

BAKER TRACK AND FIELD TEAMS COMPETE IN 3 EVENTS IN 2 DAYS

Bulldog boys, girls win Ontario meet

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Baker's track and field teams concluded a hectic weekend by winning the girls and boys team titles at the Saint Alphonsus Invitational meet on Saturday, April 30, in Ontario.

The Baker boys amassed 145 points to easily top Adrian and Nyssa, which tied at second with 76 points. Powder Valley was third with 74 points.

On the girls side, Baker had 141.5 points. Ontario was second with 112. Powder Valley placed seventh with 30.5 points.

A day earlier, Friday, April 29, some Baker athletes competed in the Kiwanis Twilight Invitational at Hermiston, while others were in action at the Don Walker meet in Nyssa.

Baker coach Suzy Cole said she designed the busy weekend to help athletes get in as many events as they wanted, and to give varsity competitors a chance to run two days in a row to get used to the schedule at the state meet.

"It was a long weekend for the kids," Cole said. "I was very pleased with how well some of them responded — especially the distance runners coming back on Saturday after running the steeplechase on Friday. Emma Baeth competed really strong in back-to-back meets. Some of the kids struggled, but the purpose of the back-to-back weekend was to see where we were. I am sure they will respond very well in the future because of the effort made this weekend."

On Saturday at Ontario, Brooklyn Jaca was the high point runner for the girls, winning the 100 hurdles and placing second in the 300 hurdles. Jaca was also a member of Baker's winning 4x400 relay team.

Emma Baeth won the 800 and 1,500, and Sydney Lamb and Sofie Kaaen had lifetime bests in the 1,500, and Emma Timm had personal records in the 200 and 400. Ryann Paulsen had a lifetime record in winning the javelin throw.

On the boys side, Angel DeArcos won the 800, and Peyton Waters, Seth Mastrude and Sage Darlington all had PRs in the 800. Waters and Jordan Mills also had PRs in the 1,500.

Tate Powell won the discus and was third in the shot put.

Baker athletes also had many PRs in the Don Walker meet Friday at Nyssa, including Nick Hughes in the 100 and 400, Powell in the discus (finishing first), and Haven Olson in the long jump, 200 and 400.

Mike Gentry won the shot put with a personal record.

Sofia Hanson had strong performances in the long jump, triple jump and 200.

Cole said the Kiwanis Twilight at Hermiston is always a fun meet for distance runners as it is the only meet that includes a steeplechase (where runners have to leap over hurdles and plunge through a water obstacle).

Lamb won the girls 2K steeplechase, and Kaaen was second.

Daniel Brown was third in the 3K steeplechase.

On Friday, May 6, Baker will host the Baker Invitational with 24 teams competing. It will be a special day, Cole said, as Baker honors the late Ray Uriarte, who coached for more than 30 years at BHS. The "Ray Day" meet will feature a tribute to Uriarte, who died earlier this year.

Field events will start at 10 a.m., with running events starting at noon.

Saint Alphonsus Invitational, Ontario

Girls individual results

(PV — Powder Valley)

100

Ayla Bingham (PV), 3rd, 13.94; Alexis Conant, 6th, 14.45; Jayden Whitford, 7th, 14.53; Jaycee Gray (PV), 10th, 14.78; Maddy Leggett (PV), 15th, 15.78; Dallee Bingham (PV), 16th, 16.06

200

Anna Belding, 4th, 27.70; Emma Timm, 8th, 30.68; Lilly Collins, 15th, 34.51

400

Anna Belding, 1st, 1:03.03; Emma Timm, 3rd, 1:05.75; Sydney Lamb, 7th, 1:13.09; Jodi Bingham (PV), 8th, 1:13.72; Maddy Leggett (PV), 9th, 1:17.54; Hadley Wallace (PV), 10th, 1:26.54

800

Emma Baeth, 1st, 2:29.49

1,500

Emma Baeth, 1st, 5:07.65; Sydney Lamb, 2nd, 5:26.64; Sofie Kaaen, 3rd, 5:36.63; Avery Collier, 8th, 6:54.68

100 hurdles

Brooklyn Jaca, 1st, 18.36; Alexis Conant, 5th, 19.65; Anna Johnson, 8th, 20.42; Evan Rexroad, 11th, 23.86

300 hurdles

Brooklyn Jaca, 2nd, 52.26; Anna Johnson, 7th, 58.59

4x100 relay

Powder Valley, 3rd, 56.82 (Ayla Bingham, Jodi Bingham, Jaycee Gray, Maddy Leggett)

4x400 relay

Baker, 1st, 4:27.84 (Anna Belding, Brooklyn Jaca, Emma Timm, Emma Barth)

Shot put

Jozie Ramos, 6th, 28-10; Abby Cox (PV), 7th, 27-11.5; Ryann Paulsen, 8th, 26-7; Lilly Collins, 9th, 24-3

Discus

Lilly Collins, 5th, 78-6; Ryann Paulsen, Abby Cox (PV), 7th, 68-8; Evan Rexroad, 9th, 64-0

Javelin

Ryann Paulsen, 1st, 112-3; Jozie Ramos, 4th, 87-10; Dallee Bingham (PV), 5th, 87-2

High jump

Jozie Ramos, 3rd, 4-6; Brooklyn Jaca, 5th, 4-4; Anna Johnson, 7th, 4-0

Pole Vault

Sofie Kaaen, 4th, 6-6

Long jump

Ayla Bingham (PV), 1st, 15-3.5

Triple jump

Sofia Hanson, 8th, 24-11

BOYS

100

Reece Dixon (PV), 3rd, 11.70; Kayden Garvin, 8th, 12.27; Tom Gregg (PV), 16th, 12.82; Gaige Birmingham, 19th, 13.01; Gabe Bott, 24th, 13.49

200

Kaden Krieger (PV), 2nd, 23.37; Reece Dixon (PV), 3rd, 24.09; Malaki Myer, 4th, 24.16; Kayden Garvin, 7th, 24.59; Diego Quintela, 11th, 24.85; Wyatt Hawkins, 14th, 25.49; Tom Gregg (PV), 17th, 26.01; Orrin Cobb (PV), 24th, 29.32

400

Angel DeArcos, 4th, 54.94; Wyatt Hawkins, 7th, 55.69; Tom Gregg (PV), 10th, 57.54; Hunter Bingham (PV), 12th, 1:01.80; Casey Vaughan (PV), 18th, 1:06.82

800

Angel DeArcos, 1st, 2:09.71; Peyton Waters, 3rd, 2:16.11; Seth Mastrude, 4th, 2:17.31; Hunter Bingham (PV), 6th, 2:24.55; Sage Darlington, 12th, 2:31.47

1,500

Peyton Waters, 2nd, 4:42.40; Jordan Mills, 3rd, 4:45.14; Sage Darlington, 9th, 5:28.60; Allen Bedolla (PV), 10th, 5:32.58

3,000

Tanner Lucas, 3rd, 11:56.70

110 hurdles

Kaden Krieger, 1st, 16.68; Dash Bloomer, 3rd, 18.43; Thaddeus Pepera, 5th, 20.02

300 hurdles

Kaden Krieger, 1st, 42.13; Thaddeus

Pepera, 3rd, 43.40

4x100 relay

Baker, 2nd, 45.91 (Wyatt Hawkins, Kayden Garvin, Diego Quintela, Malaki Myer)

4x400 relay

Baker, 4th, 3:50.98 (Wyatt Hawkins, Diego Quintela, Malaki Myer, Angel DeArcos); Baker, 5th, 4:06.39 (Gaige Birmingham, Giacomo Rigueiro, Sage Darlington, Thaddeus Pepera)

Shot put

Tate Powell, 3rd, 38-9.5; Mike Gentry, 5th, 37-5; Logan Proffitt (PV), 6th, 37-3

Discus

Tate Powell, 1st, 114-10; Logan Proffitt (PV), 5th, 102-5; Mike Gentry, 7th, 97-2

Javelin

Dash Bloomer, 2nd, 133-2; Gaige Birmingham, 3rd, 127-4; Colton Birmingham, 9th, 103-10

High jump

Kaden Krieger, 1st, 5-10; Thaddeus Pepera, 5th, 5-4

Pole Vault

Gabe Bott, 1st, 10-6

Long jump

Reece Dixon (PV), 3rd, 19-0; Reeve Damschen, 7th, 18-2; Kayden Garvin, 9th, 17-2

Triple jump

Reece Dixon (PV), 2nd, 40-7.75; Dash Bloomer, 5th, 38-9.5; Giacomo Rigueiro, 9th, 34-11.5

Kiwanis Twilight Invitational, Hermiston

Boys individual results

100

Malaki Myer, 5th, 11.62; Wyatt Hawkins, 12th, 11.98; Kayden Garvin, 14th, 12.09; Izek Cleveland, 31st, 13.76

200

Malaki Myer, 4th, 23.58; Wyatt Hawkins, 9th, 24.61; Diego Quintela, 10th, 24.68; Gaige Birmingham, 17th, 25.76

400

Angel DeArcos, 3rd, 54.53; Diego Quintela, 6th, 55.95; Reeve Damschen, 9th, 56.41

800

Angel DeArcos, 6th, 2:08.71

1,600

Sage Darlington, 16th, 5:54.99

110 hurdles

Daniel Brown, 5th, 18.34; Thaddeus Pepera, 9th, 19.11

300 hurdles

Thaddeus Pepera, 2nd, 43.37

3K steeplechase

Daniel Brown, 3rd, 10:54.17; Jordan Mills, 7th, 11:38.52; Seth Mastrude, 9th, 12:56.04

4x100 relay

Baker, 3rd, 45.04 (Wyatt Hawkins, Kayden Garvin, Diego Quintela, Malaki Myer)

4x400 relay

Baker, 3rd, 3:38.19 (Wyatt Hawkins, Diego Quintela, Malaki Myer, Angel DeArcos)

Shot put

Jacob Mills, 15th, 34-0; Dillon Multop, 22nd, 30-7

Discus

Dillon Multop, 19th, 85-8; Jacob Mills, 20th, 85-6; Alex Hobbs, 22nd, 82-8; Kevin Gutierrez, 26th, 77-0

Javelin

Dash Bloomer, 2nd, 146-3; Gaige Birmingham, 13th, 112-8; Alex Hobbs,

14th, 108-1; Kevin Gutierrez, 27th, 77-8

High jump

Thaddeus Pepera, 8th, 5-4

Pole vault

Gabe Bott, 6th, 9-6; Gaige Birmingham, 13th, 8-0

Long jump

Reeve Datschen, 8th, 17-9.5; Kayden Garvin, 10th, 17-7; Dash Bloomer, 16th, 16-8

Triple jump

Dash Bloomer, 3rd, 39-7; Izek Cleveland, 17th, 30-0

GIRLS

100

Alexis Conant, 12th, 14.22; Jayden Whitford, 18th, 14.45; Lani Pierce, 28th, 15.66

200

Anna Belding, 3rd, 28.02; Alexis Conant, 12th, 29.38; Lani Pierce, 22nd, 33.01

400

Emma Baeth, 1st, 1:00.89; Anna Belding, 3rd, 1:02.22

800

Emma Baeth, 2nd, 2:29.55; Emma Timm, 5th, 2:35.90

100 hurdles

Brooklyn Jaca, 4th, 17.94; Alexis Conant, 10th, 18.98; Anna Johnson, 12th, 19.56

300 hurdles

Brooklyn Jaca, 4th, 51.36; Anna Johnson, 13th, 57.97; Jayden Whitford, 14th, 58.88

2K steeplechase

Sydney Lamb, 1st, 8:28.54; Sofie Kaaen, 2nd, 8:29.11

4x100 relay

Baker, 3rd, 52.82 (Sofia Hanson, Emma Baeth, Jayden Whitford, Alexis Conant)

4x400 relay

Baker, 1st, 4:14.95 (Anna Belding, Brooklyn Jaca, Emma Timm, Emma Baeth)

Javelin

Jozie Ramos, 10th, 88-9

High jump

Jozie Ramos, 3rd, 4-10; Brooklyn Jaca, 8th, 4-6

Long jump

Jozie Ramos, 9th, 13-7.5; Lani Pierce, 21st, 11-10.75

Don Walker Invitational, Nyssa

Girls individual results

PE — Pine Eagle; H — Huntington

100

Sofia Hanson, 10th, 29.21; Ella Randall (PE), 26th, 14.85; Colleen Carlsen (H), 30th, 15.07; Lilly Collins, 40th, 33.83; Evie Davis (PE), 42nd, 16.34; Emma Annis (PE), 43rd, 16.47; Alex Dewey (H), 44th, 17.00

200

Taylor Cochell (PE), 17th, 30.26; Colleen Carlsen (H), 27th, 32.22; Evie Davis (PE), 42nd, 35.02

1,500

Emma Annis (PE), 13th, 6:40.10

100 hurdles

Natalia Mathes (H), 15th, 21.12

4x100 relay

Pine Eagle, 12th, 59.08 (Emma Annis, Evie Davis, Ella Randall, Taylor Cochell)

Shot put

Ella Randall (PE), 2nd, 34-0.5; Ryann Paulsen, 12th, 26-5.5; Maria Errera (H), 22nd, 22-3; Lilly Collins, 31st, 22-4.5; Montana Williams, 33rd, 22-



Photo by Thaddeus Pepera

Baker's Sydney Lamb, left, and Sofie Kaaen compete in the 2K steeplechase at the Kiwanis Twilight Invitational track and field meet on Friday, April 29, 2022, at Hermiston. Lamb won the race and Kaaen finished second.

2.5; Meadoh Waldrop, 39th, 21-3; Taylor Cochell (PE), 45th, 20-10; Evan Rexroad, 57th, 18-6

Discus

Lilly Collins, 19th, 70-6; Colleen Carlsen (H), 24th, 66-11; Maria Errera (H), 25th, 65-0; Montana Williams, 28th, 61-2; Evan Rexroad, 35th, 58-8; Evie Davis (PE), 46th, 47-10; Emma Annis (PE), 49th, 36-5

Javelin

Ryann Paulsen, 2nd, 102-1; Ella Randall (PE), 5th, 89-9.75; Montana Williams, 12th, 81-11; Colleen Carlsen (H), 29th, 60-9; Meadoh Waldrop, 35th, 53-5; Maria Errera (H), 36th, 53-1.5

High jump

Emma Preissing (H), 8th, 4-4; Evan Rexroad, 12th, 4-2; Natalia Mathes (H), 16th, 4-0

Long jump

Taylor Cochell (PE), 12th, 13-2; Sofia Hanson, 18th, 12-9; Natalia Mathes

(H), 19th, 12-5; Emma Preissing (H), 32nd, 10-5

Triple jump

Sofia Hanson, 8th, 28-10

BOYS

100

Reid Davis (PE), 30th, 13.08; James Denson (PE), 33rd, 13.26; Nahom Svitak, 44th, 13.76; Bailey Hicks (H), 4th, 13.79; Nick Hughes, 49th, 23.98; Danny Phan (H), 53rd, 14.60; Michael Carlsen (H), 56th, 15.16; Giovanni Cartwright (PE), 57th, 15.20; Tyson Hunt (PE), 58th, 15.29

200

Cole Morgan (PE), 5th, 24.72; James Denson (PE), 33rd, 27.42; Trace Gover (PE), 40th, 28.19; Giovanni Cartwright (PE), 43rd, 28.47; Haven Olson, 44th, 28.49; Nahom Svitak, 46th, 28.85; Danny Phan (H), 50th, 30.87

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