

Vaulter hits new high

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Barry Benton, of Flint Northern, became the second Michigan high school pole vaulter to clear 15 feet within a span of only four days when he soared to 15 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ at the Flint Area prep meet this week.

Benton's effort also is a peak for this season. Last Saturday, in the state Class A finals at Flint Northwestern, Nat Durham, of Farmington, became the first to clear the barrier at an even 15 feet.

The national interscholastic track and field vaulting record is 16 feet 7, shared by Casey Carrigan, of Orting (Wash.) High and Bob Pullard, of Los Angeles (Calif.) High; both efforts came in the 1969 season.

Clarence Chapman, the state Class A long

jump champion from Redford, moved to the tip of the weekly listings by hitting a distance of 23 feet 9 in the Public School League's West bracket finals on the Central High course. His title effort in the state meet was 22-11.

The season's final listings of outstanding performances throughout the state, compiled by Howell High Coach Bruce Waha and published for the 12th consecutive year by The Detroit News, will appear in the sports section next Saturday.

Coaches can submit performances to Waha at Howell High (area code 517, 546-6200) or mail to him at 3495 Mandry Drive, Howell, Mich. 48843.

Key to the listings below: i—indoors; n—non-winning; B—Class B; C—Class C; x—Record times are recognized only from state championships.

100-Yard Dash

(71 Best, 9.4 — Class A Mark, 9.6x)

Roy Young, Mt. Morris (B)	wn9.4
Reggie Jones, Saginaw	w9.5
Curtis Long, Lans. Sexton	29.6
Ken Delor, Gr. Pte. North	w9.6
Greg Baffle, Bishop Borgese	w9.6
Mike Rollins, Oak Park	wn9.6
Andre Jacobs, Robichaud	w9.7
Harry Glass, B. Crk. Central	w9.7
Duane Johnson, Gr. Pte. North	w9.7

220-Yard Dash

(71 Best, 20.1 — Class A, 20.4x)

Roy Young, Mt. Morris (B)	n20.0
Ken Delor, Gr. Pte. North	n21.1
James Smith, Mt. Wright	w21.4
Mike Rollins, Oak Park	n21.5
Tony Craighead, Oak Park	n21.5
Reggie Jones, Saginaw	n21.6
Mike Gratz, Southgate	n21.7
Joe Keister, Wayne	21.8
Clarence Chapman, Redford	n21.8
Duane Johnson, Gr. Pte. North	w21.8
Alan Baker, De Porres (C)	21.9

440-Yard Run

(71 Best, 47.7 — Class A, 48.0x)

Charles Davis, Ferndale	48.6
Jessie Williams, Mt. Wright	n49.4
Charlie Monk, Cranbrook (B)	49.5
Eugene Ellerbe, Pershing	49.5
Joe Keister, Wayne	49.5
Bill Soens, Edsel Ford	49.5
Dane Fortney, Ypsilanti	49.7
Gordon Hyde, Fordson	49.6
M. McGrady, Musk. Oakridge (B)	49.7
Mike Arnold, Bridgeport	49.8
Edmund Glass, Mackenzie	n49.8

880-Yard Run

(71 Best, 1:54.5 — Class A, 1:50.9x)

Dane Fortney, Ypsilanti	1:52.8
Mike Cason, Del. Kettering	1:52.8
Charlie Monk, Cranbrook (B)	1:53.8
Jim Dennis, Otsego (B)	n1:54.6
Scott Dunson, Plymouth	1:55.1
M. McGrady, Musk. Oakridge (B)	1:55.7
Bruce Johnson, B. City Cent.	1:55.8
Jeff Corniel, Lans. Eastern	1:55.9
Ellis Edwards, Mt. Clemens	n1:56.2
Mario Petrotti, Lov-Norrix	n1:56.2
Roger Gerlach, Lapeer	n1:56.3
John Bennett, Cassopolis (C)	1:56.3

High Jump

(71 Best, 6- $\frac{3}{4}$ — Class A, 6-8x)

Reggie Ferguson, Ft. NW	6-9
Chuck Durrant, Portland (B)	6-9
Doug Gibbs, Flint NW	6-8
John Allen, B. Crk. Pennfield (B)	6-8
Frank Stoner, Mackenzie	6-8
M. Stolmenoff, B. Cr. St. Phillip (C)	6-7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Lloyd Kilgore, G.R. Union	6-7
John Higgs, Portage No.	6-6
Dorman Pearl, Lans. Sexton	6-6
Dave Collins, Milford	6-6

One-Mile Run

(71 Best, 4:15.6 — Class A, 4:13.2x)

Dave Wood, G.R. Union	4:13.9
Amos Brown, Del. Northern	n4:13.9
Don Hubbard, A.A. Huron	4:16.1
Dave Burkhardt, Southgate	n4:17.3
Rick Goodman, Lans. Sexton	n4:17.3
George Moore, Lincoln Park	n4:17.6
Jim Lockwood, Wayne Glenn	n4:19.0
Mike Burns, Carson City (C)	4:18.3
Bill Hammer, Gr. Pte. North	4:19.1
Tim Tobin, St. Joseph	4:19.8

Two-Mile Run

(71 Best, 9:08.6 — Class A, 9:15.4x)

Nick Ellis, Cooley	n9:10.7
Gregg Meyer, G.R.W. Cath	9:13.6
Tim Tobin, St. Joseph	n9:14.3
Bob Hunt, Bay City Cent.	9:16.6
John Cross, Belleville	n9:19.1
Joe Caruso, Bedford	n9:22.1
Darryl Strong, Pioneer	9:22.7
Fred Teddy, L'Anse (C)	9:22.9
Mike Lindsay, Reed City (B)	9:22.9
Dave Smith, Wayne	n9:23.4
Bruce Petoskey, Jackson	n9:25.3

120-Yard High Hurdles

(71 Best, 14.4 — Class A, 13.9x)

Lorenzo Reid, Inkster	w14.2
Paul Zolynsky, Allen Park	wn14.2
Todd Murphy, A.A. Pioneer	14.3
Chris Casselman, G.R. Cath.	14.3
Don Jones, Gr. Pte. South	wn14.3
Wes Miller, Adrian	14.4
Bob Cornwell, Mt. Clemens	14.4
Barry Hages, Bay City Cent.	n14.4
Brian Coles, Flint NW	wn14.4
Luray Cooper, Del. Northern	wn14.4

180-Yard Low Hurdles

(71 Best, 18.8 Class A, 19.0x)

Chris Casselman, G.R. Cath.	19.1
Paul Sherd, Rockford	w19.1
Dani Sommerfield, Carrollton (B)	19.2
Gary Veurink, W. Mich. Chr. (C)	19.4
Dale Humphrey, Pont. Cent.	wn19.4
Luray Cooper, Del. Northern	wn19.4
Mike Stuparek, Midland	wn19.4
Paul Zolynsky, Allen Park	19.5
Jerry Jenkins, B. Crk. Cent.	19.5
Bob Cornwell, Mt. Clemens	n19.5
Greg Baffle, Bishop Borgese	wn19.5
Alan Baker, St. M. de Porres (C)	n19.7

440-Yard Relay

(New Event for 1972)

Oak Park	42.9
Flint Northwestern	42.9
Battle Creek Central	43.7
Livonia Franklin	43.7
Grand Rapids Union	43.3
Allen Park	43.3
Flint Northwestern	43.4
Lansing Sexton	43.5
Ann Arbor Pioneer	43.6
Saginaw	43.7

880-Yard Relay

(71 Best, 1:27.0 — Class A, 1:27.0x)

Mackenzie	1:28.2
Oak Park	1:28.9
Allen Park	1:29.2
Livonia Franklin	1:29.3
Grosse Pointe North	1:29.6
Saginaw	1:29.7
Robichaud	
Flint Northwestern	1:29.8
Redford Union	1:29.8
Mt. Morris (B)	

One-Mile Relay

(71 Best, 3:22.2 — Class A, 3:20.5x)

Pershing	3:19.5
Ann Arbor Pioneer	
Cranbrook (B)	3:21.3
Flint	
Grand Blanc	3:23.0
Grand Rapids Catholic	3:23.0
Edsel Ford	3:23.1
Cooley	3:23.7
Portage Northern	3:24.0
Ecorse (B)	3:24.0
Flint Northwestern	3:24.4
Mackenzie	3:24.4

Shotput

(71 Best, 62.7 — Class A, 62.1x)

Bob Elliott, A.A. Pioneer	60.4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Ed Tyler, Oxford (B)	60-1
Brian Ford, Kal. Cent.	59-2 $\frac{1}{2}$
Wayne Bouvier, U. Eisenhower	59-8 $\frac{1}{2}$
Des Francis, Lans. Everett	58-10 $\frac{1}{2}$
Bill Kile, Mt. Pleasant	57-7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Mike Shomer, Gr. Pte. North	57-2 $\frac{1}{2}$
Gary Cooper, Vicksburg (B)	57-12 $\frac{1}{2}$
Jim Wettenhall, Gr. Blanc	56-7 $\frac{1}{2}$
George Przygodski, G.R. Cath.	56-7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Jeff Middledorf, Luth. East (B)	56-2 $\frac{1}{2}$

Long Jump

(71 Best, 23-11 — Class A, 23-11x)

Clarence Chapman, Redford	23-9
Bob Johnson, Pt. Hur. Cent. (B)	23-6 $\frac{1}{2}$
Roy Young, Mt. Morris (B)	23-4
Carlton Daniels, A.A. Huron	22-10
Kelsey Johnson, Osborn	22-8
Chuck Atwater, Manistique	22-6
Mike Pinkett, Highland Park	22-5 $\frac{1}{2}$
John Smith, Pont. Northern	22-4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Dave Hargreaves, Kimball	22-4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Mike Rhoades, Ft. Kearsley	22-4
Willie Jones, Robichaud	22-4

Pole Vault

(71 Best, 14-9 $\frac{1}{2}$ — Class A, 14-6 $\frac{1}{2}$ x)

Barry Barton, Ft. Northern	15-3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Nat Durham, Farmington	15-0
Chuck DeWildt, G.R. Cath.	14-8
Terry Hart, Corunna (B)	14-6
Ed Kulka, Gr. Pte. South	14-6
Craig Boyak, Thurston	14-1
Jeff Gibbons, Wild. Mott	14-0
Randy Smith, Lov-Norrix	14-0
Bob Blake, Dearborn	14-0
Jim Stokes, Ft. Kearsley	13-10 $\frac{1}{2}$