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After the first day of wrestling, Missouri Valley College is in 3rd place with 32 points. The Vikings took several hits in the first round and has five wrestlers in the Championship round. Notre Dame of Ohio is currently leading the tournament with 44 points followed by Southern Oregon University with 38 points.

[First Round Completed at NAIA National Tournament in Oklahoma City, OK](#)

[Missouri Valley College Results](#)

[First Round Results](#)

[125 lb. Weight Class](#)

MVC Paulie Hansen(So., Turner, KS) **lost by decision** over Zach Meury of Missouri Baptist University 10-2.

[133 lb. Weight Class](#)

MVC Colin Pierce (So., Kearney, Mo.) **lost by decision** over Ty Costa of Dana College 3-2.

[141 lb. Weight Class](#)

MVC Eric Graham (Sr., Platte City, Mo.) **won by decision** over Jason Costello of University of Great Falls 5-1.

[149 lb. Weight Class](#)

MVC Brian Graham (Sr., Platte City, Mo.) **lost by decision** over Sam Schmitz of Lindenwood University 7-3.

[157 lb. Weight Class](#)

MVC Joe Cornejo (Sr., Haysville, Kansas) **pinned** Brandon Roehrich of Jamestown College F 2:46.

[165 lb. Weight Class](#)

MVC D.W. Bradshaw (Jr., Marshall, Mo.) **lost by decision** over Lamar Reed of California Baptist University 5-2.

[174 lb. Weight Class](#)

MVC Jacob Guemsey (So., Springfield, Mo.) **lost by decision** over Cody Butzer of Notre Dame College 8-4.

MVC Alex McKinney (Jr., Marshall, Mo.) **lost by a pin** by Josh Bryant of McKendree University F 1:01.

[197 lb. Weight Class](#)

MVC Charlie Gibbs (Jr., Moberly, Mo.) **won by decision** over Jon Wilbourne of Dana College 12-6.

184 lb. Weight Class

MVC Jesse Alter (So., Kirksville, Mo.) **won by decision** over Brian Block of Morningside College 7-5.

MVC Chad Williams (Sr., St. Louis, Mo.) **pinned** Casey Finnicum of University of Sioux Falls F 4:04.

Two sessions will take place on Friday, starting with a 10 a.m. round of championship quarterfinals along with preliminary, first, second and third round matches of consolation action. The third session, starting at 6 p.m. Friday, will feature championship semifinal matches and two rounds of consolation wrestling. Medal matches will get underway at 10 a.m. Saturday, followed by the championship finals starting at 6:30 p.m.