

Our Athletes

Southington Youth Wrestling

Berlin Blast Tourney

JAN 17—Southington captured eight first place finishes at the Berlin Blast Tournament.

Karter Henriksen won his mighty mite division. Andrew Kudla, Anthony Matarazzo, and Jackson Cardozo captured their classes in the bantam competition, while Tagan Welch, Jacob Cardozo, Paul Calo, and Zachary Chapman earned titles in the intermediate division.

Dawsen Welch, Connor Blanchette, Caleb Brick, Dylan Rodriguez, and Brett Langland finished third in the bantam weightclasses. Joshua Silva and Trevor Kowalczyk finished fourth.

Nick Morrell, Kenneth Henriksen, and Tyler Albert earned third place finishes in their intermediate divisions.

Ledyard Kids Tourney

JAN 31—Connor Blanchette, Jackson Cardozo, Andrew Kudla, and Anthony Matarazzo anchored the bantam weight wrestlers with tournament titles in their divisions.

Paul Calo and Ian Keroack captured titles to lead the intermediate wrestlers. Tagan Welch and Jacob Cardozo finished second overall, and Zachary Chapman finished third.

Bristol Beginners

JAN 31—Karter Henriksen led the mighty mites with a victory in his weightclass.

Dylan Rodriguez and Caleb Brick earned titles in the bantam division. Domenic Santarsiero, Dylan Olson, and Marco Spagnella finished second



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Making the deanery's list

Six athletes from St. Thomas School were named to the Central CT Deanery all-star basketball teams. The league consists of 13 teams from Southington, Meriden, New Britain, West Hartford, Newington and Wethersfield. The boys, from left, are Zach Black, Nick Szyszkowski, and Joey D'Agostino. The girls are Sarah DiBenedetto, Maisey Ayer, Laurel Dean. The all-star teams competed at St. Paul High School in Bristol in late January.

overall, while Jack Reilly finished fourth.

Vito Santarsiero and Jacob Flynn won their division to lead the intermediates. Kenneth Henriksen, Marcus Kabel, Tyler Albert, and Anthony Sagnella placed second. Avery Braga and Robert Aird finished fourth.

Austin Cambone captured the title in his novice class. Drew Barmore finished second overall.

Southington Travel Basketball

Grade 6 boys

Pete Hammick Tourney
The Southington sixth grade boys basketball team rallied to a pair of victories to make the finals of the Pete Hammick Tournament on Jan. 16 and 17 in South Windsor. Andrew Spitz and Nathan Blitz were each named to the all-tournament team. The team is 4-8 overall.

Southington 45, Vernon 28

FIRST ROUND—Devin Prive scored 10 points, and Dante Egidio added eight points in the first round win. Kevin Byrnes and Bryce

Lynch led the defense and contributed four points apiece.

Ellington 54, Southington 25

SECOND ROUND—

Andrew Rogalski scored five points and led the locals on the boards. Chris Borkowski scored three points, and Jordan Meier contributed on the floor.

Southington 33, South Windsor 30

SEMI FINALS—Nathan Blitz scored 20 points. Connor Crean collected four steals, and Southington withstood a late South Windsor rally.

Ellington 47, Southington 39

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME—Andrew Spitz scored 14 points. Mark Lindberg added five points and six rebounds. Southington closed within four points in the final minutes but lost the rematch.

Southington Youth Basketball

Boys varsity division

76ers 81, Wizards 50

JAN 25—76ers (4-2): Brian Thompson scored 26 points. Mike Canata and Matt Dube added 14 points apiece, and Matt Szajnor scored 10.

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Selected home offerings from:
Southington, Bristol, Plainville

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