

Lahser boys top Groves;

Southfield stops Seaholm

Bloomfield Hills Lahser's boys' track team won 10 events to slip past Birmingham Groves in a Metro Suburban Activities Association (MSAA) meet Thursday, 75-57.

The Knights were led by double winners Alan Peters and Dean Herman.

Peters won the discus (125 feet, 4 inches) and the shot put (47-6). Herman, a hurdler, won the 110-meter highs in 15.4 seconds and the 300-meter lows in 41 seconds.

The 400-meter relay team of Brian Munson, Dave Cromwell, Clarence Broadnax and Merman won in 45.2 seconds. The foursome is undefeated in six dual meets.

Lahser runs with Cranbrook and Andover at 6:30 p.m. tomorrow in the Don Huff meet at the Baron track.

SOUTHFIELD retained its lead in the Southeastern Michigan Association (SMA) by crushing Birmingham Seaholm Thursday, 107-24.

The Blue Jays, who won all three relays and 13 of the 16 events, are 4-0 in the league (5-0 overall). Seaholm is winless in five meets.

The winning 800-meter relay team (1:32.7) consisted of Terrance Robinson, Daryl Sailor, Mark Harris and Cornelius Edwards. Mike McCaskill, Harris, Edwards and Robinson composed the winning (43.9) 400-meter relay team.

Robinson won the 100- and 200-meter dashes, while McCaskill won the long jump (19 feet, 9 inches) and Gilbert Chapman took the high jump (5-8). Other field-event winners included Jim Davis in the discus (142-1), Reggie Hayes in the shot put (46-1¼) and Rob Williams in the pole vault (11-6).

Curt Nielson won the 1,600-meter run, and Glenn Williams took the 300-meter low hurdles for Southfield. The winning 1,600-meter relay team included Sailor, Mike Wais, Randy Johnson and Reggie Anderson.

Seaholm's lone winners were Eric Wittenberg in the 3,200-meter run (10:01.9), John Mullett in the 400-meter run (52.3) and Treg Scott in the 800-meter run (1:58.9).

Southfield will run in a league meet tomorrow at Berkley. Seaholm will run at Groves 7 p.m. tomorrow.

GIRLS' TRACK

Karen Finucan won three events to lead Seaholm past Southfield in a Southeastern

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Michigan Association (SMA) meet Thursday.

Finucan, one of the top high jumpers in the Observer & Eccentric area, won that event with a leap of 5 feet, 2 inches. She also took the 100-meter hurdles in 16.41 and the 200-meter low hurdles in 31.7.

Carolyn McQueen was a double winner for the Maples, taking the 100-meter dash in 12.34 and the 200-meter dash in a school-record time of 26.88.

McQueen anchored the 400-meter relay team, which also included Jenny Werthman, Beth Lourain and Patty Mills. Their time of 53.72 set a new school mark.

The mile relay team of Finucan, Lori Ferguson, Allison Sailor and Mary Ballantine set a school record with a time of 4:21. They set the new standard despite finishing second.

Southfield's winner was distance runner Suzie Stable, who took the 1,600 meters in 5:45.18 and the 3,200 meters in 13:03.82.

Seaholm will run at 7 p.m. tomorrow at Groves. Southfield will run at 6 p.m. tomorrow at Berkley.

LATHRUP WON all three relays to easily roll past Birmingham Groves in a Metro Suburban Activities Association (MSAA) meet Tuesday, 79-44.

Sally Stemmer paced the Charger attack with victories in the high jump (4 feet, 8 inches), 100-meter hurdles (16.9) and 200-meter hurdles (34.1). Beth Thomson won the 800-meter run in 2:39.

Colleen Betts, the strongest Charger sprinter, won the 100-meter dash in 13.5 seconds. Nicole Rothermel (long jump), Karen Flory (1,600 meters), Laura Book (400 meters) and Lauretta Ratelle (3,200 meters) were Lathrup's other winners.

Groves' Nancy Allen won the shot put with a toss of 30 feet, 11 inches.

On Thursday, Lathrup, running without top scorers Stemmer and Thomson, who were out with injuries, fell to Dondero in another league meet, 71-52.

Sandy Neiderman in the high jump, Pam Eichler in the shot put and Beth Sollish in the long jump were the Charger field-event winners. Betts won both dash events, and Book took the 400-meter run.

Lathrup will run in a non-league meet tomorrow at Waterford Township.

MERCY HIGH School kept its perfect record intact with an easy 97-26 victory over Birmingham Marian Thursday afternoon.

Double winner Cathy Bridges took the long jump in 15-feet, 5¼-inches and the 440-yard run in 1:03.7. Doria Jackson won both the 100-yard dash (12.4) and the 220-yard dash (28.5).

Jean McCarthy and Ellen McCarthy won the two-mile and mile runs, respectively. Cece Kelly won the 110-yard hurdles (17.6), and Mary Jo Gorski took the 220-yard hurdles (33.4).

Mercy's winning 880-yard relay team included Jackson, Chris Lawson, Gorski and Bridges. The winning mile relay foursome included Kelly, Carolyn Burt, Kim Wisser and Bridges.

Marian's lone winner was Julie Brenner in the discus (81-6).

Mercy, 3-0, will not run until next Monday when it hosts Harper Woods-Régina. Marian hosts Bishop Gallagher and Régina at 4 p.m. Thursday.

COUNTRY DAY won its third straight Greenhills-Country Day Cup Friday with a 72-53 victory over Greenhills High School from Ann Arbor.

The Yellow Jacket girls were led by field event specialists Alisa Lomax, Ann Vereen and Kristi Jackson. Lomax won the discus (83-feet, 11¼-inches), Vereen took the long jump (16-8½) and Jackson won the high jump (5-2).

Alia Newman won the 880-yard run in 2:35.

Country Day, now 4-0 overall, hosts Lutheran East 4 p.m. tomorrow.