



**Mavericks Battle #5 Ranked Adams State
(Cole Johnson, Brandon Mohr Victorious)**

Mesa State hosted #5-ranked Adams State Saturday night at Brownson Arena falling to the Grizzlies 39-15, in front of a number of former Mav wrestlers on Alumni night.

Adams State started the evening with wins at 125 and 141 pounds. MSC's **Jason Blasdel** (125#) was pinned by Arsenia Barksdale. The Mavs **Keith Johnson** (141#) and **Taylor Torisk** (157#) lost in a technical falls.

MSC and Adams had a double forfeit at 133 pounds and ASC won by forfeit at 149 pounds.

Cole Johnson won at 165 pounds winning a 6-5 decision over ASC's Mike Gallegos. **Johnson** fell behind 0-1 then took a 5-1 lead and held off Gallegos for the victory.

Tyrel Stout faced #3 ranked Evan Copeland at 174 pounds and after nearly pinning the Grizzly, fell to Copeland 13-11. **Stout** trailed at one point 10-4.

ASC's Jarod Deaguero, #1-ranked wrestler in his weight class won by technical fall over MSC's **Andrew Laiminger**.

Brandon Mohr recorded the Mavs only fall of the night at 197 pounds, pinning the Grizzlies Collin Backlund in 2:59.

In the final match of the evening in the heavyweight division, MSC's **Brandon Alexander** lost a close decision to Jeff Schossow, falling 3-0.

Final Results

**Adams State 39 (8-1, 6-0 RMAC) Mesa State 15 (1-15, 0-7 RMAC)
Saturday, February 2, 2008 - Grand Junction, CO – Brownson Arena**

<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Result</u>	<u>ASC</u>	<u>MSC</u>
125	Arsenia Barksdale (ASC) – Fall - Jason Blasdel (MSC) (3:23)	6	0
133	Open - Double Forfeit	12	6
141	Josh Hensley (ASC) Tech. Fall Keith Johnson (MSC), 17-1 (3:18)	17	6
149	Joey Deaguero (ASC) – Open (MSC) – Forfeit	23	6
157	Noomis Jones (ASC) Tech. Fall Taylor Torisk (MSC), 18-3	28	6
165	Cole Johnson (MSC) dec. Mike Gallegos (ASC), 6-5	28	9
174	Evan Copeland (ASC) dec. Tyrel Stout (MSC), 13-11	31	9
184	Jarod Deaguero (ASC) Tech. Fall Andrew Laiminger (MSC), 16-0 (6:35)	36	9
197	Brandon Mohr (MSC) Fall Collin Backlund (ASC), (2:59)	36	15
HWT	Jeff Schossow (ASC) dec. Brandon Alexander (MSC), 3-0	39	15

Dual Statistics:

	<u>Adams State:</u>	<u>Mesa State:</u>
Matches Won-----	7	2
Falls-----	1	1
Forfeits-----	2	1
Technical Falls-----	3	0

Major Decisions-----	0	0
Decisions-----	2	1
Total Points-----	39	15
Takedowns-----	20	4
Escapes-----	12	11
Near Falls-----	9	4
Reversals-----	3	0
Riding Points-----	1	0
Penalty Points-----	0	0

Attendance: 327

Alumni Night