



The following Leafs helped lead Geneseo to a strong 5th place team showing. Front Row: Kenny Collis, Logan Patton
Back Row: Elliott Kenney, Dan Chenoweth, Ryan Kotecki, Jaran Heaton, Nate Silver, Tom Peal, Jeremy Peters, Ben Koenig

The Leafs successfully opened their competitive season with a strong 5th place team showing at Rock Island's Quad City Open. More to follow.

RESULTS

Leafs start year with fifth at QC Invite

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Sports Editor

Although the Leaf track and field team was shorthanded Feb. 28 and March 1 at the Quad City Indoor Invite, Geneseo finished in fifth place, overall, out of 16 teams at the Pepsico Center on the Augustana College campus.

"This was a high-power invite and with only a partial team, we had a tremendous start," Head Coach Don Fredericks said. "Only having 10 guys, we were very happy."

Geneseo received two first-place finishes from seniors Jeremy Peters and Dan Chenoweth. Peters took first in the high jump with a leap of 6-0 and Chenoweth took the tape in the 1600-meter run with a time of four minutes and 24.61 seconds.

"Jeremy had a personal best in the high jump and that was a tremendous win for him," Fredericks said. "Dan ran a tremendous race and broke the meet record by seven seconds. It was a great start."

Elliott Kenney came away with a fourth-place finish in the triple jump with a mark of 40-03, while the 3200-m relay of Chenoweth, Kenny Collis, Ryan Kotecki and Nate Silver finished

sixth in 8:48.50.

In other field events, Tom Peal had a jump of 5-6 in the high jump and, in the long jump, Kenney had a mark of 18-5 and Peters, 18-4 1/2.

On the track, Peal and Ben Koenig competed in the 55-m high hurdles — Peal in 8.64 and Koenig, 9.33; in the 55-m dash, Peters crossed the finish line in 7.07 and Logan Patton, in 7.24; and in the 400-m dash, Peters clocked a time of 58.82 and Peal, 59.52.

The 800-m relay of Patton, Jaran Heaton, Koenig and Kenney ended with a time of 1:41.32; in the 200-m dash, Heaton finished in 25.17 and

Koenig, 26.04, while the 1600-m relay of Silver, Chenoweth, Patton and Kenney finished in 3:47.333.

"A bunch of guys just missed placing, but had tremendous efforts and we are really happy with the start," Fredericks said.

Geneseo will be action next week at 5 p.m. March 13 against Dixon and Rochelle at the Westwood Sports Complex in Sterling.

"It's still early yet, but we will look for early-season feedback at Sterling and we should have a full team," Fredericks said. "We hope to see a few more surprises."



Boys Track Team "Digs" Snow

Winter's snow can't keep the boys track athletes from getting after it on the track recently. Coaches Fredericks and Quick as well as shoveled lane one allowing the athletes to get at least one workout in on the track before the next snowstorm hits.

Is that Jeremy Peters in the distance with his shirt off?

2007 QUAD CITY INDOOR INVITE: RESULTS

Varsity Results

Host Site: Pepsico Center at Augustana College

Date: 3/01/07

Weather Conditions: Perfect

Scoring: 10-8-6-4-2-1

Timing System: F.A.T.

Team Scores: 1.) Rock Island 96; 2.) United Township 76; 3.) Pleasant Valley 49; 4.) Davenport North 34.5; 5.) Geneseo 25; 6.) Bettendorf 24; 7.) Davenport West 22; 8.) Dunlap 21; 9.) Rock Island Alleman 19; 10.) Muscatine 14; 11.) Moline 9; 12.) Davenport Assumption 8; 13.) Davenport Central 3.5; 14.) Rockridge 2; 15T.) Burlington 0; 15T.) North Scott 0

High Jump: 1.) Jeremy Peters-12 (Geneseo) 6' 00"; 2.) Kale Brockmann-12 (Dav. West) 6' 00"; 3.) Josh Rice-12 (Rock Island) 6' 00"; 4.) Nate Warden-12 (U.T.) 6' 00"; 5T.) Tim Strohbeen-12 (Alleman) 5' 06"; 5T.) Justin Thomas-12 (Dav. North) 5' 06"

Additional Geneseo Athletes: Tom Peal-11 5' 06"

Long Jump: 1.) Packy Amundsen-12 (Dunlap) 19' 09"; 2.) Mark Taylor-12 (Rock Island) 19' 07 3/4"; 3.) Martin Olawami-12 (Dav. North); 4.) Quinton Musgrow-11 (U.T.) 19' 04 1/2"; 5.) Garrett Scott-11 (Bettendorf) 19' 01 3/4"; 6.) Brian Gaines-09 (Dunlap) 18' 10 1/4"

Additional Geneseo Athletes: 8.) Elliott Kenney-12 18' 05"; 9.) Jeremy Peters-12 18' 04 1/2"

Pole Vault: 1.) Nathan Bush-12 (Alleman) 12' 00"; 2.) Caleb Gatherright-12 (Rock Island) 11' 06"; 3.) Jordan Cox-12 (Rock Island) 11' 06"; 4.) Luke Martinez-11 (U.T.); 5.) Mike Tapia-12 (Rockridge) 10' 00"; 6.) Andrew Kalinauskas-11 (Moline) 8' 06"

Additional Geneseo Athletes: No Geneseo Entry

Shot Put: 1.) Matt Porter-11 (Bettendorf) 48' 01"; 2.) Ethan Tuftee-11 (Assumption) 47' 10 1/2"; 3.) Matt Wendt-11 (U.T.) 46' 08 1/2"; 4.) Paris Dothard-12 (Rock Island) 46' 08"; 5.) Blake McManus-12 (Muscatine) 44' 09 1/2"; 6.) Dustin Staver-11 (Dav. North) 44' 07"

Additional Geneseo Athletes: No Geneseo Entry

Triple Jump: 1.) Quinton Musgrow-11 (U.T.) 41' 10 1/2"; 2.) Andre Patterson-12 (Rock Island) 41' 07"; 3.) Josh Rice-12 (Rock Island) 40' 04 3/4"; 4.) Elliott Kenney-12 (Geneseo) 40' 03"; 5.) Alex Anderson-11 (Moline) 37' 07 1/4"; 6.) Tony Carroll-12 (U.T.) 35' 03 1/2"

Additional Geneseo Athletes: No Additional Athletes

55 Meter High Hurdles: 1.) Josh Pope-11 (U.T.) 8.18; 2.) Drew Shradel-11 (P.V.) 8.29; 3.) Justin Clark-12 (U.T.) 8.34; 4.) Tyler Gayman-12 (Dav. West) 8.42; 5.) Martin Olawami-12 (Dav. North) 8.49; 6.) Bryce Banks-11 (Rock Island) 8.57

Additional Geneseo Athletes: 9.) Tom Peal-11 8.64; 16.) Ben Koenig-11 9.33

55 Meter Dash: 1.) Richard Lewis-11 (Rock Island) 6.44; 2.) Alex Reimers-12 (Muscatine) 6.73; 3.) Darnall Evans-12 (Rock Island) 6.77; 4.) Darian Peer-11 (Dav. North) 6.78; 5.) Danny Howard-12 (Dav. Central) 6.85; 6.) John Michaletti-11 (Alleman) 6.85

Additional Geneseo Athletes: 12.) Jeremy Peters-12 7.07; 23.) Logan Patton-10 7.24

3200 Meter Relay: 1.) Pleasant Valley (Jordan Land-12, Charlie Paul-11, Austin O'Brien-09, Ben Misak-12) 8:31.16; 2.) Davenport North (Justin Thomas-12, Dustin Hawley-10, Terry Showers-12, Stephen Arvanis-12) 8:34.44; 3.) Rock Island (Kyle Staley-12, Travis Anderson-10, Scott Sparkman-11, John Gaffney-11) 8:36.40; 4.) Dunlap (Steve Bettenhausen-11, Nathan Selling-11, Packy Amundsen-12, Blake Brooks-11) 8:36.58; 5.) Moline (Colby Schulz-12, Brian Small-11, Jonathan Smith-10, Joe Zahn-10) 8:39.50; 6.) Geneseo (Dan Chenoweth-12, Kenny Collis-09, Ryan Kotecki-11, Nate Silver-12) 8:48.50

Geneseo Splits: Dan Chenoweth 2:02.41 (60); Kenny Collis 2:21.59 (67); Ryan Kotecki 2:14.26 (65); Nate Silver 2:09.83 (61)

400 Meter Dash: 1.) Mike Hemming-11 (P.V.) 53.89; 2.) Tyler Gayman-12 (Dav. West) 55.57; 3.) John Michaelletti-11 (Alleman) 55.85; 4.) Brent VanLanduyt-11 (U.T.) 55.95; 5.) Jordan Martinez-11 (Dav. West) 55.98; 6.) Josh Rice-12 (Rock Island) 55.99

Additional Geneseo Athletes: 17.) Jeremy Peters-12 58.82; 20.) Tom Peal-11 59.52

800 Meter Relay: 1.) Rock Island (Richard Lewis-11, Darnall Evans-12, John Gunter-12, Clarence Hood-11) 1:34.00; 2.) United Township (Airreo Greer-10, Nate Warden-12, DeMykhal Teague-09, Quinton Musgrow-11) 1:36.63; 3.) Bettendorf (Garrett Scott-11, Jared Masterson-10, Dan Tharp-11, Pat Brown-10) 1:38.34; 4.) Muscatine (Ian Merrill-12, Josh Hetzler-11, Tucker Sulzberger-12, Alex Reimers-12) 1:38.53; 5.) Davenport North (Emilio Santoro-11, Justin Brown-10, Jason White-11, Darren Peer-11) 1:38.71; 6.) Pleasant Valley (John Qian-12, Bruce Clark-11, Connor Peters-10, Drrew Shrader-11) 1:39.09

Additional Geneseo Athletes and Splits: 7.) Geneseo (Logan Patton-10 25.10, Jaran Heaton-11 26.09, Ben Koenig-11 25.50, Elliott Kenney-12 24.31) 1:41.32

1600 Meter Run: 1.) Dan Chenoweth-12 (Geneseo) 4:24.61; 2.) Devin Albaugh-11 (P.V.) 4:25.36; 3.) Blake Irwin-11 (P.V.) 4:29.67; 4.) Blake Brooks-11 (Dunlap) 4:36.31; 5.) Jerome Harms-12 (U.T.) 4:42.13; 6.) Kyle Staley-12 (Rock Island) 4:42.35

Additional Geneseo Athletes & Splits: 1.) Dan Chenoweth-12 4:24.61 (64 - 2:13 (69) - 3:20 (67) - 4:24.61 (64); 15.) Ryan Kotecki-11 5:00.40 (69 - 2:25 (76) - 3:45 (80) - 5:00.40 (75)

200 Meter Dash: 1.) Richard Lewis-12 (Rock Island) 25.55; 2.) Airreo Greer-10 (U.T.) 23.45; 3.) Pat Brown-10 (Bettendorf) 23.90; 4.) Darnall Evans-12 (Rock Island) 24.35; 5.) Chad Weber-11 (Dunlap) 24.65; 6.) DeMykhal Teague-09 (U.T.) 24.71

Additional Geneseo Athletes: 11.) Jaran Heaton-11 25.17; 20.) Ben Koenig-11 26.04

1600 Meter Relay: 1.) Davenport North (Justin Thomas-12, Terry Showers-12, Maurice Anderson-11, Stephen Arvanis-12) 3:35.72; 2.) United Township (Josh Pope-11, Nate Warden-12, Brent VanLanduyt-11, Jerome Harms-12) 3:42.03; 3.) Pleasant Valley (Mike Hemming-11, Bruce Clark-11, Connor Peters-10, Blake Irwin-11) 3:43.01; 4.) Moline (Colby Schulz-12, Brian Small-11, Joe Zahn-10, Patrick Sweeney-11) 3:43.63; 5.) Davenport West (Collin Bickford-12, Cory Schaeckenbach-12, Nolan Peterson-10, Matt Leal-10) 3:44.14; 6.) Rock Island (John Gunter-12, Clarence-11, James Henderson-11, Bryce Banks-11) 3:44.35

Additional Geneseo Athletes & Splits: 7.) Geneseo (Nate Silver-12 55.19, Dan Chenoweth-12 57.44, Logan Patton-10 57.25, Elliott Kenney 57.09) 3:47.33

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