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LAST WEEK

Wednesday, April 14, 2010

- PAC North Quad meet New Wilmington, Pa.
- Men (three teams) 1. Westminster - 82
- 2. Grove City 52
- 3. Saint Vincent 10

Women (two teams) 1. Westminster - 98 2. Grove City - 42

Saturday, April 17, 2010

Westminster Titan Invitational - New Wilmington, Pa. Men (five teams) Women (eight teams) 3. Westminster - 112.5 1. Westminster - 221 4. Geneva - 87 5. Geneva - 66

Bethany/Grove City/Saint Vincent/Thiel/Wash. & Jeff./ Waynesburg at IUP Ed Fry Invitational - unscored

PAC MEN'S TRACK ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

SCOTT RYAN

Washington & Jefferson College

Freshman - long distance H.S.



Williamsville, N.Y./Williamsville East

For the second-straight week, Ryan captured first-place honors in the 1,500-meter run with a time of 4:08.10 at the IUP Ed

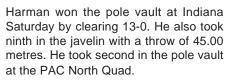
Fry Invitational. He also topped the 1,500-meter field last Saturday at the CMU Quad.

Also nominated was senior Taylor McNeil of Bethany, senior Frankie Hourigan of Grove City, sophomore Richard Peterson of Thiel and freshman Bob Fazzolare of Westminster.

PAC MEN'S FIELD ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

SCOTT HARMAN

Grove City College Sophomore - pole vault Freehold, N.J./Freehold H.S.



Also nominated was freshman Nathanial Hensh of Bethany, sophomore Josh Buckley of Wash. & Jeff., Kurt Bonnet of Waynesburg and senior Jonathan Morrow of Westminster.

THIS WEEK

Wednesday, April 21, 2010

Bethany/Geneva/Wash. & Jeff./Waynesburg at PAC South Quad meet - Bethany, W. Va. - 2:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 24, 2010 Bethany/Geneva/Waynesburg/Westminster at B-W Sparky Adams meet - Berea, Ohio - 10 a.m.

Saint Vincent (M) at St. Francis (Pa.) Invitational - 8 a.m.

PAC WOMEN'S TRACK ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

ABBEY BASTA

Westminster College Senior - short distance Slippery Rock, Pa./Slippery Rock H.S.

In two home meets that the Westminster women won last week, Basta won the 400 hurdles in both meets and improved her time on Saturday with a 1.05.98. She also anchored the 4x400 relay that finished

first in both meets including a 4:10.75 on Wednesday.

Also nominated was senior Jodi Bodo of Bethany, junior Kate Balmer of Grove City, junior Katelynd McElhany of Wash. & Jeff. and junior Mikey Macosko of Waynesburg.

PAC WOMEN'S FIELD ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

KELSIE CROWDER

Westminster College Sophomore - high jump Newton Falls, Ohio/Newton Falls H.S.



Crowder won the high jump in both home meets last week including a 1.53 on Wednesday and a 1.5 on Saturday.

Also nominated was sophomore Rachel Weeber of Grove City, freshman Brittany Brown of Thiel and junior Elisha Jones of Waynesburg.

Bethany Bison

Cold weather hampered the Bison at the IUP Invitational, but BC still recorded solid performances ... Nathanial Hensh tied for first in the pole vault (13-0) for this second straight invitational win in the

event ... Other high placements for the men came from Taylor McNeil, who earned 7th overall and was the top Division III competitor in the 100 (11.24), Danny Farray, who placed 7th in the long jump (19-6) and Seth Myers, who was 8th in the shot put (41-8) and 7th in the discus (132-5) ... For the women, Jodi Bodo raced to a 2nd place finish in the 200 (26.40), while Erin Reske was 3rd in the 5,000 (20:13.71) and Desiree Finley placed 5th in the 400 hurdles (1:09.85) ... The women's 4x100 relay of Kaitlyn Black, Kelli McAbier, Bodo and Rachael Katsur also placed 6th ... This week will see Bethany host their first track meet since the 2001 PAC Championships when they welcome Geneva, W&J and Waynesburg to Bison Stadium for a PAC Quad Meet.

Grove City Wolverines

The Grove City College track and field teams competed in a pair of meets last week in preparation for the PAC Championships May 1 ... On the women's side, junior Kate Balmer picked up wins in the 200 and triple jump at

the PAC North Quad Wednesday at Westminster ... Emily Pierce won the 1500 and Rachel Weeber won the shot put ... Saturday, at Indiana, Pa., Balmer earned third in the 200 ... Ella Smith paced Grove City's effort by finishing second in the steeplechase ... On the men's side, five Wolverines notched wins at Westminster ... John Fite (800), Frankie Hourigan (1500) and Ben Lutz (steeplechase) won on the track while Matt Ridge (shot) and Matt Six (disc) earned field wins ... Scott Harman cleared 13-0 Saturday at Indiana to win the pole vault ... Grove City's 1600 relay team of Nick Philpot, Tim Palma, Lester Bragg and John Fite closed the meet with a win ... Hourigan took second in the steeplechase ... Grove City will host the PAC Championships May 1 at Robert E. Thorn Field.

Thiel Tomcats



Leading the way for the Thiel women at the IUP Ed Fry Invitational was freshman phenom, Brittany **Brown**, who tied for third in the women's high jump with a leap of 1.54-meters. The distance running

combination of Richard Peterson and Regis Wagner led the way for the men, earning second and third place, respectively, in the 5000meter run. Ethan Rowe also had a strong showing, finishing fourth in the 400-meter dash with a time of 51.29, while Scott Stano finished fifth in the javelin with a heave of 49.14-meters.

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

A group of Yellow Jacket athletes competed at the Ed Fry Invitational at Indiana University of Pa. this past Saturday ... The Yellow Jacket women got top-three performances from sophomore Krystal Baker and junior Elisha Jones ... Baker placed



second in the triple jump, while Jones took third in the javelin, which provisionally qualified her for nationals ... Both efforts were the top distances put up by Division III athletes ... Sophomore Carly Schubert put forth an eighth-place effort in the shot put, which qualified her for the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference (ECAC) Championships ... The Jacket men were paced by freshman throwers Kurt Bonnet and Travis Schubert ... Bonnet was outstanding in the discus, placing second in the event with a school-record throw of 45.10 meters ... The toss also qualified him for ECACs ... Schubert placed fourth in the javelin ... Like their female counterparts, Bonnet and Shubert were the top Division III performers in their respective events.

Geneva Golden Tornadoes

It was another week to grow for the Geneva College track and field team. Geneva's women finished fifth overall at the Westminster Invitational with 66 points while the men's team finished the day in fourth GOLDEN TORNADOES place with 87 team points. Leading the way for



Geneva's women was again sophomore Aisha Moore. Moore posted three top ten finishes including a second place overall spot in the triple jump which was good enough for her to qualify in her third event for the NCCAA national meet in May. The men's team was equally as impressive on Saturday. Dan Dillman was again the top thrower on the roster with a second place finish in the shot put and third in the discus. Geneva's lone first place finisher of the day came in the men's 10K race where Nick Edinger took the top spot with an NCCAA qualifying time of 34:04. Wes Marquis shined in a pair of sprinting events with two top five performances in the 100 and 200 meter events. Geneva's Josh Tanis also turned in a third place finish in the 400 meter hurdles.

Saint Vincent Bearcats

The Bearcats participated in a pair of events last week. On Tuesday at the PAC North Quad, hosted by Westminster, Kevin Wanichko led the way individually for SVC. Normally a distance specialist, Wanichko turned in a strong day in sprints, winning the 400 with a time of 51.30 seconds, before taking third in the 200 (24.25).



Cam Stumme led a strong contingent in the 1500, taking second with a time of 4:19, just ahead of teammate Matt Hagg's third-place time of 4:22. Hagg also led the Bearcats in the 800, taking sixth with a time of 2:08.55. On Saturday, the Bearcats took part in the Ed Fry Invitational, hosted by IUP. In dismal conditions, Jeff Hite posted the team's best individual finish on the day, taking third in the 10K with a personal-best time of 33:22.92. The foursome of Shane Sweeney, Mike Stevens, Stumme, and Wanichko took third in the 4x400 relay (3:35.75). Other personal-best times turned in by the Bearcats included Lucas Briola in the 5K (16:34.17) and Ryan Barlow in the 10K (34:03.49).

Washington & Jefferson Presidents

The W&J men's and women's track and field teams participated in the IUP Fry Invitational on Saturday afternoon in Indiana, Pa. ... Freshman Scott Ryan picked up his second- consecutive victory in the 1,500meter run with a time of 4:08.10 ... Sophomores Bryant Wang and Josh Buckley recorded a trio of top-seven



finishes for the Presidents ... Buckley tied for second place in the high jump (1.85 meters) and placed third in the triple jump (13.27m) and long jump (6.35m), while Wang claimed fourth place in the 110-meter hurdles (15.69), fifth in the 400-meter hurdles (58.27) and seventh in the triple jump (11.97m) ... The W&J women were led by juniors Katelynd McElhany and Michelle Wuenstel ... McElhany placed fourth in the 100-meter hurdles (15.38), while Wunestel took the same spot in the 400-meter run (59.56) ... Both squads will be back in action this Wednesday afternoon at the PAC South Quad meet hosted by Bethany College.

Westminster Titans

Westminster hosted two home meets last week, the PAC North Quad Meet Wednesday and the Westminster Invitational Saturday. The Titan women won both meets beating out Grove City Wednesday (98) before topping seven other



teams Saturday (211). The Titan men defeated Grove City and Saint Vincent (82) on Wednesday and placed third out of six teams (112.5) on Saturday. Abbey Basta won the 400 hurdles in both meets and improved her time on Saturday with a 1.05.98. She also anchored the 4x400 relay that finished first in both meets including a 4:10.75 on Wednesday. Kelsie Crowder in the high jump and Emily Dolsak in the discus both won their events on Wednesday and Saturday. Crowder jumped 1.53 meters on Wednesday and Dolsak threw 40.15 also on Wednesday. Freshman Bob Fazzolare won the 400 (51.71) on Saturday, the 200 (23.19) on Wednesday and anchored the winning 4x400 relay on both days and the 4x100 on Wednesday.



AC T&F NOTES

PAC T&F SCHEDULES/RESULTS

Bethany Bison

		Men	<u>Women</u>	
March 20	at California (Pa.) Early Bird Inv	it. Unscored	Unscored	
March 27	at Wheeling Jesuit Invitational	12th/14 (10)	12th/17 (16)	
April 3	at W&J Invitational	7th/14 (57)	5th/14 (72)	
April 10	at Marietta Invitational	5th/6 (51)	4th/7 (76)	
April 17	at IUP Ed Fry Invitational	Unscored	Unscored	
April 21	PAC SOUTH QUAD MEET			
April 24	at Robert Morris Invitational			
May 1	at PAC Championships (Grove City) at Slippery Rock Last Chance Meet			
May 7				
May 13-14	lay 13-14 at ECAC Championships (Springfield)			
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May 14 at Allegheny Invitational

Grove City Wolverines

		Men	<u>Women</u>
March 20	at California (Pa.) Early Bird Inv	it. Unscored	Unscored
March 23	GROVE CITY MINI INVITATION	AL Unscored	Unscored
March 27	at Wheeling Jesuit Invitational	Unscored	Unscored
April 3	at W&J Invitational	13th/14 (15)	14th/14 (2)
April 10	at Slippery Rock Invitational	Unscored	Unscored
April 14	at PAC North Quad	2nd/3 (52)	2nd/2 (42)
April 17	at IUP Ed Fry Invitational	Unscored	Unscored
May 1	PAC CHAMPIONSHIPS		

Geneva Golden Tornadoes

		Men	Women	
March 23	at Grove City Mini Invitational	Unscored	Unscored	
March 27	at Muskingum Invitational	L 62-113	W 66-64	
April 3	at W&J Invitational	8th/14 (43)	12th/14 (17)	
April 10	at Robert Morris Invitational	Unscored	Unscored	
April 17	at Westminster Invitational	4th/5 (87)	5th/8 (66)	
April 21 at PAC South Quad (Bethany)				
April 24	at B-W Sparky Adams Invitational			
May 1	1 at PAC Championships (Grove City)			
May 6-8	May 6-8 at NCCAA Championships (TBA)			

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Saint Vincent Bearcats

		Men
March 20	at California (Pa.) Early Bird Invit.	Unscored
March 27	at Western Pa. Championships (Cal)	3rd/3 (77)
April 3	at W&J Invitational	9th/14 (22)
April 9-10	at Bucknell Bison Open	Unscored
April 10	at Slippery Rock Invitational	Unscored
April 14	at PAC North Quad (Westminster)	3rd/3 (10)
April 17	at IUP Ed Fry Invitational	Unscored
April 24	at Saint Francis (Pa.) Invitational	
May 1	at PAC Championships (Grove City)	
May 13-14	at ECAC Championships (Springfield)	

Thiel Tomcats	Washington & Jefferson Presidents
Men Women	Men Women
March 20 at California (Pa.) Early Bird Invit. Unscored Unscored	March 13 at York Spring Opener Unscored Unscored
March 27 at Washington & Lee Invitational Unscored Unscored	March 20 at Lynchburg Invitational Unscored Unscored
April 3 at Jack Hazen Open Unscored Unscored	March 27 at Washington & Lee Invitational Unscored Unscored
April 10 at Mount Union Open 9th/10 (12) 10th/11 (28)	April 3 W&J INVITATIONAL 2nd/14 (115) 7th/14 (54)
April 17 at IUP Ed Fry Invitational Unscored Unscored	April 10 at Carnegie Mellon Invitational 3rd/4 (119) 4th/4 (83)
May 1 at PAC Championships (Grove City)	April 17 at IUP Ed Fry Invitational Unscored Unscored
May 14 at Allegheny Invitational	April 21 at PAC South Quad (Bethany)
	May 1 at PAC Championships (Grove City)
	May 14 at Allegheny Invitational

Waynesburg Yellow Jackets

		Men	<u>Women</u>
March 27	at Wheeling Jesuit Invitational	11th/14 (15)	7th/17 (61.5)
April 3	at W&J Invitational	6th/14 (63)	T-1st/14 (112)
April 10	at Slippery Rock Invitational	Unscored	Unscored
April 16-17	at IUP Ed Fry Invitational	Unscored	Unscored
April 21	at PAC South Quad Meet (Bethany)		
April 24	at B-W Sparky Adams Invitational		
May 1 at PAC Championships (Grove City)			
May 7 at Slippery Rock Last Chance Meet			
May 13-14 at ECAC Championships (Springfield)			
May 14	May 14 at Allegheny Invitational		

Westminster Titans

		Men	Women	
March 20	at California (Pa.) Early Bird Inv	vit. Unscored	Unscored	
March 23	at Grove City Mini Invitational	Unscored	Unscored	
March 27	at W. Pa. Championships	2nd/3 (218)	1st/2 (285)	
April 10	at Carnegie Mellon Invitational	4th/4 (116.5)	2nd/4 (169)	
April 14	PAC NORTH QUAD MEET	1st/3 (82)	1st/2 (98)	
April 17	WESTMINSTER INVITE	3rd/6 (112.5)	1st/8 (211)	
April 24	at B-W Sparky Adams Invitation			
May 1	at PAC Championships (Grove City)			
May 7	at Slippery Rock Last Chance Meet			
May 21	at Gregory Invitational (North Central)			