

## A-4 District Wrestling 2010

**Millard South**      1st Place      242 points

### Individual Places:

Jesse Childers	4th
Kyle Miller	2nd
Jake Miller	Champion
Jordan Theisen	2nd
Dakota Showalter	2nd
Justin Fenton	Champion
Derek Roach	2nd
Tyler Harris	Champion
J.J. Zekpa	Champion
Tyler Stender	3rd
Connor Barrientos	2nd
Large King	2nd
Sheldon Garcia	2nd
Freeman Coleman	3rd

### Comments:

The Patriot wrestling team won the A-4 district championship qualifying all 14 wrestlers for the state tournament in the process. The Patriots have now won 7 district championships in a row dating back to 2004. This is also the 5th time in school history that all 14 wrestlers qualified in one year.

“It is always extremely satisfying to win a district title, and taking the entire team to state is always an extra plus. Our guys worked extremely hard to prepare for districts. Any time you can qualify the entire team, it really bonds the team together in a unique way,” Said Coach Meneely.

“We really got on a roll early on in the day by getting 11 guys into the finals. I think we won the district in the semi’s. Getting the other three guys through on the consolation side really put the frosting on the cake. I think once we got all of our guys qualified, the team kind of relaxed maybe leading to a less than stellar medal round,” Said Coach Denson.

“I think the team really got rolling right out of the gate; Jesse Childers had a dramatic pin over an opponent who had beaten him several times during the year. The win just seemed to get the guys pumped up. At the end of the day, it was also dramatic as Freeman Coleman sealed the deal with a nice win in the consolation semi’s. It was a great moment to see the team congratulate Freeman as he made it 14 out of 14 going to state,” Said Coach Olson.

“Getting 20 pins on the day helped out a lot as well. That’s 40 extra bonus points which boosted the team score. This is something we always point toward,” said coach Valenti.