

# 2022/2023 All-Area Girls Wrestling Team



## Sophia Shultz

Raymond Central  
Jr., 115 pounds  
2022/2023 Record: 44-4  
In her first year in girls wrestling, Shultz reached the finals at 115 pounds at the state tournament in Omaha.

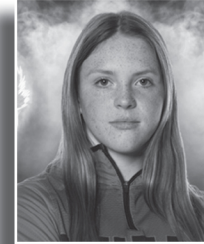
A year after qualifying for the boys state tournament, Sophia Shultz of Raymond Central returned to state this season in the girls tournament at 115 pounds. She battled her way to the finals with two pins in 0:36 and 0:34 and knocked off Moragan Maschmann of Beatrice with a 10-5 decision. In the finals, Shultz came up just short of taking home the gold after getting pinned by Kylee Plowman of Conestoga in 1:02. On top of placing second at the state meet, Shultz picked up the 100th win of her career this season. She looks to chase a gold medal in her senior year.



## Aubrie Pehrson

Yutan  
Soph., 120 pounds  
2022/2023 Record: 52-1  
Earned her second straight state championship and still hasn't lost a match in the state of Nebraska.

Through two high school wrestling seasons, there has yet to be a girl to beat Aubrie Pehrson of Yutan on the wrestling mat in the state of Nebraska. The sophomore has only lost one match this season that was at an out-of-state meet. Three of her wins at the state meet came by pin in 1:04, 5:34 and then 3:24. She followed that up with a 13-2 major decision against Corah Linnaus of Stanton in the title match at 120 pounds. At the USA Wrestling Girls Folkstyle National Tournament representing Team Nebraska, she came in fourth place overall in her weight class.



## Alexis Pehrson

Yutan  
Soph., 125 pounds  
2022/2023 Record: 42-2  
Picked up her second straight state title at the Nebraska state tournament in February. Was seventh at Folkstyle Nationals.

For the second straight year, Alexis Pehrson of Yutan climbed the top of the mountain at the state wrestling meet and came home with a gold medal. The sophomore pinned her way to the finals where she eventually met up with Ambie Custard of McCook. In a back-and-forth match, Pehrson held on for a 5-4 decision. The gold medals picked up by Alexis and her twin sister Aubrie and a fifth place finish from Jordyn Campbell helped the Chieftains get third place in the girls team standing with 74 points. At the Folkstyle National Tournament in March she came in seventh.



## Kaylee Ricketts

Wahoo  
Sr., 170 pounds  
2022/2023 Record: 52-0  
Capped off a tremendous high school career with her second straight undefeated season and third state title.

Kaylee Ricketts of Wahoo capped off a tremendous high school career with her second straight undefeated season and second NSAA state title. This was actually her third overall state championship, with one coming as a sophomore when the sport still wasn't sanctioned by the NSAA. In just two short seasons as a sanctioned sport, she compiled an astonishing record of 101-0. At the state tournament, the senior picked up two pins in 5:11 and 0:52. In the semifinals, she earned a major decision and then pinned Annabelle Poppe of Crofton-Bloomfield in 2:39 in the finals.

## Second Team Members:

Grace Darling, Sr., Wahoo  
Megan Robinson, Sr., Wahoo  
Jessi Hasenkamp, Soph., Wahoo  
Lanta Hitz, Jr., Wahoo



## Jordyn Campbell

Yutan  
Fr., 130 pounds  
2022/2023 Record: 48-7  
Freshman battled to a fifth place finish at 130 pounds in her first state tournament.

Fresh off a state championship in softball, Jordyn Campbell made an impact on the wrestling mat this year as well. The freshman took home fifth place at 130 pounds at the state tournament. After winning her first match by pin, she lost her next match by pin against Kehlanee Bengston of Aurora. Following that defeat, she picked up three pins. Her last one in the fifth place match came in 2:44 against Millie Jensen of Millard South. She will be a key returning piece along with Aubrie and Alexis Pehrson to a growing Yutan girls wrestling program.