



## Nebraska, Sullivan pose threat to men

Trevor Kearney  
Oregon Daily Emerald

The men's track and field team faces its toughest competition so far this season in Michigan, Nebraska and Washington State at the Pepsi Team Invitational on Saturday at 12:30 p.m.

"I don't overlook the Pac-10 meet because the Pac-10 meet is one of the top meets in the country," Oregon head coach Bill Dellinger said of the team's schedule. "But certainly this will probably be one of the better four-way meets in the country. Every event will have some outstanding people in it."

Possibly the toughest individual competition the Ducks will see, however, will be from Michigan sophomore Kevin Sullivan. He is a specialist in the mile whose 3-minute, 55.33 second mile is the fastest in the world this year.

### 1995 MEN'S TRACK

Meet six: Pepsi Inv.

■ **WHAT:** NCAA indoor champions invade Hayward Field.



■ **THE HAMMER:** Men's field events begin with the hammer at 12:30 p.m. Running events begin with the short relay at 1:55 p.m.

Sullivan, a friend of Oregon sophomore Ben Andrews, is the favorite in the 1,500-meter run after posting a 3:39.95 clocking earlier in the season. Along with Andrews, who holds a personal record of 3:44.65, the 1,500 race will feature Oregon junior Rick Cantwell and Nebraska distance runner Balazs Tolgyesi, whose PR in the event this year is 3:44.28.

That type of competition, Andrews said, makes the meet all the better. "It will be fun to be able to say you raced against the No. 1 guy in the world," said Andrews, "and

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While junior decathlete Ray Livingston has all but clinched an NCAA invitation, he and the rest of the men's track and field team will face stiff competition at Saturday's meet.

## Pepsi meet provides tough task for Ducks

Kris Henry  
Oregon Daily Emerald

The Oregon women face their toughest challenge so far this season in Saturday's Pepsi Team Invitational at Hayward Field.

The Ducks tackle the perennial Big Eight Conference champions and defending Big Ten league leaders as well as a Pacific-10 Conference foe in what shapes up to be one of the hottest events to hit Eugene.

"This is an exciting meet," Oregon head coach Tom Heinonen said. "Our fans love it and the athletes can really get into it."

"This is just great competition with the added incentive on the team scores knowing that, whether you're the No. 1 or No. 2 athlete for your school, you're really important."

Oregon has dominated the Pepsi Invitational in past years, but the Ducks' seven-year string of success came crashing to a halt with last year's third-place effort.

The invitational's feature competition will be from a highly talented Nebraska squad. The Cornhuskers return a trio of All-Americans from the contingent that tied for 16th in last spring's

NCAA meet, yet that doesn't include 10-time All-American Shanelle Porter.

Porter sat out last season with a foot injury and hasn't competed in her top event, the 400-meter dash, this year. She owns a personal-best 51.93 seconds in the 400 while being clocked in the 200-meter dash this year at 24.75.

Track & Field News has forecast this year's NCAA order of finish in the 400 to be Porter, Louisiana State's Youlanda Warren and Oregon's Camara Jones. "Nebraska is a really solid

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### 1995 WOMEN'S TRACK

Meet seven: Pepsi Inv.

■ **WHAT:** Huskers pose challenge for game Ducks.



■ **THE JAVELIN:** Women's field events begin with the javelin at 12:10 p.m. Running events begin with the 5,000 meters at 1:30 p.m.

## FRIDAY

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### Duck Notes

Women's tennis closes at home today and Saturday

The Oregon women's tennis team will wrap up its regular season schedule at home this weekend against visiting Portland State on Friday at 3 p.m. and Seattle on Saturday at 9 a.m. at the Esslinger covered courts.

The Ducks (9-9 overall), with a roster of mostly freshmen, have had a season that shows a lot of promise for the future. Oregon will return eight of its nine players next year.

Oregon will close out its season at the Open Collegiate Championships from April 27-30 in Ojai, Calif.

### Women's hoops sign recruit

Kadaiya Johns, a 5-foot-8 point guard from Long Beach, Calif., has signed a national letter-of-intent to play basketball at Oregon.

Johns completed her senior season averaging 17.6 points a game and a team-high eight assists.

The three-year starter helped her prep team to its first ever California Interscholastic Federation championship with a 26-5 record.

### Fegent named Oregon women's hoops MVP

Junior center Renae Fegent was named the Oregon women's basketball team's most valuable player, and guard Sally Crowe was selected as the team's most inspirational player at the Ducks' annual awards banquet Thursday night.

Fegent is the program's second newcomer ever to earn MVP honors in her initial collegiate campaign since the award was first distributed in 1982. Crowe also earned honors as Oregon's most valuable newcomer.

Sophomores Betty Ann Boeving and Cindie Edamura shared the team's awards as the most improved players.

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