

Powers captures 'B' track regional

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CARO — Powers Catholic was successful in its Class B track debut Friday night.

The Chargers won their first regional meet by 2½ points over Vassar. A fourth-place finish in the 440-yard relay insured Powers' success with 47½ points.

Vassar was second in the relay and ended with 45 points. Montrose was third with 34, followed by Mt. Morris with 29.

Jerry Lindman set a school record for the Chargers in winning the 880-yard

run with a time of 1:58.4. Powers also had triumphs from Kevin McColley in the mile and Dwayne Strozier in the 220.

Eric Rush of Montrose was the meet's only double winner. He captured the 120-yard high hurdles in 14.9 seconds and won the 180 lows in 20.3. Teammate Bruce Cline won the long jump.

Hamady's Jim Hensley captured the shot put and Mt. Morris produced firsts in the 880 and 440 relays and the 100 where Don Gamble was clocked in 9.9 seconds.

The first three finishers in each event qualified for the state meet next

Saturday at Houston Stadium.

The results, including all Flint area scores:

Legend and team scoring — Powers (P) 47½, Vassar (V) 45, Montrose (M) 34, Mt. Morris (MM) 29, Crosswell-Lexington (CL) 21, Caro Co) 20, Frankenmuth (F) 13, Hamady (H) 9, Lakeville (L) 8½, Millington (Mi) 7, Chesaning (C) 3, Birch Run, Bentley, Inlay City and Lakers didn't score.

High jump — 1. Jeff Stone (CL), 2. Terry Thomann (M), 3. Bannerman (F), 4. (Tied) Bruce Shatter (MM) and Mark Attenberger (MM), H — 5-0.

Long jump — 1. Bruce Cline 2. Russ Jenkins (LV), 3. Lou Paris (P), 4. Al Noechterlein (F) D — 20-½.

Shot put — 1. Jim Hensley, 2. Jim Lathrop (Mi), 3. Steve Collins (P), 4. Larry Martin (V), 5. Bill Scanton (C) D — 50-11.

Pole vault — 1. Dennis Mills (V), 2. (Tied) Jim Schultz (P) and Terry Nelson (LV) H — 12.

880 relay — 1. Mt. Morris 2. Vassar 3. Powers & Montrose T — 1:32.9.

350 — 1. Jerry Lindman (P), 2. Bill Eskelson (V).

3. Ralph Danman (H), 4. Tyre Poffer (V), 5. Jim Schiefer (F) T — 1:58.4.

120 high hurdles — 1. Eric Rush (M), 2. Thomann (M), 3. Larry Martin (V), 4. Dave Bannerman (F), 5. Bob Ranger (M) T — 14.9.

Mile — 1. Kevin McColley (P), 2. Mike Darga (A).

5. Tim Fall (V) T — 4:36.3.

100 — 1. Don Gamble (MM), 2. Dwayne Strozier

(P), 3. Ron Gamble (MM) T — 9.9.

440 — 1. Rick Harwick (Co), 2. Bill Eskelson (V), 4. Mike McCarthy (P) 5. Jon Swinton (V) T — 50.8.

180 low hurdles — 1. Rush (M), 2. Bannerman (F), 3. Martin (V), 4. Thomann (M), 5. Larry Yeklos (MM) T — 26.3.

Two mile — 1. George O'Connor (CL), 2. Mike Anderson (P), 3. Keith Haynes (V), 4. Bill Ford (MM) T — 10:08.7.

220 — 1. Strozier (P) 4. Don James (V), 5. Bruce Waggoner (P) T — 22.9.

Mile relay — 1. Vassar, 2. Powers, 3. Mt. Morris, 4. Millington T — 3:33.5.

440 relay — 1. Mt. Morris, 2. Vassar, 3. Montrose, 4. Powers, 5. Frankenmuth T — 45.4.