

# Boys take second

## Oberlin set to send eight to state



**IN THE MIDDLE LANE** with strong competition, Oberlin's Jacob Fortin (above) came in third in the 100-meter run during the Class 2A Regional Track Meet in Meade on Friday. Running his leg of the 4x800-meter relay, Nolan Peters (below) was watched by teammates Andrew Richards and Everett Urban (just to the right of Peters) and Dalton Jones (at the right edge of the photo). Oberlin took second in the race. — Herald photos by Patti Richards

The Decatur Community High boys took second placed at the Class 2A Regional Track Meet in Meade on Friday and qualified eight individuals and a relay team to compete at state this weekend.

While Oberlin had only one winner in the meet, the Red Devils will send seven athletes to the state competition.

Nolan Peters was out ahead of everyone else when he crossed the finish line in the 3,200-meter run in 10 minutes, 31.7 seconds for first place.

The Oberlin boys also had three seconds, a third and five fourth place winners. Four Oberlin athletes will participate in two events at state and one. Andrew Richards, will be in three.

Sublette won the regional meet with 108 points, followed by Oberlin, 64; St. Francis, 59; Stanton County, 57; Hill City, 56; Meade, 45; Rawlins County, 44.5; Syracuse, 36; Wichita County, 23; Oakley, 20; Ellis, 18; Spearville, 15; Kinsley, 7; Satanta, 3; Elkhart, 1.5; and Trego Community, 1.

The 4x800-meter relay team of Dalton Jones, Everett Urban, Peters and Richards qualified for state by running the course in 8 minutes, 41.44 seconds for second place.

Individual qualifiers headed for state are:

- Sam Stapp, shot put, 44 feet, 6 inches, fourth.
- Logan Fortin, javelin, 166-11, second, pole vault, 12, fourth.
- Jacob Fortin, 100-meter dash, 10.93, third, and 400-meter dash, 51.03, second.
- Jones, 800-meter run, 2:06.44, fourth.
- Richards, 1,600-meter run, 4:58.01, and 3,200-meter run, 10:40.44, both fourth.
- Peters, 3,200-meter run, 10:31.70, first.

The boys will be competing in the state meet at Cessna Stadium at Wichita State University on Friday and Saturday. On Friday, the shot put starts at 8 a.m., the 3,200-meter run at 8:35 a.m., or following the girls 3,200-meter run, and the 400-meter dash starts at 10:40 a.m.

Then on Saturday, the 100-meter dash begins boys preliminaries at 9 a.m., and the 4x800-meter boys relay is set to start at 10:10 a.m. The javelin toss will be at 3 p.m., 400-meter dash finals at 3:25 p.m. and the 800-meter run at 4:20 p.m.

For information and a full schedule of events, go to [www.kshsaa.org](http://www.kshsaa.org).



# Golfers battle weather

Thirty-two golfers battled high winds and heat at Oberlin Country Club Men's Night last Tuesday.

The winning team of John Nelson, Gary Alstrom, Bill Goscha and Herb Shirley shot a five-under-par 31.

Tying for second place with 32s were the team of Dwayne Jones, Rick Doeden, John Stanley and Doug Fair and the team of Vince Carswell, Kenny Black, Preston Pratt and Dick Ahlberg.

Scott Carlton cooked chili burgers for the team last week.

Men's night starts at 6 p.m. every Tuesday at the Oberlin Country Club. Both club members and non-members are welcome.

Women's Night is held on Wednesday. Winners last week were Carol Shirley, Becky Vollertsen and Lynn Doeden.

Summer hours at the club house are 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on weekends, said Ahlberg. The clubhouse, remodeled last summer, serves beverages and snacks.

# Teams compete in scramble

Twenty golf teams competed in a two-man scramble at the Oberlin Country Club on Sunday.

Winners of the championship flight were Jon Wishon and Dick Ahlberg, first; Kurt and Grant Vollertsen, second; and Scott Carlton and Eric Glenn, third.

Winners of the first flight were Jim Stanley and Kevin Taylor, first; Tom Garrett and Doug Fair, second; and Joe and John Stanley, third.

Winners of the second flight were Randy Ostmeier and Herb Shirley, first; Rusty Addleman and Allen Jeffus, second; and Bill Goscha and Jerry Alstrom, third.

The next tournament at the Oberlin course will be a three-man scramble on Sunday, June 21, Mr. Ahlberg said.

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