  
**President:** Dr. David Roe  
**Alma mater:** Air Force  
**Athletics director:** Al Dorenkamp  
**Alma mater, yr.:** Central, '75  
**Athletics dept. phone:** (641) 628-5226

### History

**First year of wrestling:** 1966  
**Iowa Conference team titles:** 4  
**Most recent conference title:** 1991-92  
**Iowa Conference MVPs:** 3  
**Highest NCAA Div. III team finish:** 2nd, 1984-85  
**NCAA Div. III top-10 team finishes:** 7  
**NCAA Div. III individual champions:** 3  
**All-America honorees:** 43

### Sports information

**Sports information director:** Larry Happel  
**SID office phone:** (641) 628-5278  
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### SID mailing address:

Campus Box 5400  
812 University  
Pella, IA 50219

### Coaching staff

**Head coach:** Erik Van Kley  
**Alma mater/year:** Minnesota State-Mankato, '00  
**Record at school (yrs.):** 0-15-1 (1)  
**Career record (yrs.):** 28-28-1 (4)  
**Phone:** (641) 628-5422

**Assistant coaches:** Jason Zastrow (second year), Matt Diehl (17th year)

**Wrestling team athletic trainer:** Dustin Briggs  
**Strength and conditioning coach:** Jake Anderson

### Team information

**2007-08 dual record:** 0-15-1  
**Conference finish:** 9th  
**Letterwinners returning:** 7  
**Letterwinners lost:** 3  
**2008-09 captains:** Nick Johnson, Ted Dirx

## HONORS/STATS FOR RETURNING WRESTLERS

### Returning letterwinners

Wt.	Name	W-L	Yr.	Tournament finishes, honors
125	Brandon Rose	2-10	So.	
141	Curtis Hobbs	11-13	So.	2nd, Bronze Pool, Augsburg Invitational
141-159	Nick Johnson	5-20	Jr.	6th, Central Invitational
165-174	Kevin Yeoman	1-21	Jr.	
197	Chris Keeran	0-12	So.	
285	Jim Siddall	2-8	Jr.	
285	Ted Dirkx	5-7	Jr.	5th, Briar Cliff Open

### Other top returnees

Wt.	Name	W-L	Yr.	Tournament finishes, honors
157	Kyle Ray	12-13	So.	1st, Bronze Pool, Augsburg Invitational

### Top newcomers

Wt.	Name	Yr.	Hometown	High school honors
141	Zach Beekman	Fr.	Pocahontas, Iowa	State finalist
141	Chris Reil	Fr.	Guthrie Center, Iowa	State finalist
141	Jesse Martin	So.	Fairfield, Iowa	State placewinner
149-157	Jared Hermann	Fr.	Stockton, Ill.	State placewinner
157	Reid Imerman	Fr.	Guthrie Center, Iowa	State placewinner
157-165	Ivan Gaeta	Fr.	Bremerton, Wash.	State placewinner
157-165	Tommy Van Renterghem	Fr.	Oskaloosa, Iowa	State placewinner
174-184	Ben Davis	Fr.	Clay Center, Kan.	State finalist

Complete 2007-08 individual season statistics available at:  
<http://www.central.edu/athletics/wrestling/statistics/teamstat.htm>

## 2008-09 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Nov. 15	Knox (Ill.) Inv.	Galesburg, Ill.	9 a.m.
Nov. 19	Coe	Pella	7 p.m.
Nov. 22	Augsburg (Minn.) Inv.	Minneapolis, Minn.	9 a.m.
Dec. 4	Dubuque	Pella	7 p.m.
Dec. 6	Milwaukee School of Engineering (Wis.) Inv.	Milwaukee, Wis.	9:30 a.m.
Dec. 11	Knox (Ill.)/Augustana (Ill.)	Galesburg, Ill.	6 p.m.
Jan. 4	Menlo (Calif.) Inv.	Atherton, Calif.	9 a.m.
Jan. 10	Knox (Ill.) Duals	Galesburg, Ill.	9 a.m.
Jan. 17	Central Inv.	Pella	9 a.m.
Jan. 20	St. Olaf (Minn.)	Northfield, Minn.	7 p.m.
Jan. 24	Iowa Conference Duals	Storm Lake	9 a.m.
Feb. 7	Wartburg	Waverly	7 p.m.
Feb. 11	Simpson	Indianola	7 p.m.
Feb. 17	Iowa Conference	Decorah	10 a.m.
March 6-7	NCAA Div. III	TBD	TBA

## 2007-08 RESULTS

### 2007-08 Central College wrestling results

#### 0-15-1 dual record

Date	Opponent	Location	Result
Nov. 9	Truman State (Mo.)	Kirksville, Mo.	L, 49-6
Nov. 14	Morningside York (Neb.)	Sioux City	L, 57-0 L, 36-24
Nov. 17	Augsburg (Minn.) Inv.	Minneapolis, Minn.	No team scores
Nov. 29	Coe	Cedar Rapids	L, 54-0
Dec. 1	Simpson Inv.	Indianola	16th of 16
Dec. 4	Augustana (Ill.)	Rock Island, Ill.	L, 36-10
Dec. 18	Apprentice (Va.) Grand Canyon (Ariz.) Elmhurst (Ill.)	Las Vegas, Nev. Las Vegas, Nev. Las Vegas, Nev.	L, 34-18 T, 30-30 L, 57-0
Jan. 4-5	Cornell Matman Inv.	Mount Vernon	13th of 13
Jan. 11	St. Olaf (Minn.)	Pella	L, 35-9
Jan. 12	Central Inv.	Pella	No team scores
Jan. 17	Wartburg	Pella	L, 44-6
Jan. 26	Iowa Conference Duals	Decorah	
	Buena Vista	Decorah	L, 59-0
	Cornell	Decorah	L, 51-3
	Luther	Decorah	L, 60-0
	Loras	Decorah	L, 52-0
Feb. 2	Briar Cliff Inv.	Sioux City	No team scores
Feb. 7	Dubuque	Dubuque	L, 55-0
Feb. 12	Simpson	Pella	L, 42-3

#### 2007-08 Iowa Conference dual records

	Conference		Overall		
	W	L	W	L	T
Wartburg	8	0	22	0	0
Coe	6	2	17	4	0
Buena Vista	6	2	11	7	0
Luther	5	3	13	6	0
Dubuque	5	3	11	8	0
Cornell	3	5	8	12	0
Loras	2	6	7	14	0
Simpson	1	7	4	10	0
<b>Central</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>