

Youth Track Club competes at Umatilla Meet



Jacee Currin carries the baton in the girls' 4x100 relay. -Contributed photo

The South Morrow Youth Track Club traveled to Umatilla to compete on April 28. Results are as follows:

- 50M**
 5-6 Boys
 Trevor Nichols, 10.38; Keegin Chitty, 12.04; Ty Boor, 12.47; Dillan Doyle, 12.57; Narin Stone, 12.69.
 5-6 Girls
 McKenna Bray, 10.00.
100M
 5-6 Boys
 David Cribbs, 20.94; Cody Fletcher, 21.78; Keegin Chitty, 23.5; Ty Boor, 25.37; Dillan Doyle, 26.81.
 5-6 Girls
 Ireland Martin, 26.44; Camryn Scrivner, 29.84.
 7-8 Boys
 Brock Hisler, 18.25; Noah Stone, 19.86.
 7-8 Girls
 Marlee Mitchell, 18.53; Rylee Bray, 18.75; Kendall Dowdy, 22.09; Genevieve Smith, 22.75; Kylie Boor, 23.13; Aimee Turrell, 25.38.
 9-10 Boys
 Mason Lehman, 17.22; Kael Osmin, 17.60.
 9-10 Girls
 Jacee Currin, 18.37.
 11-12 Boys
 Patrick Burch, 21.43.
1500M
 7-8 Boys
 Casey Fletcher, 7:06.
4x100 Relay
 7-8 Boys
 Lehman, Hisler, Fletcher and Osmin, 1:15.47.
 7-8 Girls
 Michell, Smith, Dowdy and Nichols, 1:18.97.
 9-10 Boys
 Lehman, Lehman, Mitchell and Nichols, 1:12.07.
 9-10 Girls
 Stone, Nichols, Scrivner and Currin, 1:17.90.
400Meter Run
 5-6 Boys
 Trevor Nichols, 1:45.12; Cody Fletcher, 1:53.28.
 7-8 Boys
 Brock Hisler, 1:36.56; Jackson Lehman, 1:37.34; Noah Stone, 1:40.37.
 7-8 Girls
 Madelyn Nichols, 1:30.82; Marlee Mitchell, 1:44.25.
 9-10 Boys
 Hunter Nichols, 1:27; Peyton Lehman, 1:30; Cason Mitchell, 1:41.28.
 9-10 Girls
 Leah Stone, 1:42.75.
 11-12 Boys
 Alex Lindsay, 1:24.87.
800 Meter Run
 5-6 Boys
 Trevor Nichols, 3:57.
 7-8 Boys
 Jackson Lehman, 3:39.
 7-8 Girls
 Madelyn Nichols, 3:35; Marlee Mitchell, 3:53.
 9-10 Boys
 Hunter Nichols, 3:22; Peyton

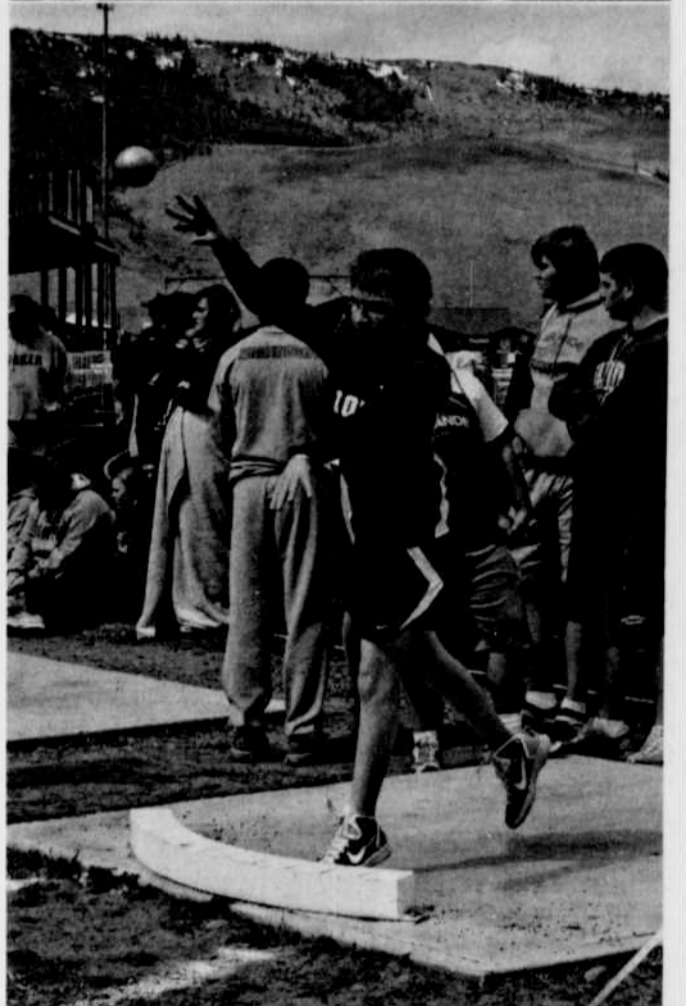
- Lehman, 3:37.
 9-10 Girls
 Jacee Currin, 3:48.
 11-12 Boys
 Alex Lindsay, 3:46.
200 Meter Run
 5-6 Boys
 David Cribbs, 50.37; Trevor Nichols, 50.60; Keegin Chitty, 54.88; Cody Fletcher, 54.90.
 7-8 Boys
 Jackson Lehman, 40.22; Brock Hisler, 41.60; Casey Fletcher, 44.43.
 7-8 Girls
 Madelyn Nichols, 41.56; Marlee Mitchell, 50.47; Kylie Boor, 52.35.
 9-10 Boys
 Hunter Nichols, 37.88; Kael Osmin, 40.97; Peyton Lehman, 42.85; Cason Mitchell, 46.44.
 11-12 Boys
 Alex Lindsay, 36.72.
 11-12 Girls
 Reiah Waite, 48.22.
Shot Put
 5-6 Boys & Girls
 Dillan Doyle, 8'9"; David Cribbs, 7'8"; Narin Stone, 7'5"; Ireland Martin, 6'6".
 7-8 Boys & Girls
 Noah Stone, 18'8"; Casey Fletcher, 17'5"; Kendall Dowdy, 17'3"; Kylie Boor, 8'10"; Aimee Turrell, 7'4.5".
 9-10 Boys & Girls
 Cason Mitchell, 13'3"; Caitlyn Scrivner, 12'3".
 11-12 Boys & Girls
 Patrick Burch, 13'1"; Jimmy Adams, 12'3".
Long Jump
 5-6 Boys & Girls
 McKenna Bray, 6'5"; David Cribbs, 6'3"; Narin Stone, 6'1.5"; Cody Fletcher, 5'11"; Ireland Martin, 5'9"; Ty Boor, 5'8"; Keegin Chitty, 5'2".
 7-8 Boys & Girls
 Genevieve Smith, 8'5"; Noah Stone, 7'9"; Rylee Bray, 7'3"; Aimee Turrell, 6'4".
 9-10 Boys & Girls
 Jacee Currin, 9'5"; Leah Stone, 9'; Caitlyn Scrivner, 5'10"; Mason Lehman, 5'5".
 11-12 Boys & Girls
 Alex Lindsay, 10'1"; Darby Holtz, 8'5"; Nichole Shaw, 7'10"; Jimmy Adams, 7'7"; Reiah Waite, 6'.
Turbo Javelin
 7-8 Boys & Girls
 Aimee Turrell, 13'5".
 9-10 Boys & Girls
 Leah Stone, 40'2"; Caitlyn Scrivner, 23'10".
 11-12 Boys & Girls
 Patrick Burch, 34'5"; Jimmy Adams 21'8".

A beautiful day in Union set the scene for the 15 teams in attendance on April 30. Ione took three women competitors, who scored 24 team points, and eight men who scored 14 points for the day. Kaid Peck had another awesome day with two PRs in his three events. He increased his shot put to 12'3" and his long jump to 7'2". He was consistent for the weekend in his discus throw of 35'. Luke Emmel put in a season best performance in two of his three events, raising his javelin distance to 120'7.5" and lowering his time in the 100M dash to 12.68a, while winning a close finish in one of the heats. Kirk Haguewood set a PR in shot put with a throw of 33'11". Steven Holland ran a PR time of 54.8a in the 400M race.

Makenna Ramos returned to the 200M race after a two-year reprieve, setting a season benchmark of 30.45a, and placing 7th. Makenna also placed 7th in the 100M with a time of 14.37a, scoring four team points for her efforts. Beth Morter scored 20 team points with two first-place finishes, bringing home two gold medals. Her triple jump was 33' and she ran the 800M, unchallenged, with a time of 2:36.30. Her strategy was to stay with the two LaGrande girls, whose time was 2:33, so she could beat Ione's school record. However, during the first corner, she realized they were moving too slow, so after the "cut-in" line, she made her way around the pack, and maintained her pace to win. With no one to pace her, she narrowly missed her goal by 1.2 seconds. She will attempt the record-breaking run again next week or at districts in two weeks. Siren Endresen ran the 1500M with a better time of 6:12.92a on Saturday than in the wind on Friday.

Ione competes in their final regular season meet in Baker City, Friday May 6 at 2 p.m. Then Ione goes to districts in Moro (Sherman Co.) Saturday, May 14 at 11 a.m. The state track meet for 1A will be held the following weekend, May 20-21. The event schedules will be posted on the OSAA website.

After this weekend's improvements, moving into the top 10 in district are: Tanner Rietmann, who



Top: Beth Morter finishes as an unchallenged first in the 800M on April 30. Bottom: Kaid puts the shot 12'3" for a new PR at the Union meet. -Photo by Paula Emmel

is in a three-way tie with Alex and Evan Rietmann in the 100M in fifth position; Makenna Ramos, who is now in eighth in the 200M; and Kirk Haguewood, who moved up to position #2 in javelin.

Ione currently has three individual team members (Shadow, Beth and Tanner) and both the men's and women's 4x100 relay teams in the 1A state top 10 standings. The top 25 1A state standings also include nine individual Ione track team members and both 4x100 relay teams. They are:
 100M: #8 Shadow, #20 Steven, #22 Makenna
 200M: #4 Shadow, #11 Steven

Tallman to speak to Tea Party

Morrow County Judge Terry Tallman will be the featured speaker at the Willow Creek Tea Party meeting set for Monday, May 9 at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held at Columbia Basin Electric in Heppner. Subjects will include the Bombing Range, windmills, the Boardman coal-fire plant and questions from the floor. The public is invited to attend.

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County Horse Show and teaching others to ride and rope.

He participated in senior rodeos for 30 years, beginning in Las Vegas in 1978; he has competed in all of the western states and in Canada. As a member of the National Senior Pro Rodeo Association (NSPRA), Fulleton qualified several times for the NSPRA National Finals. He continued to rodeo until 2007, when he retired from the NSPRA at the age of 90.

Fulleton is now retired and divides his time between Arizona and Oregon. His retirement interests include breaking horses to buggy, fixing and selling used cars, and helping the McElligott family move cattle.

FFA banquet May 12

The Heppner FFA chapter will hold its annual banquet on Thursday, May 12 at 6 p.m. at the Fair Annex Building. Dinner will be served at 6:30. Members of the community are invited to attend the evening.

The Friends of Heppner FFA will have a brief meeting prior to the banquet. Those interested can contact Travis Harrison for details.

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