

Lakeville girls, Holly boys win in Metro League track

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Some teams win with overwhelming numbers, but quality was the deciding factor in the Metro League track championships Thursday at Mt. Morris High.

With only 17 team members, Lakeville girls captured their second consecutive championship by scoring 116 points, compared to 100 for Oxford. In the boys' portion of the meet, Holly came up with 102 points compared to 87 for Fenton and 82 for Oxford. The Bronchos needed to finish ahead of Oxford to take the league title, since the Wildcats came out on top in dual meet competition this season.

"All our kids came to run," said Lakeville Coach Darrell Morton. "We only have 17 kids on the team but they all came to run. Every kid is important. Every meet this year was within 10 points. Without depth, every kid had to perform every time and that's what they did today."

For the Falcons, Laura Bell was the top gun at the conference meet. Bell placed first in the 800, 1,600 and 3,200 meter runs (she set a meet record in the 800 with a 2:20.8 clocking) in addition to running on the winning 3,200 meter relay team. Kelly Hammond placed first in the 100, 200 and 400 meter dashes for Lakeville and Karri Kuzman won the shot put (in meet record distance of 39-4 1/2) and the discus.

THE HOLLY boys relied on the longer races to win their first league championship since 1986. Broncho runners racked up 46 of their points in the 800, 1,600 and 3,200.

"Our quality distance runners carried us through," said Holly Coach Duane Raffin. "Our sprinter didn't win an event, but he ran tough all day and that helped us. But we scored a lot of points in the 1,600 and 3,200 and our pole vaulter won. That's the strength of our team."

"We had a little drought in there from 1986-1990. Maybe we're starting the '90s out in the right way."

Mt. Morris' Janeiro McIntosh was the only runner to win two individual races. McIntosh, who was already qualified for the state meet in four individual events, won both the 100 and 200 meter dashes.

Ermie Welch of Oxford was league champ in the 400 in addition to anchoring the Wildcats' 800 and 1,600 relay teams.

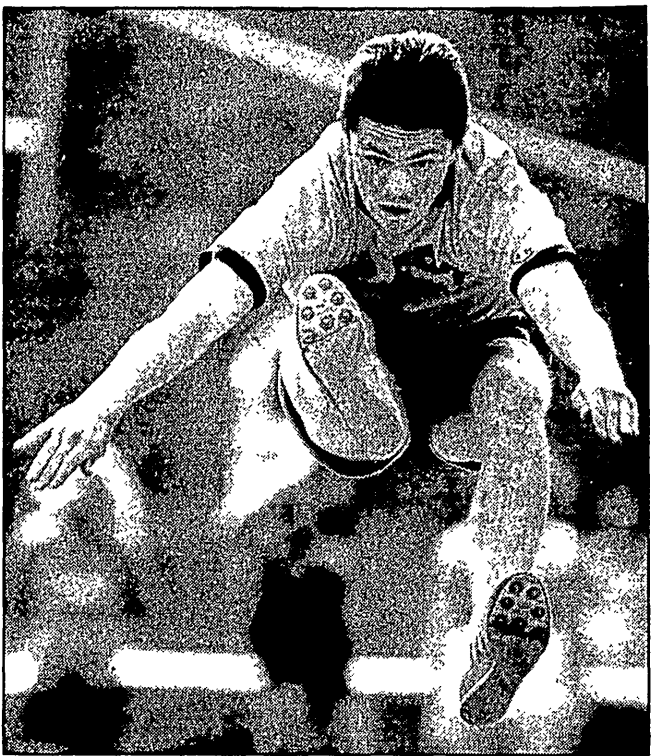
Girls' results

Final team standings: (dual meet records in parentheses) 1 - Lakeville (7-0-1) 115, 2 - Oxford (7-0-1) 114, 3 - Fenton (6-2) 112, 4 - Durand (5-3) and Linden (4-4) 8, 6 - Holly (2) 6, 7 - Mt. Morris (3-5), 8 - (tie) Lapeer East (0-8) and Lapeer West (1-7)

Conference meet standings and team legend:
1 - Lakeville 116 (LV), 2 - Oxford 100 (O), 3 - Fenton 68.5 (F), 4 - Holly 60 (H), 5 - Linden 49.5 (LD), 6 - Durand 40 (D), 7 - Mt. Morris 38 (M), 8 - Lapeer East 22 (LE), 9 - Lapeer West 3 (LW)

Shot put — 1 - Karri Kuzma (LV) 39-4 1/2, 2 - Danis Rubin (M) 33.5, 3 - Barb Parker (D) 31.7 1/2, 4 - Marian Erro (O) 31.0 1/2, 5 - Krystala Castles (LV) 29.5, 6 - Angie Lake (LD) 28.5 1/2

Discus — 1 - Kuzma (LV) 110-1, 2 - Kristi Cran-



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Lapeer East's Tracy East leaps to fourth in long jump.

more (LD) 97-9, 3 - Parker (D) 96-3; 4 - Lake (LV) 95-8; 5 - Casteel (LV) 93-6 1/2, 6 - Christy Brown (F) 83-0 1/2

Long jump — 1 - Connie Johnson (F) 16-0 3/4; 2 - Jane Erwin (M) 15-8 1/4, 3 - J. Fox (LE) 15-6 1/2, 4 - Char Carter (LD) 14-6 1/2, 5 - Jennie Lewis (O) 14-5 1/2, 6 - Tara McClellan (LV) 14-3 1/4

High jump — 1 - Kara Ferguson (O) 5-2, 2 - Sara Warner (LD) 5-0, 3 - Kelly Spencer (H) 5-0, 4 - Shannon Miller (O) 5-0, 5 - Osa Jagloich (D) 4-10, 6 - (tie) Jamie Simon (F) and Karen Haviland (LD) 4-8

3,200 relay — 1 - Lakeville (Emily Kaiser, Monica McGrath, Julie Root, Laura Bell) 10:19.9; 2 - Fenton 10:23.7, 3 - Linden 10:34.0, 4 - Oxford 10:46.1; 5 - Holly 10:57.0; 6 - Durand 11:15.0

100 hurdles — 1 - Holly Borella (H) 16.9; 2 - Teresa Casaceli (H) 17.0, 3 - Shannon Miller (O) 17.1, 4 - Helen Ekleberry (D) 18.0; 5 - Dana Uppigrove (LV) 18.1, 6 - Alex Friedrich (F) 18.1

100 — 1 - Kelly Hammond (LV) 12.9; 2 - Valerio Kago (O) 13.0; 3 - Amy Topolewski (F) 13.1, 4 - Tracy Shortland (O) 13.2, 5 - Keneshia Bryant (M) 13.2, 6 - Julie Russell (LE) 13.2

800 relay — 1 - Oxford (Kim Ferguson, Jenny Lewis, Kage, Shortland) 1:51.1; 2 - Durand 1:54.7, 3 - Mt. Morris 1:56.1; 4 - Lakeville 1:57.4; 5 - Lapeer West 1:59.6, 6 - Linden 2:07.8

1,600 — 1 - Laura Bell (LV) 5:18, 2 - Mary Mick (H) 5:30.4, 3 - Cathy Danson (O) 5:42.8, 4 - Tina Havercroft (F) 5:50.0, 5 - Julie Root (LV) 5:54.2, 6 - Lisa Montney (M) 5:54.2

400 relay — 1 - Oxford (Ferguson, Lewis, Kage, Shortland) 51.5, 2 - Fenton 52.9, 3 - Lapeer East 53.9, 4 - Durand 54.4, 5 - Linden 55.3, 6 - Lapeer West 56.4

400 — 1 - Hammond (LV) 1:00.9, 2 - Missa Mudrak (LD) 1:01.2, 3 - Stephanie Creiley (F) 1:03.0; 4 - Janet Mihalych (O) 1:04.5, 5 - Heather Bellinger (F) 1:06.4, 6 - Carter (LD) 1:07.3

300 hurdles — 1 - Casaceli (H) 50.4, 2 - Borella (H) 51.7, 3 - Ekleberry (D) 52.3; 4 - Erro (O) 53.4; 5 - Kelly Kosmar (H) 53.8; 6 - Emily Kaiser (LV) 54.4

800 — 1 - Bell (LV) 2:20.8; 2 - Fox (LE) 2:21.5; 3 - Danson (O) 2:26.3; 4 - Jenny Weisdorfer (H) 2:32.7; 5 - Steph Creiley (F) 2:37.7; 6 - Lorie Prauir (L) 2:39.8

200 — 1 - Hammond (LV) 26.9; 2 - Bryant (M) 27.0, 3 - Kage (O) 27.4; 4 - Shortland (O) 27.7; 5 - Amy Topolewski (F) 28.3; 6 - Renee Durance (D) 28.8

3,200 — 1 - Bell (LV) 11:41.6, 2 - Mick (H) 12:07.9; 3 - Jennifer Williams (F) 12:39.9, 4 - Kaiser (LV) 12:53.5, 5 - Julie Root (LV) 13:08.8; 6 - Montney (M) 13:09.8

1,600 relay — 1 - Fenton (Crowley, Johnson, Rodgers, Bellanger) 4:20.1; 2 - Oxford 4:21, 3 - Lakeville 4:23.2, 4 - Linden 4:24.5; 5 - Durand 4:31.0, 6 - Lapeer East 4:32.3

Boys' results

Final team standings: 1 - Holly (7-1) 15, 2 - Oxford (8-0) 14, 3 - Fenton (6-2) 13; 4 - Durand (5-3) 9, 5 - Lakeville (3-5) 8, 6 - (tie) Linden (4-4) and Mt. Morris (2-6) 5, 8 - Lapeer West (1-7) 3, 9 - Lapeer East (0-8) 0

Conference meet standings: 1 - Holly 102; 2 - Fenton 87; 3 - Oxford 82; 4 - Lakeville 55; 5 - Durand 48; 6 - Mt. Morris 46; 7 - Lapeer West 45; 8

- Linden 44, 9 - Lapeer East 22

Shot put — 1 - Scott Gavan (LV) 47-2 1/2; 2 - Howard Fyvie (F) 46-9 1/2, 3 - Greg Hill (M) 46-1 1/4; 4 - Jon Supemaugh (LE) 45-7; 5 - Lee Anderson (D) 48-8 1/4; 6 - Brian Hall (D) 43-9

Discus — 1 - Chris Schaele (O) 149-4; 2 - Brian Soules (LD) 146-10 1/4; 3 - Gavan (LV) 140-2; 4 - Anderson (D) 44-8 1/4; 5 - Hall (D) 130-10 1/2; 6 - Greg Taylor (O) 126-3

Long jump — 1 - Jeff Nichols (F) 198-0 7/8; 2 - Janeiro McIntosh (M) 197-0 3/4, 3 - Eric Willard (D) 18-8 3/4, 4 - Tracy Crane (LE) 18-5 1/2; 5 - Bruce Godler (D) 18-4; 6 - Kevin Michael (D) 18-3

High jump — 1 - Nate Philstrom (LV) 6-2; 2 - Scott Hammond (LV) 6-2, 3 - Sean McDaniel (LV) 6-0; 4 - Chad Bruder (F) 6-0; 5 - Charles Mash (H) 6-0, 6 - Troy Rising (F) 5-8

3,200 relay — 1 - Fenton (Bruder, Matt Chappell, Scott Gillian, Rising) 8:07.5; 2 - Holly 8:10.8; 3 - Linden 8:36.8; 4 - Mt. Morris 8L45.1, 5 - Lapeer East 8:51.3; 6 - Lakeville 9:13.6

110 hurdles — 1 - Ryan Seidall (LV) 15.0; 2 - Philstrom (LV) 15.0, 3 - Troy Lehmann (F) 15.0; 4 - Chuck Kniffen (O) 16.0, 6 - Hammond (LV) 16.0; 6 - Brian Kelly (F) 16.1

100 — 1 - McIntosh (M) 11.2; 2 - Mash (H) 11.3; 3 - Dave Bremey (O) 11.6, 4 - Joe Emmons (D) 11.7; 5 - Nate Miller (LV) 11.7; 6 - Keith Rosebush (LE) 11.7

800 relay — 1 - Oxford (Fragoso, Bernie, McCracken, Welch) 1:32.4, 2 - Fenton 1:35.1, 3 - Durand 1:35.1, 4 - Lapeer West 1:37.0, 5 - Linden 1:33.0; 6 - Holly 1:38.4

1,600 — 1 - Rick Durso (H) 4:37.3, 2 - Todd Hill (H) 4:38.8; 3 - Abe Taber (D) 4:40.3, 4 - Rising (F) 4:41.4, 5 - Todd Cassar (H) 4:41.9; 6 - Mark Goodfellow (O) 4:47.8

400 relay — 1 - Durand (Wenemann, Jordan, Svorc, Emmons) 46.1; 2 - Lapeer West 46.7, 3 - Fenton 47.3, 4 - Linden 47.4, 5 - Lapeer East 47.9

60 — 1 - Eric Welch (O) 49.6; 2 - Mash (H) 50.9

3 - Fragoso (O) 51.0; 4 - McIntosh (M) 51.8, 5 - Brian Weisdorfer (H) 53.1; 6 - Mark Loria (F) 53.2

300 hurdles — 1 - Brian Schuppback (F) 40.7, 2 - Seidall (LV) 41.0, 3 - Philstrom (LV) 41.1, 4 - Kniffen (O) 41.1; 5 - Nagel (O) 42.7; 6 - Andy Cords (F) 42.9

800 — 1 - Brian Deese (LD) 1:59.2, 2 - Durso (H) 2:00.0, 3 - Bruder (F) 2:01.5, 4 - Craig Taylor (H) 2:02.9, 5 - John Ellis (M) 2:03.9, 6 - Matt Chappell (F) 2:03.9

200 — 1 - McIntosh (M) 23.0, 2 - Mash (H) 23.4; 3 - Welch (O) 23.6, 4 - Ryan Lionemann (D) 23.9; 5 - Fragoso (O) 24.0, 6 - Miller (LV) 24.2

3,200 — 1 - Hill (H) 9:58.6, 2 - Jamie Wallington (O) 9:58.9, 3 - Brian Deese (LD) 10:00.8, 4 - Durso (H) 10:11.7, 5 - Mike Astalos (H) 10:17.8, 6 - Kurt Stephanson (O) 10:17.9

1,600 relay — 1 - Oxford (Fragoso, Bernie, Kniffen, Welch) 3:29.1, 2 - Fenton 3:31.9; 3 - Holly 3:33.6; 4 - Linden 3:35.6; 5 - Mt. Morris 3:42.0; 6 - Lapeer East 3:46.6

Pole vault — 1 - Brian Murdock (H) 13-0; 2 - Dan Yell (LE) 12-0; 3 - Chad Tursey (LV) 11-6; 4 - Mike Taylor (LV) 11-0; 5 - Troy Lehman (F) 10-0; 6 - B.J. French (O) 10-0

* - Meet record.

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