

Sue Potter to Defend Softball Toss Title

Atherton's Sue Potter has watched Cliff Kittle set shot-put records since she was in the eighth grade.

Saturday the situation could be reversed as 11 girls' track teams compete for titles in the annual running of the Genesee County Women's Coaches' Association Regional track meet at Davison.

Miss Potter recently established a school record with a 32-6½-foot toss against Kearsley. The girls' shot put weighs eight pounds but she warms up with a 12-pounder.

SHE'S ALSO the defending softball throw champion with a regional toss of 210 feet 10 inches and placed fifth in the state meet with a 30-foot 10-inch shot put toss.

Although teams from both the Big Nine and County B League run together, both leagues compete separately.

Kearsley, Davison, Ainsworth,

Mt. Morris, Grand Blanc and Flushing compete in the Big Nine. Bendle, Atherton, Lakeville, Bentley and Swartz Creek are in the other division.

The 11 events include the 75, 100 and 220 dashes, the 70-yard hurdles, shuttle and 300-yard relays, running long jump, standing jump, high jump, shot put and softball throw.

THE COUNTY B League event also includes a 440-yard run.

The girls have had some reciprocity in invitationals this season. Davison copped the Swartz Creek invitational while Swartz Creek won the Davison event.

Saturday's meet starts with the field events at 9 a.m. Running preliminaries begin at 9:45 a.m.

Trophies will go to the winning teams and relays victors and medals to the individual winners.