

SIUE overpowers Davidson in wrestling dual 42-4

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EDWARDSVILLE – In a dual meet that featured four falls, SIUE wrestling dominated Davidson 42-4 at the Vadalabene Center.

[Jake McKiernan](#), [Freddie Rodriguez](#), [John Muldoon](#) and [Jake Residori](#) all recorded falls in Sunday's victory for the Cougars.

"It was a great turnaround from yesterday as far as being aggressive at the beginning of matches," said SIUE Head Coach [Jeremy Spates](#). "I'm really happy for our guys and our alumni."

After SIUE's [Jake Tindle](#) opened the dual with a 6-2 win over Davidson's Ryan Devlin at 197 pounds, SIUE recorded a pair of opening-minute falls from McKiernan and Rodriguez. McKiernan bested Will Cooley at heavyweight in 38 seconds. Rodriguez pinned Camden Bertucci in 59 seconds at 125 pounds.

Muldoon followed up with a 3:58 pin over Dustin Runzo at 133 pounds. Residori collected SIUE's third first-period pin later in the dual with a victory in 1:46 over Conor Fenn at 174 pounds.

"Big Jake (McKiernan) has been right there with a lot of good guys," said Spates. "He's so talented. He can go out and pin a lot of people. It was good to see him get back to his offense."

The Cougars recorded nine straight victories in the dual, running its overall record to 2-9 and 2-2 in the Southern Conference. Davidson dropped to 3-9 overall and 0-2 in the SoCon.

Spates said he won't change much at practice as the team closes out the home schedule next weekend against Garner-Webb and South Dakota State next weekend.

"We're going to continue to try to make it fun and fix a few of the things that hurt us last night," said Spates.

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- 197 [Jake Tindle](#) (SIUE) over Ryan Devlin (Davidson) (Dec 6-2)
- 285 [Jake McKiernan](#) (SIUE) over Will Cooley (Davidson) (Fall 0:38)
- 125 [Freddie Rodriguez](#) (SIUE) over Camden Bertucci (Davidson) (Fall 0:59)
- 133 [John Muldoon](#) (SIUE) over Dustin Runzo (Davidson) (Fall 3:58)
- 141 [Trevor Feagans](#) (SIUE) over Hunter Costa (Davidson) (Dec 9-2)
- 149 [John Fahy](#) (SIUE) over Aidan Conroy (Davidson) (TF 15-0 5:16)
- 157 [Karsten Van Velsor](#) (SIUE) over Tony Palumbo (Davidson) (Dec 7-4)
- 165 [Clayton Bass](#) (SIUE) over Noah Satterfield (Davidson) (MD 14-0)
- 174 [Jake Residori](#) (SIUE) over Conor Fenn (Davidson) (Fall 1:46)
- 184 Konner Pritchard (Davidson) over [Jacob Godinez](#) (SIUE) (MD 14-2)