



2025 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and National Electrical Contractors Association State Powerlifting Championships



Estancia Takes Home A-3A Girls Powerlifting Title

Estancia High School took home their first ever state powerlifting title at the 2025 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and National Electrical Contractors Association State Powerlifting Championships. The Bears finished first in Class A-3A with 26 points. West Las Vegas was second with 25 points and Legacy Academy was third with 20. Individually, Estancia's Karina Villafuerte helped her team winning the 114 pound class with 500 pounds of weight. Her teammate Lucia Lovato Chavez also finished first in the 132 pound weight class with a 595 pound total.



Lovington Girls Win Fourth Straight in Powerlifting

For the 4th year in a row, Lovington High School lifted the blue trophy and took home the Class 4A state powerlifting title at the 2025 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and National Electrical Contractors Association State Powerlifting Championships. The Wildcats finished first with 37 points. Portales was second with 36 points and Grants was third with 21. Lovington had four individual champs including Constance Martinez (97 pound weight class), Emily Andujo (198 Class), Avery Aranda (181 Class), and Camila Paisan (220 Class).



Alamogordo on Top on 5A Girls Powerlifting

For the first time ever, Alamogordo High School won the Class 5A state powerlifting title at the 2025 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and National Electrical Contractors Association State Powerlifting Championships. The Tigers finished first with 31 points. Volcano Vista was second with 27 points and Carlsbad was third with 21 points. Alamogordo's Alejandra Amaya won the 165 pound weight class with a total weight of 740 pounds.



Legacy Academy Repeats at A-3A Powerlifting Boys Champs

Legacy Academy won back-to-back blue trophies after winning the Class A-3A state powerlifting title at the 2025 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and National Electrical Contractors Association State Powerlifting Championships. The Silverbacks finished first with 21 points. New Mexico Military Institute was second with 19 points and West Las Vegas was third with 17. Individually, Legacy Academy's Xander Chavez won the 148 pound weight class with a total of 1030 pounds.



Portales Captures First Boys Powerlifting Crown

Portales High School claimed their first ever Class 4A state powerlifting title at the 2025 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and National Electrical Contractors Association State Powerlifting Championships. The Rams finished first with 35 points. Lovington was second with 34 points and Deming was third with 27. It was an emotional victory for the Rams. Portales won the title less than a week after one of their student-athletes, Xavier Lujan, was killed in a car accident. "It's going to give us hope that good things happen for good people in hard times," said

head coach Nathan Chavez. Individually, Tommy Lopez of Portales helped the Rams win by taking first in the 148 pound weight class with a total of 975 pounds. His teammate, RJ Evans also won the super heavyweight class with a total of 1280 pounds.



Sandia Lifts Blue Trophy in 5A Boys Powerlifting

Sandia High School won their first ever Class 5A state powerlifting title at the 2025 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and National Electrical Contractors Association State Powerlifting Championships. The Matadors finished first with 41 points. Carlsbad was second with 38 points and Roswell was third with 30. Sandia had four individual state champs including Spencer Hansen-Munro (132 pound weight class), Devin Weitz (148 Class), Gianni Black (165 Class), and Ethan Montoya (198 Class). Eldorado's Kevin Cuomo impressed everyone in attendance with a total of 1600 pounds, winning the 220 weight class by more than 300 pounds.

