

59TH MEHOCK RELAYS

at Malabar Middle School
SATURDAY RESULTS

TEAM SCORING: Cleveland Heights 46; Dearborn Heights (Mich.) Robichaud 38½; Cleveland John Adams 38; Cleveland John Marshall 34; Toronto (Can.) St. Michael's 34; Toronto Neil McNeil 30; Cincinnati Elder 25; Painesville Riverside 22½; Hamilton (Can.) Sir Allan MacNab 18; Pickering (Can.) 18; Flint (Mich.) Carman-Ainsworth, 17; Lancaster 16½; Gary (Ind.) Horace Mann 15; Toronto (Can.) Central Tech 14½; Detroit (Mich.) Cooley 14; Kent Roosevelt 14; Caldwell Exempted 10; Chillicothe 10; Cincinnati Princeton 10; LaGrange Keystone 10; St. Mary's Memorial 10; Barberton 8; Cleveland East Tech 8; Galloway Westland 8; Huber Heights Wayne 8; Lexington 8; New Carlisle Tecumseh 8; Brighton (Mich.) 7; Detroit (Mich.) Cody 7; Indianapolis (Ind.) Lawrence North 7; Middletown 7; Chesterton (Ind.) 6; Monroe (Mich.) 6; New Castle (Pa.) 6; Solon 6; Toledo Whitmer 6; Ypsilanti (Mich.) 6; Cleveland West Tech 5; Columbus Bishop Watters 4; Columbus Mifflin 4; Flint (Mich.) Kearsley 4; Kansas Lakota 4; Kitchener (Can.) Grand River 4; Parkersburg (W.Va.) 4; Tontogony Otsego 4; Parma 2½; Belleville (Mich.) 2; Center Line (Mich.) 2; Clayton Northmont 2; Dayton Belmont 2; Euclid 2; Flint (Mich.) Northern 2; Mississauga (Can.) French Goetz 2; Mt. Clemens (Mich.) 2; Muskegon (Mich.) 2; Toronto (Can.) Michael Power 2; Ann Arbor (Mich.) Pioneer 1½; Cleveland East 1; Genoa 1; Grand Blanc (Mich.) 1; Kettering Fairmont 1; Mississauga (Can.) Erindale 1; Sylvania Southview 1; Titusville (Pa.) ½.

300 METER HURDLES — 1. Russ Pernus, Painesville Riverside 37.51; 2. Willie Hibler, Cleveland East Tech 38.86; 3. James Jackson, Detroit Cody 39.38; 4. Tony Dave, Columbus Mifflin 39.80; 5. Leon Jones, Cleveland Heights 40.13; 6. Darrell Montale, Middletown 40.79.

400 METER DASH — 1. Mark Graham, Hamilton Sir Allan MacNab 49.17; 2. Bronze Simpson, Barberton 49.55; 3. Curtis Tate, Cleveland Heights 49.83; 4. Clarence Howard, Cleveland John Adams 50.04; 5. Jeff Robinson, Mt. Clemens 50.62; 6. Kelsey Armstrong, Toronto St. Michael's 50.90.

200 meter dash — 1. Tyrone Wheatley, Dearborn Heights Robichaud 21.63; 2. Mark Graham, Hamilton Sir Allan MacNab 21.84; 3. Jonathan Burrell, Cleveland John Marshall 21.84; 4. Marco West, Detroit Cooley 22.05; 5. Marvin Allen, Flint Northern 22.24; 6. Shawn Moorman, Dayton Belmont 22.61.

800 METER RUN — 1. Kevin Christiani, Toronto Neil McNeil 1:55.3; 2. Darrell Hughes, Galloway Westland 1:55.5; 3. Jason Williams, Cincinnati Princeton 1:58.2; 4. Todd Snyder, Brighton 1:56.4; 5. Maurice Duke, Muskegon 1:56.9; 6. Michael John Baptiste, Toronto St. Michael's 1:57.1.

SHOT PUT — 1. Jon Runyan, Flint Carman-Ainsworth 56-8; 2. Kevin West, New Carlisle Tecumseh 56-¼; 3. Scott Faculak, Flint Carman-Ainsworth 54-2½; 4. Ken Null, Kansas Lakota 53-11; 5. Victor Hester, Cleveland Heights 51-9½; 6. Ron Rieder, Kettering Fairmont 51-4.

LONG JUMP — 1. Jeff Johnson, Cleveland Heights 22-11¾; 2. Tyrone Wheatley, Dearborn Heights Robichaud 22-1½; 3. Erick Starback, Cleveland John Adams 21-2½; 4. Edmond Bacote, Gary Horace Mann 21-½; 5. Nigel Gulste, Mississauga Father Goetz 20-10½; 6. Julian White, Grand Blanc 20-1¼.

1600 METER RUN — 1. Gary Fitzpatrick, Toronto Neil McNeil 4:21.2; 2. Larry King, Cleveland John Marshall 4:22.7; 3. Jeff Hojnacki, Solon 4:24.2; 4. (tie) Trevor Darnell, Brighton 4:25.0; Eric Smoot, Gary Horace Mann 4:25.0; 6. Ted Schmidt, Indianapolis Lawrence North 4:26.0.

4 x 100 METER RELAY — 1. Cleveland John Adams (Senghar Hobbs, Damone Williams, Frank Clark, Antonio Cook) 43.17; 2. Toronto Central Technical 43.39; 3. Cleveland John Marshall 43.95; 4. Cincinnati Princeton 44.13; 5. Cleveland Heights 44.18; 6. Dayton Belmont 44.23.

DISCUS — 1. Mike Elston, St. Mary's Memorial 163-7; 2. Tony Newman, Lexington 153-4; 3. Ty McKenzie, New Castle 151-7; 4. Brian Kennedy, Columbus Bishop Watters 150-9; 5. Leo Romano, Toronto Michael Power 149-4; 6. Scott Faculak, Flint Carman-Ainsworth 147-9.

4 x 400 METER RELAY — 1. Detroit Cooley (Robert Adams, David Norman, Rafael Johnson, Marco West) 3:24.6; 2. Cleveland John Adams 3:25.4; 3. Cleveland Heights 3:29.1; 4. Toronto St. Michael's 3:29.7; 5. Painesville Riverside 3:30.8; 6. Cleveland West Tech 3:33.7.

SHUTTLE HURDLE RELAYS — 1. Cleveland Heights (Chuck Bremer, Dion Thornhill, Bibby Boclear, Leon Jones) 61.36; 2. Cincinnati Elder 62.57; 3. Cleveland John Adams 62.67; 4. Kent Roosevelt 63.19; 5. Euclid 63.77; 6. (tie) Ann Arbor Pioneer 63.92; Dearborn Heights Robichaud 63.92.

100 METER DASH — 1. Tyrone Wheatley, Dearborn Heights Robichaud 10.4; 2. Jonathan Burrell, Cleveland John Marshall 10.5; 3. Kercheval Patterson, Ypsilanti 10.6; 4. Shayne Maurice, Toronto St. Michael's 10.7; 5. Andre Edwards, Belleville 10.7; 6. Dajuan Banks, Cleveland East Tech 10.8.

110 METER HIGH HURDLES — 1. Tyrone Wheatley, Dearborn Heights Robichaud 13.87; 2. Russ Pernus, Painesville Riverside 13.88; 3. Brian Vance, Indianapolis Lawrence North 14.44; 4. Ricardo Best, Toronto Central Tech 14.73; 5. Olan Simpson, Kent Roosevelt 14.83; 6. James Jackson, Detroit Cody 14.85.

HIGH JUMP — 1. Jason Kimble, Cincinnati Elder 6-6; 2. Mike Lowe, Kent Roosevelt 6-4; 3. John Napper, Middletown 6-2; 4. (tie) Ron Guercioli, Parma Senior 6-2; Craig Zeigler, Painesville Riverside 6-2; Jan Edwards, Toronto Central Tech, 6-2.

FRIDAY RESULTS

4 x 800 METER RELAY — 1. Toronto Neil McNeil (Cliff Keane-Lettman, Dean Manning, Gary Fitzpatrick, Kevin Christiani) 7:53.8; 2. Toronto St. Michael's 8:02.0; 3. Cleveland Heights 8:04.0; 4. Cleveland John Adams 8:04.2; 5. Chesterton 8:06.0; 6. Genoa 8:09.8.

POLE VAULT — 1. Matt Botos, LaGrange Keystone 15-0; 2. Chad Brennan, Huber Heights Wayne 13-6; 3. (tie) Shane Hinton, Tontogony Otsego 13-0; Doug Lee, Toledo Whitmer 13-0; Tony Wilson, Parkersburg 13-0; 6. (tie) Tod Burwell, Lancaster 13-0; Steve Carr, Titusville 13-0.

MEDLEY RELAY — 1. Chillicothe (Nathan Seeratz, Charlie Coppel, Jason Brown, Eric Putnam) 7:44.1; 2. Toronto St. Michael's 7:44.8; 3. Cleveland John Marshall 7:46.3; 4. Cleveland West Tech 7:51.0; 5. Toledo Whitmer 7:54.4; 6. Ann Arbor Pioneer 8:02.9.

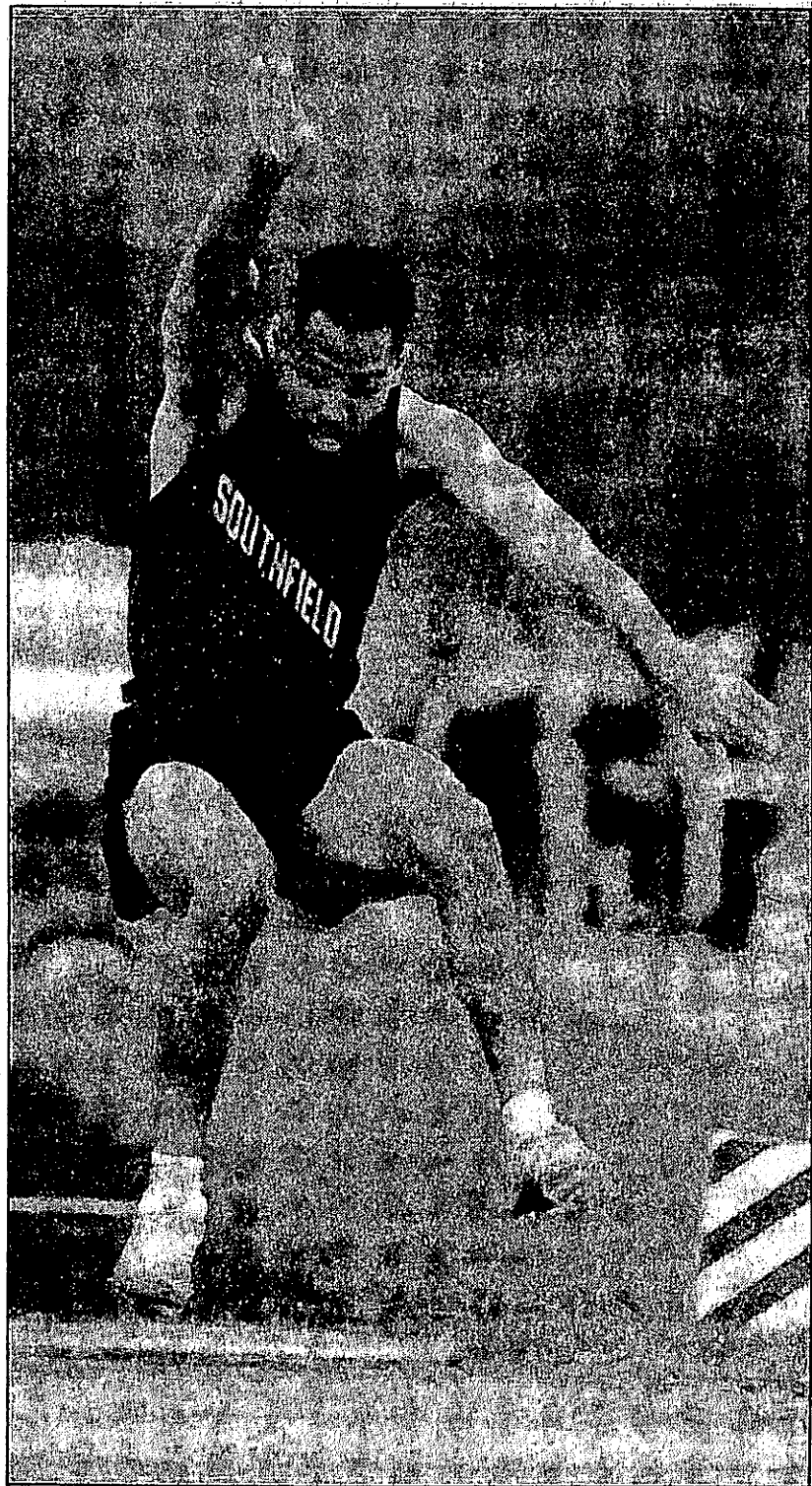
TRIPLE JUMP — 1. Sam Davis, Pickering 45-1¾; 2. Jason McKenzie, Pickering 43-7½; 3. Jason Kimble, Cincinnati Elder 43-1¾; 4. Dave Smith, Kitchener Grand River 40-8½; 5. Jeff Johnson, Cleveland Heights 40-8½; 6. Garth Coleman, Mississauga Erindale 40-1½.

3,200 METER RUN — 1. Brian Hesson, Caldwell 9:21.7; 2. Eric Smoot 9:21.8; 3. Todd Walker, Lancaster 9:30.9; 4. Gary Kinnee, Flint Kearsley 9:35.0; 5. Jim Neumann, Centerline 9:35.8; 6. Terry McLean, Cincinnati Elder 9:38.4.

4 x 1,800 METER RELAY — 1. Lancaster (Eric Clumb, Gary Dille, Todd Walker, B.J. Holland) 18:44.8; 2. Toronto St. Michael's 18:49.4; 3. Monroe 18:53.2; 4. Chesterton 18:57.4; 5. Clayton Northmont 19:01.8; 6. Sylvania Southview 19:03.5.

LOCAL GIRLS 4 x 100 METER RELAY — 1. Ashland (Megan Snyder, Dina Smith, Jan Goschinski, Jan Hoverstock) 51.0; 2. Mansfield Senior (Monica Beslick, Ayesha Davis, Nikki Stewart, Jane Parker) 51.4; 3. Clear Fork 53.2; 4. Lexington 53.4; 5. Gallion 56.4; 6. Plymouth 57.9.

LOCAL GIRLS 4 x 800 METER RELAY — 1. Mansfield Senior (Latoya Williams, Holly Robinson, Julie Van Harting, Suzanna Platner) 10:17.5; 2. Clear Fork (Jenny Solomon, Kristine Palmer, Carrie Spayde, Susa Durham) 10:35.0; 3. Gallion 10:37.6; 4. Lexington 10:43.1; 5. Ashland 10:49.0; 6. Plymouth 11:47.3.



Lamar Chapman of Southfield (Mich.) High School takes off during the long

Long jumper denies sweep by Wheatley

By Larry Phillips
News Journal

MANSFIELD — Tyrone Wheatley left everyone in his dust Saturday at Mehock Field — everyone that is but Jeff Johnson, who left Wheatley in the sand.

The Cleveland Heights senior pulled off the day's only win over Wheatley by soaring to a long jump of 22 feet, 11¾ inches. Wheatley, the defending long jump champion, got off a 22-1½ effort to capture second place.

It was the lone blot on an otherwise perfect day for Wheatley the multi-talented senior from Dearborn Heights (Mich.) Robichaud. He garnered three gold medals in the 100 meters, 200 meters and 110 high-hurdles to single-handedly dominate the 59th Mehock Relays.

Odds showed Wheatley as the overwhelming favorite to capture the long jump too. Last year's winning length of 23-3 was farther than anyone in this year's field had jumped. Not only that, but Johnson hadn't even qualified for the 1990 Mehock long jump finals.

But Johnson had taken a vow earlier this year not to lose outside, and even in miserable weather conditions Saturday, he kept his promise to fly past his major rival.

"(Wheatley) beat me at the nationals in Syracuse during indoors. I think he finished fourth, and I finished seventh," Johnson said. "Since outdoor season started, I've been telling myself I'm not going to be beaten."

So far, Johnson has not been beaten in an outdoor competition this season. But he had to battle a little adversity to grab his latest medal.

Friday, he was hobbled by a bum ankle and finished fifth in the triple jump.

"I hit (the ankle) at Cleveland Heights on a piece of steel on the jumping board. It was swollen and inflamed. It really bothered me a lot more yesterday than it did today," Johnson said.

Wheatley, meanwhile, was running back and forth from the medals stand to check in with other events. The 100 meter dash, 110 high hurdles, and the long jump all were completed in less than an hour.

That pace finally took its toll.

"The long jump is all form and mechanics," Wheatley said. "When you're tired, you kind of forget about that stuff."

Still, Wheatley was able to best the rest of the field