## Area Teams Falter In CMU Invitational

MOUNT PLEASANT — Friday wasn't a good night as far as Saginaw area trackmen were concerned in the 22nd annual Central Michigan University Indoor Invitational for Class A high schools

Mount Pleasant shot putter Doug Thielen was the only area athlete to take first place honors. He tossed the iron ball

53 feet, eight inches.

Flint Kearsley, a bridesmaid the last two years, finally won the event with 32 points to runnerup Flint Northern's 30. The defending champion, Grand Rapids Catholic, was not represented. The school dropped to the Class B enrollment level last fall and wasn't eligible for the "A" meet this year.

Traverse City showed surprising strength by finishing third with 291/2 points. Pontiac Central and Pontiac Northern rounded out the top five team point totals.

Arthur Hill finished in sixth place with 11½ points, while Mount Pleasant was eighth at 8½ points, Midland Dow ninth with 8, Saginaw High tenth with just five points, and Midland High shared 14th place with Bay City Central with two points each.

The meet's outstanding performer was Flint Kearsley's Greg Hoops, who didn't win any events, but scored 12 of his team's 32 points. He took second in the long jump, high jump and 65-yard high hurdles.

There were no repeat winners, nor were any records broken or tied.

Saginaw High, lacking state sprint champ Reggie Jones, plus Mike Thomas, Larry Foster and Bob Chapman, who are all with the Trojans' basketball team in today's State Class A finals at Ann Arbor, got one outstanding performance Friday night.

Brian Bailey cleared 12-feet-8 in the pole vault for his best performance as a prep. Bailey did 12-feet last year. Traverse City's Bob Park won the event, however, with a 13-foot vault.

Other fine performances by area cindermen included a third place finish in the

two-mile run by Arthur Hill's Paul Zucker (9.588). Another Hillite. Curt Thon, tied with Mount Pleasant's Jim Kjolhede in the high jump at six-feet even, and also was fourth in the shot put (50-814)

Arthur Hill's Paul Walderzak placed third, ahead of Thon, in the shot put with a 51-feet-7 toss.

Midland Dow's Mark Poli was fourth in the long jump (20-314) and fifth in the 440 (54.15).

## TEAM STANDINGS

1. Flint Kearsley, 32-2 Fint Northern, 30, 3, Traverse City, 2012. 4. Pontiac Central, 2112, 5, Pontiac Northern, 18, 6, Saginaw Arthur Hill, 18, 7, Bay City Handy, 9, 8, Mount Piezsant 812-9 Midland Dow, 8, 10, Saginaw High, 5, 11, (tie) Ownso and Waterford Township, 4, 13, Grand Rapids Union, 3, 14, (tie) Bay City Central and Midland, 2, 16, Waterford Kettering, 1, 17 (tie) Bay City John Glenn and Muskegon Mona Shores, 8

Shot Put — Doug Thicken, Mount Picasant, 2, Carlton Jones, Pontiae Central, 3, Paul Walderzak, Saginaw Arthur Hill D—33-feet-8

Long Jump — 1 Jun McGlothun, Traverse City, 2, Greg Hoops, Flint Kearsley, 3, Joe Mojet, Pontiac Northern D—21-feet 712

65-yard High Hurdles — 1, Joe Tanis, Traverse City, 2. Greg Hoops, Flint Kearsley, 3, Kevin Jackson, Pontiac Central T—8.7 seconds.

Two Mile Run — 1, Joe Dixon, Flint Kearsley; 2, Mark Nover, Owosso, 3, Paul Zucker, Saginaw Arthur Hill T—9 47.5

High Jump — 1. Anthony Brown, Flint Northern, 2, Greg Hoops, Flint Kearsley, 3, (tie) Jim Kjolhede, Mount Pleasant and Curt Thon, Saginaw Arthur Hill. II—6 foot-23/8

410-yard Dash - 1. (tie) Dennis Williams, Pontiac Central and Tim Sutton, Bay City Handy, 3, Bernard Lewis, Flint Northern T-31 I seconds.

Pole Vault — I. Bob Park, Traverse City, 2, Brian Bailey, Sagmaw High, 3, Ricky Malone, Pontiac Central II—13-feet

60-yard Dash - 1. Bob Brisco, Pontiac Northern, 2. Terry Davis, Pontiac Northern, 3. Bindies Shields, Funt Northern T-64 seconds

Middle Distance Relay - 1. Flint Kearsley, 2, Midland Dow, 3, Traverse City T -6 15 35

Mile Rus — 1. Steve Varner, Flint Northern, 2, Dennis Neurohr, Flint Kearsley, J. Greg Wilson, Flint Central, 7—4-32-1

350-yard Run — I. George Young, Flint Northern, 2, Stan Robbins, Traverse City, 3, Keith Young, Flint Northern T—2 63 1

Six-Lap Relay - 1. Pontiac Central, 2. Waterford Township; 3, Pontiac Northern T-1 574

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