



THROWING THE SHOT: Channing Fortin (above) took 12th in the shot put in St. Francis while Kiah Blau (left) came in first and helped the Oberlin girls win their sixth straight tournament. — Herald photos by Susan May

Girls stay at front of pack in track

The Decatur Community High girls track teams made it six in a row with a victory in St. Francis last Tuesday.

This time, the boys also took first place, beating out a dozen teams for the honor.

The Oberlin boys scored 76 points to easily outdistance second-place St. Francis, which had 65. They were followed by Oakley, 56.5; Sharon Springs, 55; Burlington, Colo., 51.5; Hoxie, 45; Cheylin and Weskan, 44 each; Bethune, Colo., 20; Tribune and Winona, 22 each; Atwood, 18; and Brewster, 16.

The Oberlin girls outstripped Atwood by more than 14 points scoring 109.5 for first place while the Rawlins County girls scored 95 for second. Next were Oakley, 76.5; Hoxie, 67.5; Tribune, 58; Weskan 48.5; Cheylin and Sharon Springs, 22 each; Winona, 18; Burlington, 17; St. Francis, 14; and Bethune, 7.

Winter Polivka, Kayla Jones and Miki Dorshorst each won an indi-

vidual championship for the Lady Red Devils and the girls 4x400-meter and 4x800-meter relay teams both came in first.

Cross-country star Tyler Shields was the only Oberlin boy to come home with a first-place medal.

GIRLS

- Winter Polivka, 400 meters, 1:02.77, first.
- Kayla Jones, high jump, 5-2, first.
- Miki Dorshorst, 100 meters, 12.95, long jump, 15-6.5, second.
- Demi Murray, javelin, 107-8, second, discus, 92-7, third; and 100 meters, 14.79, 13th.
- Kiah Blau, shot put, 38-2.75, second, and discus, 91-6, fourth.
- Cassidy Shields, 300-meter hurdles, 51.08, second, and 100-meter hurdles, 17.96, sixth.
- Alexis Hissong, 100-meter hurdles, 17.03, third.
- Morgan Jansonius, 800 meters, 2:40.56, fourth.
- Molly Jansonius, high jump, 4-8, fifth (tie); triple jump, 27-8, 13th; and 800 meters, no time given.

Boys beat the competition to take first at St. Francis meet

- Caitlin Shields, 3,200 meters, 14:20.89, fifth, and 1,600 meters, no time given.
- Darbi Rouse, 1,600 meters, 6:10.59, sixth, and 800 meters, eighth, no time given.
- Brittany Urban, pole vault, 7, seventh (tie); triple jump, 28-8.5; and javelin, 70-7, 15th.
- Lara Zodrow, high jump, 4-8, seventh.
- Rebecca Wentz, shot put, 27-7, 11th, and discus, 60-3, 24th.
- Grace Randel, discus, 70-4, 16th, and javelin, pole vault, no distance given.
- Daisy Rhein, 100 meters, 15.71,

- 16th; 200 meters, 33.35, 18th, and long jump, 11-4.5, 23rd.
- The 4x800-meter relay team of Polivka, Shields, Jansonius and Rouse, 10:29.37, first.
- The 4x400-meter relay team of Jones, Shields, Dorshorst and Polivka, 4:17.81, first.
- The 4x100-meter relay team of Blau, Jansonius, Hissong and Murray, 57.09, seventh.

BOYS

- Tyler Shields, 3,200 meters, 10:42.65, first, and 1,600 meters, 5:02.99, third.
- Connor McHugh, 200 meters, 23.63, second, and 100 meters, 11.82, fifth.
- Channing Fortin, javelin, 138-4,

- second; discus, 111-2.25, sixth; and shot put, 35-6.5, 12th.
- Dalton Jones, 400 meters, 51.97, second, and 800 meters, no time given.
- Ryan May, pole vault, 11, third; long jump, 17-10, seventh; and triple jump, 36-5.5, ninth.
- Nolan Henningson, 400 meters, 55.74, fourth.
- Matt Helm, 3,200 meters, 11:55.74, sixth.
- Matt Glading, 100 meters, 12.14, 12th, and 400 meters, 58.33, 14th.
- Kennedy Fortin, javelin, 108, 12th, and 200 meters, 26.47, 19th.
- Ganon Henningson, triple jump, 33-.5, 16th, and high jump, no height given.
- Kyle Breth, long jump, 14, 24th,

- and 800 meters, no time given.
 - Konner Fortin, 100 meters, 13.3, 20th, and javelin, 94, 21st.
 - Derrick James, discus, 37-9.5, 24th, and 3,200 meters, no time given.
 - Caleb Koerperich, 800 meters, 1,600 meters, no time given.
 - The 4x800-meter relay team of Jones, Shields, Brent Juenemann and Z. May, 8:38.2, second.
 - The 4x400-meter relay team of Jones, Shields, B. Juenemann and N. Henningson, 3:38.51, second.
 - The 4x100-meter relay team of B. Juenemann, Glading, McHugh and Kennedy Fortin, 46.87, third.
- The teams were to be at home on Tuesday for the annual Oberlin Invitational Track Meet.
- Next week, they will be at home again for the Northwest Kansas League Meet on Thursday.
- There will be no school that day, as the junior high track teams and golfers also participate in league activities.

Junior high wins triangular

The Decatur Community Junior High Red Devils won a triangular meet in Quinter on Thursday against the Bulldogs and the Rawlins County Buffaloes.

The combined seventh- and eighth-grade boys team brought home 10 first-place awards, including four for speedster Bryson Wesley and a pair for distance runner Myles Sheaffer.

Keagen Blau and Noah Nelson each came in ahead of the competition for a first and the 4x200-meter and 4x400-meter relay teams won their races.

Rawlins County came in second in the meet and Quinter, third.

- Competing for Oberlin were:
- Wesley, 100 meters, 12.56, 200 meters, 26.52, 400 meters, 59.06, 200-meter hurdles, first.
 - Sheaffer 800 meters, 2:23.23, 1,600-meters, 5:57.75, first, and 400 meters, no time given.
 - Nelson, discus, 99, first, and long jump, 15-7.25, triple jump, 34-3.25, second.
 - Blau, shot put, 39-4, first; 100 meter hurdles, 18.16, second; and high jump, 4-10, fourth.
 - Dante Robertson, 200 meters,

- 29.25, 400 meters, 1:08.16, second; long jump, 13-4, ninth; and pole vault, no height given.
- Quinton Cook, 100 meters, 13.99, second, and discus, 80-1, fifth.
- Cade Wurm, 100-meter hurdles, 19:34, 200-meter hurdles, third; shot put, 32-4, fourth; and 800 meters, 2:47.76, sixth.
- Tabor Erickson, pole vault, 18-6, third; 200-meter hurdles, 32-98, fourth; and 1,600 meters, 6:28.62, fifth.
- Max Diederich, discus, 89-8, third; and 1,600 meters, 6:35.18, third; and 800 meters, no time given.
- Kelly Brown, 3,200 meters, 17:17.58, third; shot put, 24-4.5, 12th; and long jump, 10-2, 19th.
- Jeff Juenemann, 400 meters, 1:08.86, pole vault, 18, fourth; 800 meters, 2:46.75, fifth; and 200-meter hurdles, no time given.
- Evan Shobe, 200 meters, 31.95; 400 meters, 1:09.59, fifth; 800 meters, no time given; and pole vault, no height given.
- Gatlin Hissong, triple jump, 24-8.5 sixth; 1,600 meters, 6:54.24, seventh; and long jump, 12-1,

- 13th.
- Dayton Kempt, 200 meters, 32.98, sixth; 1,600 meters, 7:34.41, shot put, 27-3.5, ninth; and discus, 54-4, 13th.
- Mason Alberg, triple jump, 22-11.75, seventh; 1,600 meters, 7:12.77, eighth; long jump, 10, 20th; and 800 meters, no time given.
- Konner Witt, 100 meters, 15.61, seventh; discus, 71-7, ninth; and shot put, 26-3, 11th.
- Luke Koerperich, 100-meter hurdles, 21.25, eighth; 200-meter hurdles, 38-4, ninth; and long jump, 11-2.5, 16th.
- Daniel Lerew, 100-meter hurdles, 22.9, 10th; long jump, 10-10, 17th; and high jump, no height.
- Adrian Chambers, discus, 46-8, 16th, and shot put, 20-9.5, 18th.
- The 4x200-meter relay team of Cook, Witt, Diederich and Hissong, 2:03.44, first.
- The 4x400-meter relay team of Blau, Sheaffer, Nelson and Erickson, 4:15.17, first.
- The 4x100-meter relay team of Lerew, Chambers, Koerperich and Brown, 1:06.23, third.

Boys beat Quinter, St. Francis

The Oberlin junior high boys beat out both Quinter and St. Francis in a home triangular meet.

St. Francis came in second and Quinter third in the meet April 19.

Bryson Wesley won all four events he competed in. Keagen Blau took two events and Myles Shaffer and Noah Nelson each won one.

- Wesley, 100 meters, 12.34, 200-meters, 26.68, 400 meters, 1:07.11, 200-meter hurdles, 29.72, first.
- Keagen Blau, high jump, 5, shot put, 38-6-5, first; 400 meters, 1:05.38, third.
- Shaffer, 1,600 meters, 5:49.43, first, and 400 meters, 59.97, 800-meters, 2:39.41, second.
- Nelson, discus, 107-7, first, and long jump, 15-4, triple jump, 31-5, third.
- Quinten Cook, shot put, 36-5.5, discus, 102-3, second.
- Tabor Erickson, pole vault, 8, second; 400 meters, 1:07.11, fourth; and high jump, 4-4, sixth.
- Cade Wurm, 100-meter hurdles, 18.59, third, and 200 meters, 29.11, 200-meter hurdles, 32.66, fourth.
- Evan Shobe, pole vault, 7-6, fourth, and 200 meters, 31.01, fifth.
- Luke Koerperich, 100-meter hurdles, 20.18, fifth; 200-meter hurdles, 37.67, seventh; 200 meters, 33.79, eighth; and long jump, 11-5.5, 12th.
- Dante Robertson, long jump, 13-7, fifth; pole vault, 6, eighth; and 800 meters, 2:58.34 ninth.
- Kelly Brown, 3,200 meters, 17:08.05, fifth; 1,600

- meters, 7:23.92, 10th; shot put, 25-1, 11th; and long jump 9-17, 14th.
 - Konner Witt, 100 meters, 15.08; 200 meters, 32.52, seventh; shot put, 17-5, 10th; and discus, 69-4, 12th.
 - Gatlin Hissong, 1,600 meters, 6:56.94, seventh; triple jump, 23-5, ninth; 800 meters, 3:09.32, 10th; and long jump, 11-9, 11th.
 - Dayton Kempt, shot put, 28-8.5, seventh, and 1,600 meters, 7:25.5, discus, 71-8, 11th.
 - Mason Ahlberg, 1,600 meters, 7:07.82, ninth; triple jump, 23-2.5, 10th; 800 meters, 3:12.5, 11th; and long jump, 9-11, 14th.
 - Daniel Lerew, 100-meter hurdles, 22.26, ninth, 100 meters, 16.78, 11th; and long jump, 10-4, 13th.
 - Max Diederich, discus, 79-2, 10th, and 800 meters, 3:24.92, 12th.
 - Adrian Chambers, shot put, 23-1.5, 13th, and discus, 52-1, 16th.
 - The 4x400-meter relay team of Shaffer, Blau, Nelson and Erickson, 4:18.3, first.
 - The 4x100-meter relay team of Diederich, Kempt, Shobe and Cook, 57.2, second.
 - The 4x200-meter relay team of Cook, Robertson, Wurm and Witt, 1:55.94, second.
- This week, the young Red Devils were to be in Hoxie on Tuesday.
- Next week, the team will be at home for the Northwest Kansas League meet at 10 a.m. Friday, May 11. This will be the last track meet for the junior high team.

Be a Booster
Join the DCHS Booster Club and help support our youth.

Come to an informational meeting at 6:30 p.m. Monday, May 14, at DCHS cafeteria. For more information contact Amanda Fortin at 475-8212, or Jen Jimenez at 470-7677.

Notice

Due to replacing water lines, there will be water shut off intermittently from Hall Street to Cass Avenue and Commercial south to Mill Street.

Hey! Kids!

Did you pick up your summer recreation application in the school office so you can play ball this summer. Or you may pick up the application in the County Clerk's Office. Parents need to turn the completed form in to the Clerk's Office at the Courthouse by Friday, May 11th. The cost is \$10 per child.