

Girls win annual Oberlin Invitational

Boys come in eighth

The Decatur Community High girls won the annual Oberlin Invitational Track Meet last Tuesday while the boys came in eighth in a 10-team field.

The Oberlin girls racked up 136 points for first, followed by Norton 93, Smith Center 63, Hoxie 61, Wheatland 50, Rawlins County 48, Oakley 41, Phillipsburg 34, Weskan 17 and St. Francis 15.

St. Francis won the boys meet with 89 points, followed by Norton 85, Weskan 76, Smith Center 70, Hoxie 60, Oakley 51.5, Wheatland 51, Oberlin 27, Rawlins County 25.5 and Phillipsburg 23.

"If the wind had stayed down, it would have been a perfect track day," said Coach Pat Dorshorst. "Sprint times were better, while distance times were slower due to the extreme headwind on the back stretch and home curve.

"We are looking forward to having warmer temperatures so we can get our jumpers outdoors to practice their approaches and form - something that we can't do when we have to practice inside.

"Athletes perform well in a very competitive meet."
Demi Murray, Miki Dorshorst and Winter Polivka all won a first-place medal in one of their events.

Participating for the girls:
•Murray, javelin, 121-6, first; discus, 97-2, second; and 400 meters, 1:05.68, third.

•Dorshorst, 200 meters, 27.39, first; and long jump, 15-11; 100 meters, 12.9; and triple jump, 33, second.

•Polivka, 800 meters, 2:37.94, first; 400 meters, 1:09.63, fifth;

•Darby Rouse, 3,200 meters, 13:03.24, second, and 1,600 meters, 6:11.98, fourth.

•Cassidy Shields, 300-meter hurdles, 52.36, second, and 100-meter hurdles, 17.24, fourth.

•Caitie Shields, 1,600-meters, 6:01.6, and 3,200 meters, 13:12.74, third.

•Alexis Hissong, 100-meter hurdles, 17.02, third; and 300-meter hurdles, 53.94, fifth.

•Morgan Jansonius, 800 meters, 2:45.11, third, and 400 meters, 1:10.8, sixth.

•Hannah May, javelin, 95-1, sixth; discus, 74-5; and triple jump, 28-3.

•Ara Marine, 300-meter hurdles, 56.4, sixth; high jump, 4-6; and 100-meter hurdles, 18.5.

•Molly Jansonius, high jump, 4-8, sixth; long jump, 12-9; and 100 meters, 14.61.

•Kaitlynn Fisher, shot put, 23-9; discus, 68-4; and javelin, 90-4.

•Brittany Urban, pole vault, 6-6; long jump, 13-2; and triple jump, 29-1.

•Shawn Baker, shot put, 26-9.5, and 200 meters, 32.8.

•Cassandra Canto, shot put, 21-10, and discus, 55-2.

•Rebecca Wentz, shot put, 21-5, and discus, 63-2.

•Lara Zodrow, high jump, 4-6, and 100 meters, 15.5.

•The 4x800-meter relay team of Polivka, Caitie Shields, Morgan Jansonius and Rouse, 10:39.55, first.

•The 4x400-meter relay team of Cassidy Shields, Polivka, Morgan Jansonius and Murray, 4:37.94, fifth.

•The 4x100-meter relay team of Hissong, Molly Jansonius, Marine and Cassidy Shields, 57.2.

Participating for the boys:
•Myles Sheaffer, 400 meters, 54.54, third, and 800 meters, 2:14.97, fifth.

•Grant Gilliam, javelin, 142-11, third, and 100 meters, 11.96.

•Channing Fortin, shot put, 39-6, fourth; discus, 106-8; and javelin, 126-5;

•Matthew Helm, 3,200 meters, 12:08.15, fifth, and 1,600 meters, 5:32.86, sixth.

•Ganon Henningson, 3,200 meters, 12:11.22, sixth; high jump, 5-2; and 800 meters, 2:28.07.

•Bryson Wesley, 200 meters, 24.75, sixth, and 100 meters, 11.72.

•Regent Erickson, shot put, 38-7.5; discus, 112-3; javelin, 109-6; and 400 meters, 1:02.97.

•Keagen Blau, shot put, 35-25; 110-meter hurdles, 18.43; and 300-meter hurdles, 47.48.

•Nick Ashley, shot put, 28-5, and discus, 82-9.

•Matt Glading, triple jump, 35-4.5, and 400 meters, 59.28.

•Kennedy Fortin, 100 meters, 12.48, and 200 meters, 26.88.

•Caleb Koerperich, 1,600 meters, 5:48.68, and 3,200 meters, 12:30.18.

•Justin Gee, triple jump, 22-3.

•Garrett Scott, discus, 82-5.

•Kyle Breth, 200 meters, 27.88;

•Daniel Lerew, 1,600 meters, 6:05.87.

•The 4x800-meter relay team of Sheaffer, Helm, Koerperich and Henningson, 9:24.87, fourth.

•The 4x400-meter relay team of Wesley, Glading, Breth and Sheaffer, 4:05.97.

The team was to attend a meet in Hill City on Monday to help make up for some of the ones missed due to bad weather.

Next week, the team will attend the Northwest Kansas League meet at 2 p.m. Friday in Oakley. The regional meet will be Friday, May 17, but the time and place have not been set.



TAKING HISTURN with the baton, Myles Sheaffer (above) ran in a boys relay during the Oberlin Invitational last Tuesday. Channing Fortin (left) threw the discus and Kennedy Fortin (below) ran in the short-distance races.

- Herald photos by Abby Hissong



Junior high results not ready

Due to changes in schedule and weather problems, the junior high track results were not available for

this week's paper.

We hope to have them for the next issue of *The Oberlin Herald*.

Sports Schedules

Friday: Oberlin junior high, Northwest Kansas League track meet, 9 a.m. at Oakley.

Golden Plains middle school track, 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Logan.

Oberlin high school, Northwest Kansas League track meet, 2 p.m. at Oakley.

Oberlin high school Northwest Kansas League golf tourney, 3 p.m. at Rawlins County.

Golden Plains high school track, 3 to 8 p.m. at Logan.

Monday: Oberlin high school

regional golf meet, 8:30 p.m. at Ellis.

Thursday, May 16: Oberlin seventh and eighth grade girls' physicals, 4 p.m. and high school girls, 4:30 p.m. at Oberlin Clinic.

Friday, May 17: Oberlin regional track meet, 3 p.m. at Sublette.

Golden Plain regional track meet, 3 p.m., to be announced.

To add items to the sports schedule, call *The Oberlin Herald* at 475-2206 or e-mail oberlin.editor@nwkansas.com.

How the years change our Mom

- Age 6: "Mommy, I love you."
- Age 10: "Mom, whatever!"
- Age 16: "My Mom is so annoying!"
- Age 18: "I want to move out!"
- Age 25: "Mom, you were right ..."
- Age 30: "I want to go see Mom."
- Age 50: "I don't want to lose my Mom."
- Age 70: "I would give up everything for Mom to be here with me."

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