

Orland wrestling squad young but experienced

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Orland wrestling coach Victor Perry will be the first to tell you that he has a young team, but he will also be quick to remind you that "young" does not always equal inexperienced.

Perry has 20 freshmen wrestlers on the squad this season, but says only a few have never wrestled before. He also has a strong core group of returners to help bring the younger wrestlers along.

The team is led by senior Craig Simmons, a two-time Masters place winner who is a four-year starter and hungry for his first section championship. Nathen Monck is also a returning Masters place winner, placing fifth last year as a freshman.

Returning along with Simmons and Monck are Keith Bruce, Jordan Garcia, Steven Garmen, Dustin Olson, and Anthony Ramirez, with newcomers Hermilio Esquivel, Justin Hill, Bret Schumann and Christian Wathen expected to make their presence known.

Rounding out the Trojans roster are: Vincent Allen, Chris Anderson, Diego Abad, Jeremiah Boynton, Daniel Carraza, Vidal Chavez, Beau Chandler, Marcos Cisneros, Riley Dingus, Chris Deatherage, Alex Domingo, Jake Funk, Jimmy Gamboa, Tyler Gil, Dakota Gomes, Chris Griffith, Ricky Greenwade, Luis Hernandez, Justin Hendry, Fernando Infante, Tim Kirkpatrick, Juan Lopez, Anthony Mancinelli, David Phanthavady, Gabe Perez, Tom Pedrozo, Blas Pio, Ashley Schumann, Dillon Stephens, and Tony Whipple.