

With his victory over Jesse Hasseman of Franklin Community High School, Blake joins Estil Ritter of Bloomington High School (1924-27), Willard Duffy of Muncie Central (1930-33), Howard Fisher of South Bend Central (1949-52), Lance Ellis of Indianapolis Cathedral (1986-89) and Alex Tsirtsis of Griffith High School (2001-04) as the state's only four-time IHSAA state champions.

He owns a four-year school record of 183-2, including a mark of 45-0 during the 2003-04 season. He was 45-0 as a freshman; 47-1 as a sophomore; and 46-1 as a junior.

Blake has also helped his school to nine consecutive state titles in IHSAA Team Wrestling and will look continue that string during the team state finals next Saturday.

Athletically, Blake was a four-year member of the Wildcats football team. He was team captain and a finalist for Mr. Football as a senior.

Academically, Blake has compiled a 3.4 GPA. He will graduate with an academic honors diploma and will attend Ohio State University on a four-year scholarship, majoring in Business and Marketing, with career interests in math, education and coaching.

This school year, Blake was selected to participate in the Indiana Tobacco Prevention and Cessation program, in partnership with the IHSAA. As a member of the panel, he was able to extend his influence beyond the Mater Dei feeder schools and help create an exhibit which traveled to middle schools throughout the state.

Blake is the son of Amy and Kelly Maurer of Evansville.

Farm Bureau Insurance, the IHSAA corporate sponsor, presented a \$1,000.00 scholarship to Evansville Mater Dei High School in the name of Blake Maurer.

New IHSAA Book, *Play On*, Recaps 100 Years Of High School Sports in Indiana

The exciting new book, [Play On](#), celebrating 100 years of high school sports in Indiana, is perfect for that sports fan or the history buff you know. Filled with 150 pages of engaging photographs, captivating stories and a walk down memory lane, it's now on sale through the Indiana High School Athletic Association. It's not available in book stores, so contact the IHSAA at 317-846-6601 or click on the link above to learn more about this special tribute to 100 years of Indiana high school athletics.

Team Posters And Individual Action Photographs Available

Visit [20-20 Photographic](#), the IHSAA's photographer and the Midwest's Leader in Sports Action Photography, for images captured during Saturday's state championship matches and consolation finals! Action photos, individual medalist photos as well as 20-20's Ultimate Sports Poster will be available for purchase later in the week following the state finals.

IHSAA State Championship Merchandise

For t-shirts and other merchandise commemorating this year's tournament or for any of our events, visit our friends at [Morris, Inc.](#)

State Finals Programs Available

Couldn't be there for the state championships? To commemorate the event, you can still purchase a copy of the official state finals program while supplies last! Programs are \$3.00 if you purchase in person at the IHSAA Office (9150 N. Meridian Street in Indianapolis) or \$5.00 by mail (postage included). To order, send a check for \$5.00 made payable to the IHSAA, a note including your return address and brief description of your request and mail to: IHSAA Programs, PO Box 40650, Indianapolis, IN 46240-0650. Sorry, no credit cards.