Deneen sparkles for Lake Fenton

Keith Dencen's record breaking performances helped Lake Fenton's track team return to the Suburban Conference throne.

Dencen broke two records Wednesday at Hartland and the Blue Devils compiled 64½, Hartland was second with 53 followed by Ortonville 41½, Holy Rosary 30, Byron and Goodrich with 19 and New Lothrop with 13.

Linden, which is now a member of the County B League, had won the Suburban crown eight out of the last nine years. Only Lake Fenton, which has chased the Eagles most of those years, snapped the drought by winning the 1970 title.

DENEEN improved the long jump standard from 20-11½ to 23-foot and lowered the 100-yard dash mark from 10.1 to 10-flat. Lake Fenton's Jay Kelso held the previous long jump record set in 1972, and Linden's Randy Rife was the ormer holder of the 100 record.

Dencen also captured the 220 dash as Lake Fenton racked up six first-place finishes, also winning the mile relay, pole yault and shot put.

STRONGMAN Neil Masse broke the loop's oldest record with his 54-2 heave in the shot put. The mark of 52-71/2 by Genesee's Jim Byrne had stood since 1968.

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The Blue Devils other individual champion was Tom Martin who took the pole vault with a leap of 11-feet.

The only other record set came from Hartland's Tim Howell. He won the mile in 4:28.5, erasing the mark of 4:29.0 set by Linden's Rick Murphy in 1973.

HOLY ROSARY'S Mark Kuyawa joined Deneen as the meet's only multiple winner, taking the 440 in 52.2 and the 880 in 2:01.

The Wolverines picked up another victory from Tim Houle with a high

jump of 5-10.

Hartland also won three events, the 440 relay in 46.2, the 880 relay in 1:35.3 in addition to Howell's performance in the mile.

ORTONVILLE had two champions, Scott Bean in the high hurdles in 15.9 and Rod Clifton in the lows with a time of 21.0.

New Lothrop's Tim Fuller took thee gruelling two-mile in 10:39.6.

The winners:

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Vukovich sent down, Eastwick called up

CINCINNATI (AP) — Third baseman John Vukovich has been optioned to Indianapolis of the Amerian Association and relief pitcher Rawly Eastwick was called up by the Cincinnati Reds.

Vukovich 27, came in a trade from the Milwaukee Brewers last September. He went to but 38 times in 31 games and had eight hits for a .211 batting average this season.

Eastwick, 24, a right-hander, appeared in 13 games in relief for Indianapolis this season, recording one victory and no losses and an earned run average of 1.35. He appeared in eight games for the Reds last September and had two saves and a 2.00 ERA.