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LAS VEGAS - Four Valley Regional Training Center athletes and nine Bulldog wrestlers competed at the 2019 Marine Corps U.S. Open in Las Vegas this weekend hosted in Las Vegas at the South Point Arena.

Fresno State Wrestling assistant coach and Valley RTC athlete [Jason Chamberlain](#), the 2018 U.S. Open champion at 70 kg./154.3 lbs., was the 'Dogs highest finisher in the field placing seventh with a 3-2 mark in the tournament. Entering as the No. 2 seed in the field, Chamberlain picked up a pair of technical fall wins in the first two rounds before falling to No. 10 seed Ryan Deakin in the quarterfinals, 12-3.

After narrowly defeating Kevin Jack, 2-1 in the consolation bracket, Chamberlain fell to No. 3 seed Brandon Sorensen of the Hawkeye Wrestling Club to place seventh.

Three other Valley RTC members appeared in the tournament with Joey Lavallee (74 kg.) and Nikko Reyes (92 kg.) each winning twice and Blaize Cabell (97 kg.) notching one win.

Nine current Bulldog student-athletes also competed in the event with four 'Dogs competing in the senior men's freestyle field and five competing in the UWW Junior Freestyle field with redshirt freshman [Lawrence Saenz](#) (65 kg.) recording five wins and November signee Jace Luchau (70 kg.) picking up four wins.

Valley RTC Senior Men's Freestyle Wrestlers

70 kg. - No. 2 seed [Jason Chamberlain](#) (3-2 in tournament; 7th place)

Round of 32: Chamberlain tech. fall Vincent Washington (Wrestle PDX), 10-0 (0:28)

Round of 16: Chamberlain tech. fall Mike Dangelo (NJRTC), 13-2 (1:55)

Quarterfinals: No. 10 seed Ryan Deakin (Titan Mercury WC) dec.

Chamberlain, 12-3

Con. Rd. of 8 #2: Chamberlain dec. Kevin Jack (Titan Mercury WC/Wolfpack WC), 2-1

Con. Rd. of 4: No. 3 seed Brandon Sorensen (Titan Mercury WC/Hawkeye WC) dec. Chamberlain, 3-0

74 kg. - No. 9 seed [Joey Lavallee](#) (2-2 in tournament)

Round of 32: Lavallee tech. fall Austin Farbaugh (Army/WCAP), 10-0 (0:30)

Round of 16: Lavallee dec. No. 8 seed Jared Frayer (Titan Mercury WC/SERTC)

Quarterfinals: No. 1 seed Isaiah Martinez (Titan Mercury WC/IRTC) tech. fall Lavallee, 13-2 (3:37)

Con. Rd. of 8: No. 5 seed Dan Vallimont (NYAC) dec. Lavallee, 4-3

92 kg. - No. 9 seed [Nikko Reyes](#) (2-2 in tournament)

Round of 32: Reyes dec. Nicholas Nottingham (Unattached)

Round of 16: No. 8 seed Riley Lefever (Nittany Lion WC) tech. fall Reyes, 10-0 (2:21)

Con. Rd. of 16 #2: Reyes dec. Trenton Allen (Compound Wrestling-Great Lakes), 10-9

Con. Rd. of 8 #1: Joshua Manu (Navy-Marine Corps RTC) dec. Reyes, 2-0

97 kg. - No. 4 seed [Blaize Cabell](#) (1-2 in tournament)

Round of 16: Michael Boykin (TMWC/Wolfpack WC) tech. fall Cabell, 11-0 (5:12)

Con. Rd. of 16 #2: Cabell tech. fall Brett Hochstaetter (Team Relentless), 10-0 (0:22)

Con. Rd. of 8 #1: Diante Cooper (Air Force) dec. Cabell, 12-6

Fresno State Wrestlers

57 kg. - [Robert Garcia IV](#) (1-2 in tournament)

Round of 32: Garcia IV tech. fall Justin Portillo (Viking WC), 14-4 (4:09)

Round of 16: No. 3 seed Zach Sanders (Minnesota Storm) tech. fall Garcia IV, 12-2 (3:32)
Con. Rd. of 16 #2: Bernardino Gomez (Blue Chip WC) dec. Garcia

65 kg. - Chris Deloza (0-2 in tournament)

Round of 32: No. 3 seed Joey McKenna (Titan Mercury WC/Ohio RTC) tech. fall Deloza, 10-0 (0:41)
Con. Rd. of 32 #2: Joshua Dziewa (Pennsylvania RTC) tech. fall Deloza, 15-4 (2:31)

70 kg. - Jacob Wright (0-2 in tournament)

Round of 32: Jeren Glosser (Iowa) dec. Wright, 9-0
Con. Rd. of 32 #2: Jake Keating (Cavalier WC) tech. fall Wright, 15-2 (3:11)

125 kg. - AJ Nevills (2-2 in tournament)

Round of 32: Nevills dec. Kyle La Fritz (OMWC), 8-0
Round of 16: No. 6 seed Youssif Hemida (Terripan WC) tech. fall Nevills, 12-1 (4:42)
Con. Rd. of 16 #2: Nevills dec. Zach Schrader (CBU), 12-5
Con. Rd. of 8 #1: No. 8 seed Garrett Ryan (Sunkist Kids WC) dec. Nevills, 6-0

UWW Junior Freestyle Wrestlers

61 kg. - Jeremy Trinh (2-2 in tournament)

Round of 64: Trinh tech. fall Sam Sallet (West Point RTC)
Round of 32: Phillip Moomey (Nebraska Golden Eagles WC) dec. Trinh, 9-2
Con. Rd. of 32 #2: Trinh tech. fall Anthony Sciotto (Naval Academy Prep School), 10-0 (1:38)
Con. Rd. of 16 #1: Mike Madera (Blairstown WC) tech. fall Trinh, 10-0 (1:13)

65 kg. - Lawrence Saenz (5-2 in tournament)

Round of 64: Saenz tech. fall Connor Ward (Unattached), 15-4 (5:30)
Round of 32: Alec White (Boilermaker RTC) dec. Saenz, 9-2
Con. Rd. of 32 #2: Saenz tech. fall Adam Davis (Navy-Marine Corps RTC), 10-0 (1:19)
Con. Rd. of 16 #1: Saenz dec. Christian Miller (Nebraska), 12-6
Con. Rd. of 16 #2: Saenz tech. fall Nick James (Nebraska Golden WC), 12-0 (1:39)
Con. Rd. of 8 #1: Saenz dec. Jeremy Schoenherr (Wisconsin), 15-12
Con. Rd. of 8 #2: Keegan O'Toole (Askren WC) tech. fall Saenz, 10-0 (2:44)

70 kg. - Jace Luchau (Nov. signee) (4-2 in tournament)

Round of 64: Luchau tech. fall Dyllan Fuchs (Team Nevada), 11-1 (2:58)
Round of 32: Luchau tech. fall Justin McCoy (Cavalier WC), 10-0 (3:43)
Round of 16: No. 1 seed Sam Sasso (Ohio State-Unattached) dec. Luchau, 8-1
Con. Rd. of 16 #2: Luchau tech. fall Paul Feite (Nittany Lion WC), 14-4 (4:11)
Con. Rd. of 8 #1: Luchau tech. fall Jake Benner (NJRTC), 14-4 (5:11)
Con. Rd. of 8 #2: No. 7 seed Kendall Coleman (Boilermaker RTC), 7-6

74 kg. - Adam Kemp (2-2 in tournament)

Round of 64: Gerrit Nijenhuis (Young Guns) dec. Kemp, 5-0
Con. Rd. of 32 #1: Kemp tech. fall Austin Brenner (Bison WC), 14-2 (3:35)
Con. Rd. of 32 #2: Kemp dec. Kolby Ho (Patriot Elite WC)
Con. Rd. of 16 #1: Colt Yinger (Ohio Bobcat WC) dec. Kemp, 5-2

79 kg. - Jackson Hemauer (1-2 in tournament)

Round of 64: Hemauer tech. fall Cash Jones (Unattached), 12-2 (2:28)
Round of 32: Leonardo Tarantino (Harvard) dec. Hemauer, 4-2
Con. Rd. of 16 #1: No. 8 seed Jake Hendricks (Pennsylvania RTC) tech. fall Hemauer, 10-0 (5:31)

92 kg. - Isaiah Perez (0-2 in tournament)

Round of 32: Brad Wilton (Michigan State) dec. Perez, 5-3
Con. Rd. of 16 #2: Mark Chaid (Tar Heel WC) dec. Perez, 11-9

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