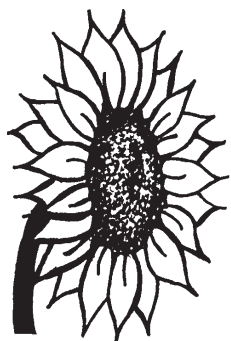


At the Game



Sainty Indians compete well

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On Friday, the high school track team traveled to Quinter and competed with 13 other teams in the boys division and 12 other squads in the girls division.

"The kids that were there competed well," Coach Devin Dinkel said. "We were short-handed due to team members attending the State Journalism Contest."

The lack of numbers was especially event in the girls division where St. Francis collected two points on a fifth place finish by Kaitlin Figgins. This put the team in 13th position.

Hill City, Quinter and Tribune/Greeley County were the top three teams.

The Indian boys came home with a third place finish. Quinter collected 86 points, Hill City 79 and the Indians 66.

Six Indian boys, Matt Raile, Drew Zweggardt, Garrett Figgins, Cody Sherlock, Isaac Schiltz and Darris Keller, worked to put the boys in third place, as they accumulated the entire 66 points.

St. Francis had three individual first place finishes with M. Raile taking the 100-meter dash; Figgins, the 300-meter hurdles and Schiltz, the pole vault. They also had one relay team finish first, the 4x100-meter team composed of Sherlock, Figgins, Zweggardt and Raile).

The month of May has ar-

rived and it is time for the tracksters to hone their skills. Important meets like league, regionals and state are just around the corner.

Boys

Team standings: Quinter 86, Hill City 79, St. Francis 66, Tribune/Greeley County 59, Grainfield/Wheatland 57, Northern Valley 47, Hoxie 36, Weskan 34, Ellis 28, Rexford/Golden Plains 24, Brewster 15, Ransom/Western Plains 14, Winona/Triplains 10, Healy 2.

100-meter dash: (1) Matt Raile, 11.34.

200-meter dash: (4) Drew Zweggardt, 24.47.

110-meter hurdles: (2) Garrett Figgins, 15.81.

300-meter hurdles: (1) Figgins, 43.65.

4x100-meter relay: (1) St. Francis (Cody Sherlock, Figgins, D. Zweggardt, M. Raile), 45.49.

High jump: (4) Isaac Schiltz, 5-10.0.

Pole vault: (1) Schiltz, 12-00.0; (4) Darris Keller, 9-00.0.

Shot put: (3) M. Raile, 43-00.5.

Girls

Team standings: Hill City 87, Quinter 84, Tribune/Greeley County 82, Hoxie 74, Ellis 65, Northern Valley 47, Grainfield/Wheatland 37, Weskan 34, Rexford/Golden Plains 14, Brewster 11, Ransom/Western Plains 11, Winona/Triplains 9, St. Francis 2.

Discus: (5) Figgins, 85-01.75.



SAINTY TRACKSTER Garrett Figgins won the 300-meter hurdles at Quinter on Friday with a time of 43.65.

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The golf tournament season opened at Riverside Recreation on Sunday with a Three-Man Scramble. Seventeen teams were involved in the action.

The team of Taylor, Kriss and Lucas posted the lowest score with a 24 and 26 for a total of 50. They were positioned alone in the championship flight.

Winning the first flight were Glad, Hoxie and Schweizer.

In the second flight Confer, Haislip and Johnson won with a 63.

The winners are as follows:

Champions: Taylor, Kriss, Lucas.

First flight: (1) Glad, Hoxie, Schweizer, 58; (tie for second and third) Lauer, Lauer, Crabtree, 59; Harper, Focke, Stanley, 59; Vollertsen, Ahlberg, Garrett, 59.

Second flight: (1) Confer, Haislip, Johnson, 63; (2) Lampe, Lampe, Zweggardt, 65; (3 tie) Petersen, Crabtree, Ross, 67; Stanley, Stanley, Hun, 67.

Pin prizes include:

Long putt, number one: Derrick Tice, 14-11.

Closest to the pine, number two: Greg Lauer, 10-0.

Long putt, number three: Tyler Lampe, 36 inches.

Closest to the pin, number four: Bryan Schweizer, 9-10.

Long putt, number five: Gerald Lauer, 24-11.

Long putt, number six: Scott Focke, 34-4.

Closest to the pin, number seven: Joe Stanley, 7-5.

Long putt, number eight: Melvin Confer, 15-8.

Closest to the pin, second shot, number nine: Kent Vollertsen, 10-5.

St. Francis Invitational successful again this year

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Thirteen track squads were on hand April 27 to compete at the St. Francis Community High School Invitational track meet.

The final results show Burlington winning the boys division with a score of 96 points. St. Francis came in second with 86 points just five points over Oakley which placed third.

"We performed well," Coach Devin Dinkel said. "We had several personal bests in the field events including Matt Raile setting a new meet record in the long jump with 21-11.5."

M Raile finished first in the 100-meter dash with a time of 11.88 along with his first place finish in the long jump; Garrett Figgins finished first in the 110-meter hurdles with a time of 16.47 and Isaac Schiltz finished first in the high jump at 5-10.0.

The Lady Indians collected 23 points for ninth place. Oakley came in first with 103 points, followed by Decatur Community with 101.5 and Wray with 91.

Mikaela Grace was the top finisher for the girls team with a second place finish in the 100-meter hurdles. Her time was 18.51.

This was the 43rd time St. Francis had held the high school invitational and many of the St. Francis tracksters enjoy the home event as it provides a good opportunity for local residents to see them in competition.

Boys

Team standings: Burlington 96, St. Francis 86, Oakley 81, Wray 75, Tribune/Greeley County 74, Decatur Community 39.75, Hoxie 31, Rawlins County 29.5, Brewster 14, Sharon Springs/Wallace County 13, Winona/Triplains 9.74, Weskan 6, Cheylin 3.

100-meter dash: (1) Matt Raile, 11.88.

200-meter dash: (2) M. Raile, 23.90.

1600-meter run: (5) Marvin Miller, 5:17.25.

110-meter hurdles: (1) Garrett Figgins, 16.47.

4x100-meter relay: (3) St. Fran-



ISAAC SCHILTZ earns team points for the Indians by placing high in two events, the high jump and the pole vault.

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cis (Ty Zweggardt, Figgins, Drew Zweggardt, M. Raile), 45.87.

High jump: (1) Isaac Schiltz, 5-10.0.

Pole vault: (3) Schiltz, 12-00.0; (4) Cody Killingsworth, 10-00.0; Darris Keller, 9-06.00.

Long jump: (1) M. Raile, 21-11.5.

Discus: (4) Adam Guthmiller, 124-04.

Javelin: (3) Alex Long, 144-08.

Girls

Team standings: Oakley 103, Decatur Community 101.5, Wray 91, Tribune/Greeley County 63.5, Hoxie 57, Rawlins County

27, Burlington 26, Weskan 24.5, St. Francis 23, Sharon Springs/Wallace County 21, Cheylin 10, Brewster 5, Winona/Triplains 1.5.

100-meter hurdles: (2) Mikaela Grace, 18.51.

300-meter hurdles: (3) Grace, 51.84.

4x100-meter relay: (6) St. Francis (Aly Marin, Shayla Hilt, Kaitlin Figgins, Grace), 4:52.01.

4x800-meter relay: (6) St. Francis (Marin, Ally Northrup, Jacquelyn Ketzner, Hilt), 12:28.34.

Discus: (3) Figgins, 96-3; (6) Sarah Trembly, 92-09.

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