

Mustang thinclads place at state

"We could have done better and we could have done worse," was the way Heppner track coach Dale Conklin summed up his team's performance at the state Class A track and field championships held Saturday at Lewis and Clark College in Portland.

Three Mustang tracksters placed among the top six finishers in their events, setting one school record along the way.

Sophomore Maureen Healy led the Heppner delegation

with a second place finish in the 220, covering the distance in 26.7. Healy's high jump of 5'2" placed third and she also finished third in the 440 with a time of 61.4. Her preliminary 440 time of 60.9 set a new school mark. Healy's 20 points place her in a second place tie for individual girls' scoring.

The girls' 440 relay team of Healy, Jackie Mollahan, Laurie Harrison and Tami Lucas missed qualifying for the finals and Diane Holland also

competed in the javelin and discus.

In the boys' competition, Dave Allstott placed fourth in the high jump with a leap of 6'3" but missed qualifying in both the triple jump and long jump. Marty Smith finished sixth in the shot put with a throw of 46'4 1/2" and also competed in the discus.

Although Carl Christman didn't place in the pole vault, his showing of 11'9" was a lifetime best.

season tickets ready

Season tickets for the 1977-78 Heppner High School football schedule are now ready for distribution. The price for the five-game home slate is \$6.25—a savings of \$1.25 over the individual game price.

This year, season ticket holders will also be entitled to a 25 per cent reduction on the purchase of volleyball game tickets. Further information concerning the season tickets can be obtained by calling John Sporseen, HHS Athletic Director.

Heppner nets 8-8 season

Heppner turned a six-run fifth inning into the winning margin and went on to beat Sherman 9-5, gaining a doubleheader split in high school baseball action Thursday.

The Mustangs dropped the first game of the twin bill 14-3. Eleven batters went to the plate during the big inning, which began with a single by Scott Groshens. Jim Kenny then doubled and both runners were knocked home by Dave Allstott's double. Dennis Peck added another RBI with a single and Randy Worden and Groshens both produced two-run singles.

Heppner got some clutch relief pitching from Allstott who shut down a bases loaded two-out Sherman threat in the fifth to preserve the win for Worden.

For the game, Allstott banded three hits and Peck

and Groshens both added a pair.

The first game was a different story as Sherman jumped off to a seven-run lead after two frames and Sherman hurlers tamed the Mustangs with 12 strike-outs. One bright spot was Allstott's triple in the first.

The split left Heppner with an 8-8 overall final record and a 2-4 mark in Columbia Basin Conference play.

Golfers compete

Eight Heppner golfers participated in a Boardman Ladies' Invitational golf match last week at Willow Run Golf Course.

Competition was limited to intra-team play and leaders for the Heppner ladies included: Lois Hunt, low gross; Norma Harrison and Sharon Harrison, tie for low net; Frances Crook, long drive and Lois Hunt, closest to the pin.

Indians grab lead in Little League

LITTLE LEAGUE STANDINGS

Indians	3-2
Braves	3-3
Giants	2-2
Dodgers	2-3

The Indians are leading the Little League as of May 23. They won 10-2 over the Braves Monday night to take over first place. Howard Leavitt was winning pitcher.

The leading hitter for the Indians for the season has been Roger Morter. Steve Millman has done a good job at bat—he had two hits in the

loss to the Dodgers Saturday. Millman is also a leading fielder on the team.

The Braves have been led at bat by Buddy Marlin who was batting .500 through games of last week. Pat Parker was hitting at a .360 pace. Parker, Marlin, and Brannon have each been a winning pitcher for the Braves. Brannon has been one of the team's leading fielders to date.

The Giants' leading batter is Justin Lowe. Bruce and Mark Way are also doing a good job at the plate. Mark Way has

possibly provided the best steady influence in the field for the Giants.

The last place Dodgers have some heavy hitting in Jay Hayes who is batting over .600 and Greg Connor who is batting over .500. Steve Crewse was the winning pitcher in the 23-4 victory over the Indians last Saturday. He also had four hits. Dennis Papineau turned in the best fielding game of the year for any Dodger as he played a fine game at shortstop last Saturday.

statistics

	HITTING										FIELDING				
	AB	R	H	Ave.	SB	BB	SO	RBI	BOE	PO	A	E	Ave.	Innings Played	
Kendall Thomas (jr.) CF	51	8	8	.157	3	7	23	8	4	24	1	1	.962	167	
Jim Kenny (jr.) LF	50	15	12	.240	6	12	9	4	3	19	0	0	1.000	105	
Dennis Peck (so.) P-C-3B-SS	50	15	17	.340	7	7	6	7	6	24	88	8	.933	167	
David Allstott (sr.) P-1B	49	13	16	.327	2	8	10	11	4	73	41	1	.991	167	
Randy Worden (so.) RF-P-3B	46	14	12	.261	2	6	14	12	3	6	31	4	.902	167	
Bruce Young (jr.) DH-RF	40	7	15	.375	2	4	9	12	4	7	1	2	.800	82	
Dale Holland (fr.) C-SS-3B	55	11	20	.364	1	6	13	12	2	106	21	9	.934	167	
Curtis Sweek (jr.) SS-3B	33	6	3	.091	3	8	17	4	3	23	25	6	.889	90	
Scott Groshens (so.) 2B	12	3	3	.250	3	6	7	5	0	15	17	2	.941	98	
Scott McEwen (so.) 3B-SS	7	0	1	.143	0	1	2	2	0	7	10	16	.630	55	
Jody Marlatt (fr.) RF-LF	14	0	0	.000	0	0	4	1	0	3	1	0	1.000	42	
Mike Stookey (so.) PR-PH-DH-1B	11	6	1	.091	0	9	5	2	0	0	0	0	—	37	
Jack Yocum (jr.) 1B-RF-DH-PH	8	4	0	.000	0	4	4	1	0	4	0	3	.571	34	
Gordon Hoffnagle (jr.) RF	1	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—	5	
Chris Rauch (sr.) PH-1B	1	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—	2	
Marty Smith (jr.) PH	1	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—	1	
TEAM	428	104	108	.252	29	75	123	91	29	309	234	46	.922	107	
PITCHING		IP	R	ER	ERA	H	BB	SO	W	L					
Peck	45+	46	18	2.73	41	34	46	4	4						
Worden	35	36	19	3.78	43	14	23	3	1						
Allstott	22+	33	12	3.71	20	26	36	1	3						
TEAM	103	115	49	3.29	104	74	105	8	8						

Records set at Ione

Three county records and two school records powered the eighth grade segment of the Ione Junior High School boys' track team to a first place finish in a field of nine teams at the combined Morrow-Umatilla Counties meet held May 19 at Blue Mountain Community College.

Ione's medley relay team of Greg Rietmann, Scott Martin, Duane Fetsch and Treve Peterson set a new county mark with a 2:51.7 first place finish. The 440 relay team of Peterson, Fetsch, Rietmann and John Murray finished second but still managed to set a new school record of 50.8.

In individual events, Leslie Thompson's 9'7" pole vault set a new county mark and he was followed by Rietmann in third and Martin in fifth. Thompson tied for first and gained a share of the new county record with a 15.8 showing in the 120-yard low hurdles. Fetsch took third in the event.

Thompson placed second place in both the high jump and the 100-yard high hurdles. His 16.1 timing in the hurdles set a new school record and his high jump tied the old

school mark. Rietmann placed fifth in the high jump.

Peterson took top honors in the 220 with a time of 25.9, and placed fifth in the 100 with a time of 11.8.

In the 880, Martin was second across the line in 2:25.6 and Shawn LaRue was fourth.

LaRue also placed second in the 1,320 with a time of 3:57.1 and Bernie Rey finished fifth in 4:07.9.

The seventh grade boys had one first place winner in John Murray, who won the 220 in a new county record time of 26.9. Other Ione scoring came from Murray's third place 100 run of 11.7 and Roger Morter's fourth place 880 run of 2:44.9. The 440 relay team, consisting of Craig Gutierrez, Morter, Casey Farger and Denny Starr placed seventh. The seventh grade team placed seventh overall.

The Ione eighth grade girls' track team set a new school record in the 1,320 medley relay while finishing sixth overall among ten teams during junior high school track action at BMCC. The school record breaking team of Lisa Meyers, Lori Prock,

Margaret Kincaid and Teena Linstrom placed fifth in the event with a time of 3:32.2.

Meyers also took second in the 880 with a time of 2:50.1 and third in the 440 with a 71.4 clocking.

In the long jump, Kincaid's 14'3 1/2" leap was good for a third place finish.

The seventh grade girls scored well, finishing fourth in the team standings.

The 1,320 relay team of Mary Kincaid, Anita Palmer, Diane Morter and Michelle LaRue finished second with a time of 3:42.1 while the 440 relay team consisting of Morter, Kincaid, LaRue and Anne Murray took third place in a time of 62.7.

Margaret Doherty's season best of 12.6 in the 100 was good for a third place and her 220 run of 29.6 also placed her third.

Lori Prock also recorded her season best in the 880 where her time of 2:54.7 was good for a fifth place finish.

Kincaid rounded out Ione's scoring with second place high jump of 4'4 1/2" and a 74.4 timing in the 440 which placed her fifth.

Hunting season set

General buck season for the Northwest Region will run this year from Oct. 1 through Nov. 6, and the Southwest Region season will run Oct. 1 through 30, according to the state Fish and Wildlife Commission.

The commission has approved a high Cascade buck season for Sept. 10-18 and a mule deer harvest for Oct. 15-23. The general mule deer

buck season will be Oct. 1-12. Rocky Mountain elk season is set for Oct. 29-Nov. 13 except in the hunting areas of Desolation, Pine Creek, Starkey, Wanaha and Snake River where it will end Nov. 6. Roosevelt elk season will run Nov. 12-20.

General buck season for antelope is set for Aug. 27-31. Bear season for the Coast

Range and Northwest area is set for Aug. 1-Dec. 31 and in the Cascades and Central area for Aug. 1-Nov. 30. Cougar season will be from Dec. 1-31 and silver-gray squirrels from Sept. 1-Oct. 31.

A new rule that will set a cutoff date at midnight before the opening of the season for obtaining elk and deer tags has also been approved.

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