

# Metro Tournament Wrestling Results 2010

**Team Finish:**            **2nd place**            **190 points**

## **Individual Place Finishes:**

103	Jesse Childers	NP
112	Kyle Miller	3rd
119	Jake Miller	Champion
125	Kelson Owings	4th
130	Dakota Showalter	NP
135	Justin Fenton	2nd
140	Justin Fenton	6th
145	Tyler Harris	3rd
152	J.J. Zekpa	6th
160	Tyler Stender	Champion
171	Connor Barrientos	4th
189	Large King	2nd
215	Sheldon Garcia	3rd
285	Coleman Freeman	7th

Comments: For 9 years straight, the Patriots have finished in the top 2 at the Metro Tournament. This year, the team fell just short of winning a 7th straight championship by 12 points to champion, Creighton Prep. As is, the team battled hard during the two day tournament. 11 Patriots finished in the medals and 12 finished in the top 8. This was probably the deepest Metro Tournament in many years.

“If you placed this year, you really earned it. There were times in the past when just showing up would put you in the top 8. This tournament was a battle from start to finish,” said Coach Meeneely.

There were several highlights during the two-day tournament. Kyle Miller, wrestling in only his 2nd tournament of the year improved upon a 7th seed to claim 3rd place. Last week, Kelson Owings failed to place at Millard West, but rebounded this week to finish 4th. At 160, Tyler Stender defeated the defending state champion to claim the title. At 171 Connor Barrientos claimed 4th place after failing to place at MW a week ago.

“Overall, we wanted to win the Metro, but it didn’t happen. Our guys battled tough throughout the tournament. If we ever get to the point where we hit on all cylinders, I think this group could finish high at the state tournament. Right now we are just a little short of putting it all together,” said Coach Denson.