



Geneseo also takes sixth at Rock Island Invitational

Leafs take 6th at Rock Island Invite

The Maple Leafs also had a strong showing at the Rock Island Invitational last Friday night, placing sixth.

The always-tough field included some of the top talent in the state.

Host Rocky won the meet with 242 points, Thornwood was second with 201.5 points

and Lockport was third with 192 points.

Moline was fourth with 127 points, Harlem was fifth with 119 points and the Leafs were sixth with 112 points.

United Township was 14th with 32 points and Alleman was 16th with five points.

The Leafs did the most damage at the meet in the field events.

Russell led the charge with first-place finishes in both the A-flight long jump and the B-flight triple jump.

Russell jumped 21'03 1/2" in the long jump and 42' 11" in the triple.

Russell also placed third in

the A-flight high jump, leaping 6'.

Josh Reschke took third place in the A-flight triple jump with a leap of 42' 11-1/2".

Reschke also placed second in the C-flight long jump with a jump of 18'10".

Josh's younger brother Luke also had a strong showing at the meet.

Luke Reschke won the B-flight high jump and the B-flight long jump.

In the high jump, Reschke cleared 5'10" and in the long jump he recorded a leap of 20'01 1/2".

Kiss was second in the C-

some strong performances.

Trujillo was third in the 800 A-flight with a time of 1:59.67.

Trujillo was also fifth in the 1600 A-flight with a time of 4:41.95.

Next, Fluck took fifth in the 1600 B-flight and sixth in the 3200 A-flight. He finished the 1600 in 4:39.57 and the 3200 in 10:13.81.

Schindwein was second in the B-flight with a time of 10:28.25. He was also fifth in the 1600 C-flight with a time of 4:54.76.

The Leafs 800 relay team of L. Reschke, Kuban, S. Russell and Steinkopf placed fourth in the event, finishing in 1:33.17.

Caleb Diericx was sixth in the 300-hurdles with a time of 46.80.

The 1600 relay team of L. Reschke, Kiss, Widick and J. Reschke took eighth in the event, finishing in 3:38.89.

Next up, the Maple Leafs head to the Sterling Invitational tonight at 5 p.m.

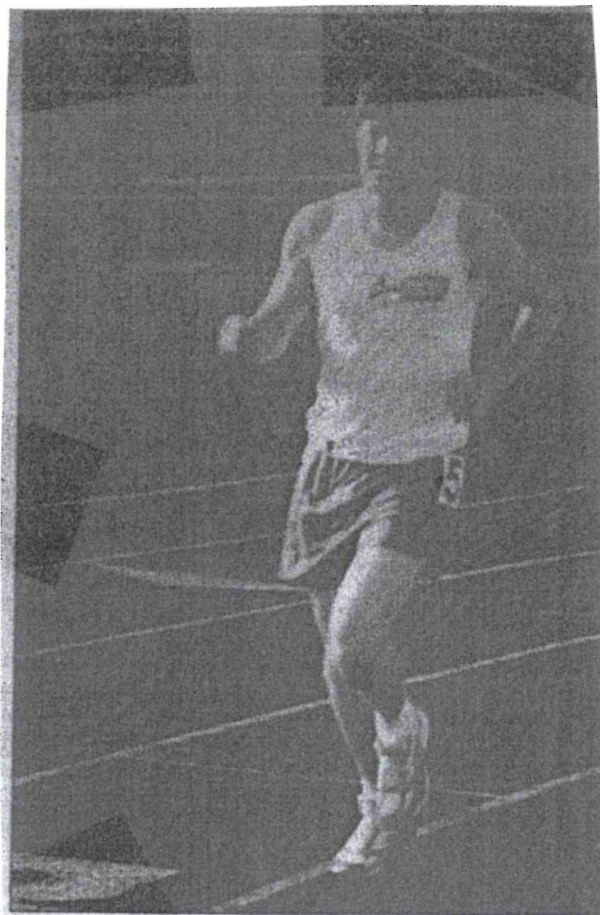
Snook said the meet will feature some top teams in the area.

"The competition at Sterling will be very strong with Rock Island there," Coach Snook said.

"We also get to take a look at conference rival Dixon, who we haven't seen since March," he added.

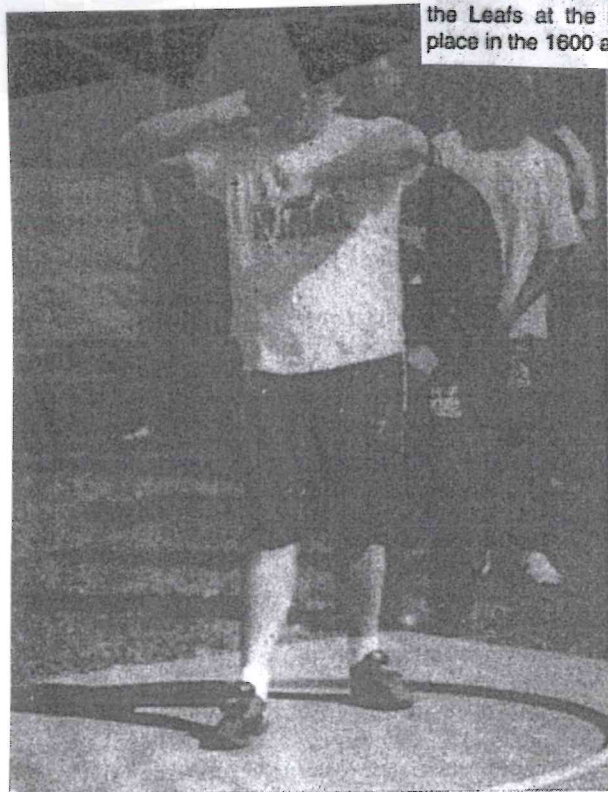
"Hopefully, our depth in the jumps will help us score some big points as at the Rock Island Invite. With the quality of the field not as strong as at Rock Island, we are hoping to be in the hunt for a second place trophy," he added.

After that, the Leafs host the John McCormick Invitational next Friday, May 9 at 4:30 p.m.

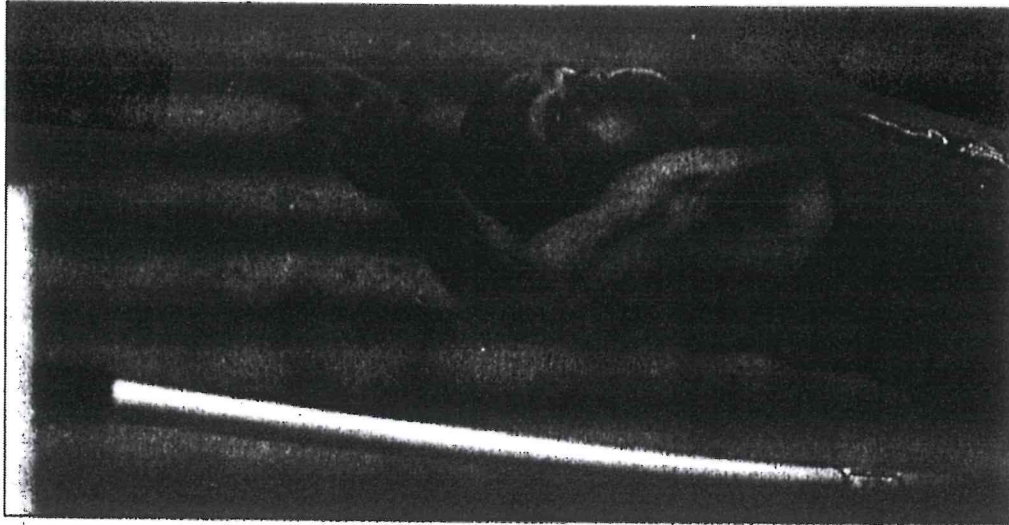


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LEAFS IN ACTION. Geneseo's Kyle Fluck, above, runs for the Leafs at the Rock Island Invitational. Fluck took fifth place in the 1600 and sixth place in the 3200 at Rock Island.



READY TO THROW. Geneseo's Kory Klemmer gets set to throw the shot put at the Rock Island Invite. Klemmer finished sixth in the event. He also won the event Tuesday night against Alleman. The Leafs are at Sterling tonight.



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United Township High School junior Darlan Williams attempts to clear 6 feet, 2 inches in the high jump during the Rock Island boys' track invitational at Almquist Field in Rock Island Friday. Williams cleared the 6-2 mark to finish second in the event.

Rock Island runs past state power Thornwood

By Bill Barton
Staff sports writer

The Thornwood boys' track team is the two-time defending Class AA team champion. Yet, Thornwood track coach Jerry Styrsky passed the tag of being the best track team in the state faster than a hot baton.

"All of the Chicago media tabbed us as the team to beat this year," said Styrsky. "I said 'No. We're going to be good, but we're not the No. 1 team.' We felt, like most of the other Chicago schools, that Rock Island was the team to chase."

Rock Island coach Ed Lillis was equally as quick to deflect the notion that his team was a front-runner for a state title.

"Any talk of being the best team in the state is extremely premature," said Lillis. "This is still only April. The guys aren't at their peaks yet."

Perhaps, the hypothetical argument of "team most likely

to succeed at state" can be called a stalemate. Just six days after Thornwood beat Rock Island at the Homewood-Flossmoor Invitational, Rock Island rebounded to defeat the Thunderbirds at the A-B-C format Rock Island Invitational 242 to 201.5 Friday night.

Lockport (192) finished third. Moline (127) was fourth. Geneseo (112) took sixth place, United Township (32) 14th and Alleman (5) 16th.

When Thornwood beat Rock Island a week ago, it was the first time this season the Rocks failed to finish first in a meet.

"I think that maybe opened our eyes a bit," said RI thrower Marcus King. "Everybody thought we were invincible."

"We just had an off-day at Homewood-Flossmoor," said fellow Rocky thrower Eddie Williams. "It was one of those days. It didn't help that we had to wake up at 3:30 in the morn-

ing to make the drive up there. I think that affected our performances."

Friday night, a well-rested Rocky squad flexed its considerable muscle early. The Rocks swept all six shot put and discus events, setting three meet records.

King broke a 26-year-old meet record in the A-flight shot put, throwing 57-feet 9.5-inches. Williams set a B-flight record in the discus, throwing 155-9. Zachary Johnson threw 147-0 to set a record in the C-flight discus.

"Thornwood is interesting because they match up with us in a lot of events — sprints, hurdles, relays and jumps," said Lillis. "The one advantage we have is in the throws. I thought if we could get a good start in the throws, all we would have to do is stay even on the track, which we did."

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■ Track

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The Rocks survived a monstrous performance from Thornwood junior Jeremy Johnson in the sprints. Johnson edged Wayland Ryan in the 100 and 200 and topped Davarus Branigan in the 400 to position himself as one of the top sprinters in the state.

"Of course, I know what Ryan did at state last year," said Johnson, who only qualified in the 100 last year. "I kept wanting to look over my shoulder to see where he was, but I made sure I didn't. I guess right now we don't feel like we're ready to have a bull's-eye on our back."

'I've never been in a race like that before.'

Erik Steffens,
Moline distance runner

Andy Parer ran a personal best in the 300 hurdles, running a winning time of 39.28 to edge Thornwood's Keith Hopkins.

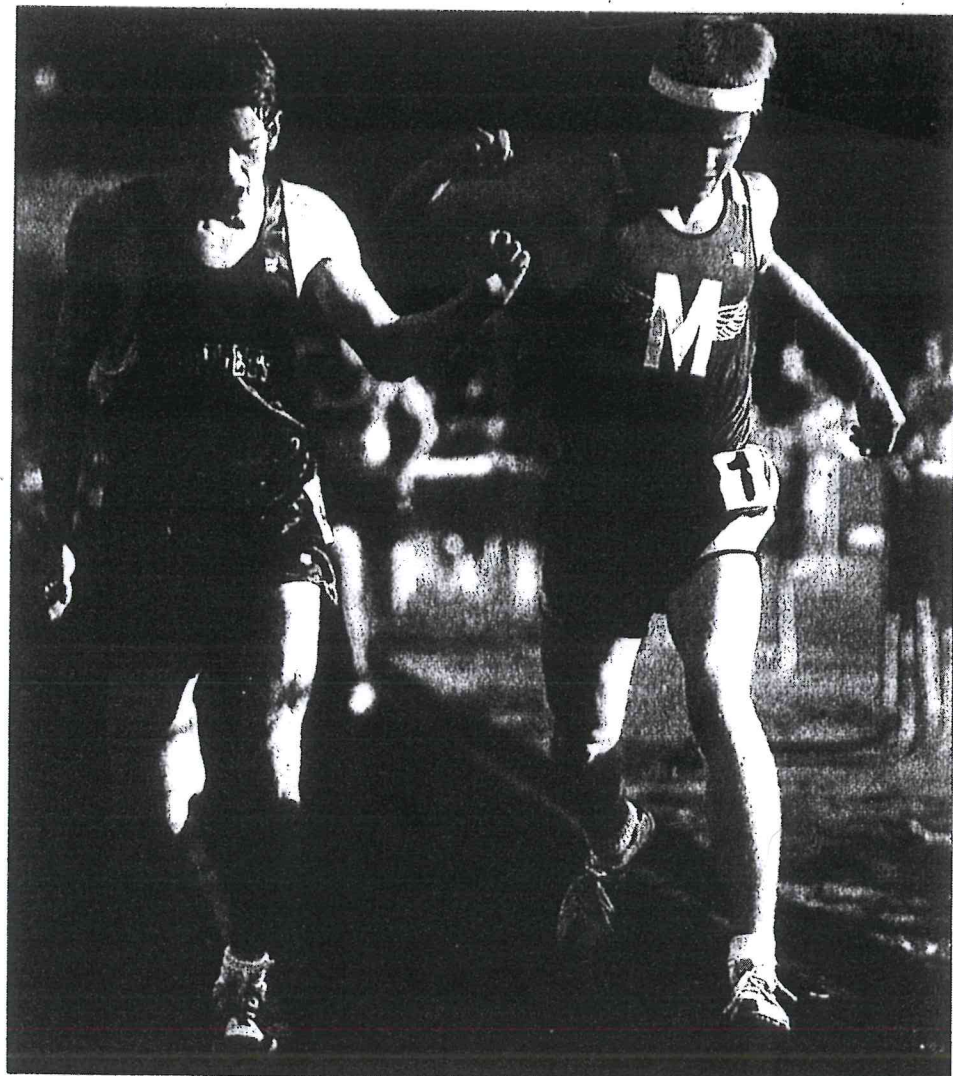
"That's one of the best races I've ever run," said Parer. "I owe it to the Thornwood guy. He pushed me all the way."

Dillon Smith, Mike Adamson, Lawrence Davis and Davarus Branigan ran 3:23.99 in the 1600 relay to win by six seconds.

If Rock Island was motivated by its matchup with Thornwood, Moline's Erik Steffens was motivated by a third-place finish in the Shipley Invitational 3200 four weeks ago. Facing Rockford Guilford's Andrew Brenner, who won the Shipley 3200, Steffens was determined to walk away with a win.

With Steffens, Brenner and Bartlett's Sean Smith running stride-for-stride over the final 1600 meters, Steffens prevailed in a test of wills.

"I've never been in a race like that before," said Steffens, who ran 9:50.89 to edge Smith by .09 seconds. "There were three times in that race when I wanted to give up. But every time they started to pass me, I told myself I wasn't going to let it



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Moline's Erik Steffens, right, pumps his fist after edging Bartlett's Sean Smith by less than a second in the 3200 during the Rock Island boys' track invitational at Almquist Field in Rock Island Friday.

happen. I felt pretty sick during the race, so I was pretty happy the way I didn't give in."

Moline nearly completed a sweep of the 3200. Sophomore Alex Hutchins won the B-flight 3200 (10:04.85) and freshman Paul Brown took second in the C-flight (10:40.56).

Mike Verre, Kyle Medinger, Drew Patterson and Jon Stoelk

took second in the 3200 relay.

It was Geneseo's field events that powered the Leafs to a sixth-place finish. Curt Russell won the A-flight long jump with a leap of 21-3.5. Luke Reschke won the B-flight long jump (20-1.5) and Josh Reschke finished second in the C-flight long jump. Luke Reschke also won the B-flight high jump.

"This meet has us excited about our conference meet," said Geneseo coach Mel Snook. "If we can compete against this type of competition looks good for us."

UT's Darian Williams had another strong performance in the A-flight high jump, finishing second with a leap of 6-2.

TRACK & FIELD

Prep boys

Rock Island Invitational

1, Rock Island 242; 2, Thornwood 201.5; 3, Lockport 192; 4, Moline 127; 5, Harlem 119; 6, Geneseo 112; 7, Peoria 78; 8, Peoria Richwoods 77; 9, Homewood-Flossmoor 76; 9, Naperville Central 76; 11, Bartlett 59; 12, Rockford Guilford 52.5; 13, Galesburg 36; 14, United Township 32; 15, East Peoria 21; 16, Allaman 5.

High jump

A: 1, Keith Hopkins, T, 6-4; 2, Darian Williams, UT, 6-2; 3, Curt Russell, Gen., 6-0; 4, Tyrone Henderson, HF, 5-10; 5, Tim Schanz, NC, J5-10; 6, Aaron Strickland, RI, J5-10.

B: 1, Luke Reschke, Gen., 5-10; 2, Anthony Lloyd, RI, J5-10; 3, Andrew Borg, H, 5-8; 3, Shannon Hines, P, 5-8; 3, Randy Griffin, L, 5-8; 6, Clayton Jones, T, J5-8.

C: 1, Anthony Harris, P, 6-1.5; 2, Jim Kiss, Gen., 6-0; 3, Brandon Smith, RI, 5-10; 4, Alex Smith, H, 5-6; 5, Kyle Keppner, L, J5-6; 6, Drew Griffin, HF, J5-6.

Shot put

A: 1, Marcus King, RI, 57-9.5 (meet record); 2, Landon Humbles, PR, 53-9; 3, Marc Holt, HF, 51-11.5; 4, Richard Behling, H, 49-10; 5, Evan Mitchell, L, 48-3.25; 6, Derrick Blackwell, Gale., 47-4.5.

B: 1, Eddie Williams, RI, 50-4; 2, Milton Taylor, HF, 49-6.5; 3, Zach Purington, H, 46-1; 4, Derek Knoblock, EP, 44-3; 5, Nick Chumbley, PR, 44-2.5; 6, Mark Lakis, Gale., J44-2.5.

C: 1, Brandon Jones, RI, 49-3.25; 2, Bill Forsberg, HF, 47-1.5; 3, Neil Jansen, L, 43-9; 4, Jeremy Woolard, EP, 42-10; 5, Chris Kelly, Gale., 42-8.5; 6, Darrell Anderson, H, 41-10.

100

A: 1, Jeremy Johnson, T, 10.91; 2, Wayland Ryan, RI, 11.00; 3, Chris Ellwood, PR, 11.17; 4, Derrick Fisher, HF, 11.44; 5, Brandon Cates, H, 11.49; 6, Jon Hood, UT, 11.56.

B: 1, Brent Pegues, PR, 11.26; 2, KC Martin, RI, RI, 11.35; 3, Floyd Davis, T, 11.38; 4, Jerry Goldsmith, H, 11.63; 5, David Gratton, UT, 11.70; 6, Jarred Amato, Mol., 11.99.

C: 1, Stephen Taylor, T, 11.21; 2, Trey Kelly, H, 11.72; 3, Jovan Washington, HF, 11.77; 4, Nathan Gibbs, RI, 11.82; 5, Jay Kokshin, Mol., 11.95; 6, Zach Richter, PR, 12.06.

Discus

A: 1, Marcus King, RI, 160-2; 2, Richard Behling, H, 154-10; 3, Landon Humbles, PR, 152-10; 4, Marc Holt, HF, J152-10; 5, Neil Jansen, L, 147-10; 6, Kory Klemmer, Gen., 142-10.

B: 1, Eddie Williams, RI, 155-9 (meet record); 2, Matt Gonzalez, L, 142-8; 3, Nick Chumbley, PR, 140-8; 4, Zach Purington, H, 139-10; 5, Samuel Silerzio, NC, 126-8; 6, Chris Springer, Gen., 122-0.

C: 1, Zachary Johnson, RI, 147-0 (meet record); 2, Jon Kinney, H, 132-6; 3, Evan Mitchell, L, 125-3; 4, Ben Sutton, PR, 122-2; 5, Shea Wight, Gale., 120-6; 6, Ralph Boirum, P, 115-5.

110 hurdles

A: 1, Keith Hopkins, T, 14.71; 2, Andy Parer, RI, 15.01; 3, Aaron Cook, Mol., 15.35; 4, Darian Williams, UT, 15.48; 5, Marcus Jenkins, P, 15.56; 6, Kyle Koning, L, 15.61.

B: 1, Terrell Williams, RI, 15.26; 2, Adam Michalski, L, 15.75; 3, Wayne Thompson, EP, 15.81; 4, Kirkland Thornton, T, 15.86; 5, Alec Lance, Mol., 16.51; 6, Temayne Wright, P, 17.25.

C: 1, Davarus Branigan, RI, 16.06; 2, Craig Humbles, P, 16.34; 3, Chase Martin, EP, 16.53; 4, John Jou, NC, 17.65; 5, Sean DeBusseyer, Mol., 17.71; 6, Brett Luckenberg, H, 18.29.

Long jump

A: 1, Curt Russell, Gen., 21-3.5; 2, Rodney Burkes, L, 21-3; 3, Leslie Majors, T, 21-2.75; 4, Terrell Williams, RI, 20-11.5; 5, Walter Hitchcock, RG, 20-7; 6, Kyle Mosley, HF, 20-3.

B: 1, Luke Reschke, Gen., 20-1.5; 2, Carlo Caunca, B, 20-1.25; 3, Anthony Lloyd, RI, 20-1; 4, Geramie Allison, T, 19-4.25; 5, Adam Michalski, L, 19-2.5; 6, Alec Lance, Mol., 19-1.5.

C: 1, Michael Johnson, T, 19-1; 2, Josh Reschke, Gen., 18-10; 3, Morgan Taylor, Mol., 18-9.5; 4, Trey Kelly, H, 18-5; 5, Brandon Smith, RI, 18-3.5; 6, Nicholas Morrissey, Gale., 17-10.

3200

A: 1, Erik Steffens, Mol., 9:50.89; 2, Sean Smith, B, 9:50.98; 3, Andrew Brenner, RG, 9:56.01; 4, Sean Hardy, NC, 10:07.97; 5, Nathaniel Hird, All., 10:08.56; 6, Kyle Fluck, Gen., 10:13.81.

B: 1, Alex Hutchins, Mol., 10:04.85; 2, Nathan Schlindwein, Gen., 10:28.25; 3, Ryan Pomrenke, B, 10:30.82; 4, Kirk DeBuck, NC, 10:35.93; 5, William Moeller, RI, 10:44.71; 5, Chris Matthews, UT, 10:47.73.

C: 1, John Cregar, RI, 10:35.74; 2, Paul Brown, Mol., 10:40.56; 3, Eric Christ, B, 10:43.70; 4, Ryan Summers, NC, 11:09.51; 5, Matt Matthews, UT, 11:25.79; 6, Tony Lyttles, Gen., 11:31.89.

800 frosh/soph medley

1, B, 1:40.28; 2, RI (Raphael Brown, Kendall White, Adrian Watson, Darin Holmes) 1:41.04; 3, T, 1:41.68; 4, Mol (Jay Kokshin, Morgan Taylor, Nick Acree, Dan Hall) 1:41.65; 5, H, 1:42.57; 6, NC, 1:43.16.

3200 relay

1, L, 8:06.68; 2, Mol (Mike Verre, Jon Stoelk, Drew Patterson, Kyle Medinger) 8:12.87; 3, T, 8:13.20; 4, RG, 8:18.28; 5, B, 8:19.53; 6, H, 8:28.81.

Pole vault

A: 1, Edward Miller, HF, 14-6; 2, Spencer Jensen, L, 13-0; 3, Jeff Brown, P, J13-0; 4, David Zieman, H, 12-6; 5, Terrell Williams, RI, 12-0; 6, Peter Loduha, RG, J12-0.

B: 1, Adam Lave, L, 12-0; 2, Jason Field, RG, 11-6; 3, Chris Koehler, T, 11-6; 4, Spencer Lovelace, H, 11-0; 5, Bradley Debnar, NC, J11-0; 6, Alex Henry, Gen., 10-6.

C: 1, Paul Eliason, RG, 12-0; 2, Sean Russell, Gen., 11-6; 3, Kyle Swynenburg, L, 10-6; 4, Jeff Turnbull, NC, 10-0; 5, Tim Doyle, Mol., J10-0; 6, Chris Howard, P, 9-6.

Triple jump

A: 1, Leslie Majors, T, 44-3; 2, Aaron Cook, Mol., 43-2; 3, Josh Reschke, Gen., 42-11.5; 4, Adam Michalski, L, 42-8.5; 5, Anthony Lloyd, RI, 42-0.75; 6, Devontae Brooks, UT, 41-1.25.

B: 1, Curt Russell, Gen., 42-11; 2, Rodney Burkes, L, 42-8; 3, Alex Lance, Mol., 42-4.5; 4, Brandon Smith, RI, 41-9; 5, Kyle Mosley, HF, 39-8; 6, Ryan Henry, T, 39-5.

C: 1, Sean Russell, Gen., 41-3.5; 2, Morgan Taylor, Mol., 38-5.5; 3, Tunji Dairo, T, 37-9; 4, Jonathan Hughley, NC, 37-8; 5, Haston Shelby, HF, 37-5; 6, Milton Jones, P, 36-6.5.

400 relay

1, T, 42.02, RI (Wayland Ryan, Lawrence Davis, Dillon Smith, Mike Adamson) 43.01; 3, PR, 43.13; 4, H, 43.75; 5, L, 43.79; 6, P, 43.88.

800 relay

1, RI (Wayland Ryan, Lawrence Davis, Dillon Smith, Mike Adamson) 1:29.88; 2, H, 1:31.94; 3, L, 1:32.00; 4, Gen. (Luke Reschke, Aaron Kuban, Sean Russell, Luke Steinkopf) 1:33.17; 5, Gale., (Tyler Briggs, Mycal Weaver, Nicholas Morrissey, Chris Thierry) 1:33.32; 6, P, 1:34.65.

800

A: 1, Jeremy Williams, L, 1:58.85; 2, Jared Richardson, H, 1:59.54; 3, Justin Trujillo, Gen., 1:59.67; 4, Kyle Medinger, Mol., 1:59.94; 5, Pat Eckhardt, P, 2:01.0; 6, Andrew Newton, RG, 2:01.88.

B: 1, Mike Skinner, L, 2:00.33; 2, Mike Verre, 2:03.11; 3, Adam Liss, NC, 2:03.53; 4, Luke VanLandegan, RI, 2:05.05; 5, David Brooks, T, 2:05.32; 6, Felipe Gelacio, RG, 2:06.18.

C: 1, Jack Susin, NC, 2:02.84; 2, Drew Patterson, Mol., 2:06.14; 3, Pat Johnson, H, 2:08.29; 4, Steve Moran, L, 2:08.63; 5, Alex Seiver, 2:08.86; 6, Ryan Brodie, B, 2:09.09.

400

A: 1, Jeremy Johnson, T, 49.15; 2, Davarus Branigan, RI, 49.93; 3, Brent Pegues, PR, 50.38; 4, Jason Ford, NC, 51.13; 5, Randy Griffin, L, 51.20; 6, Eric Rodriguez, Mol., 52.81.

B: 1, Deandre Tillman, T, 51.27; 2, Brandon Smith, RI, 51.77; 3, Anthony Hawthorne, L, 51.91; 4, John Terry, HF, 52.79; 5, Darrin Kesler, PR, 53.34; 6, Ian Shelton, B, 53.48.

C: 1, Cortez Reeder, T, 52.62; 2, Adrian Watson, RI, 53.82; 3, Jovan Washington, HF, 53.97; 4, James Knuckles, NC, 54.07; 5, Dan Hall, Mol., 55.87; 6, Kyle Milburn, H, 56.13.

400 weightman's relay

1, RI (Eddie Williams, Seth Olson, Brandon Jones, Zachary Johnson) 49.99; 2, L, 50.00; 3, B, 50.07; 4, HF, 50.88; 5, H, 51.34; 6, PR, 53.54.

1600

A: 1, Jeremy Williams, L, 4:22.44; 2, Eric Comiskey, T, 4:25.72; 3, Tyler Goodyear, P, 4:28.83; 4, Andrew Brenner, RG, 4:31.70; 5, Eric Bretchel, B, 4:33.27; 6, Erik Steffens, Mol., 4:33.98.

B: 1, Kyle Saginus, L, 4:34.75; 2, Kyle Medinger, Mol., 4:36.54; 3, Mark Martinez, RG, 4:37.21; 4, Sean Smith, B, 4:38.55; 5, Kyle Fluck, Gen., 4:39.57; 6, Brandon Tucker, T, 4:47.18.

C: 1, Mike Skinner, L, 4:36.66; 2, Phil Galloni, B, 4:39.49; 3, Alex Hutchins, Mol., 4:42.25; 4, Kyle Cameron, UT, 4:51.77; 5, Nathan Schlindwein, Gen., 5:02.22; 6, Sherwin Clark, T, 5:02.22.

300 hurdles

A: 1, Andy Parer, RI, 39.28; 2, Keith Hopkins, T, 40.03; 3, Aaron Cook, Mol., 42.19; 4, Marcus Jenkins, P, 42.41; 5, Beau Buttherus, NC, 42.54; 6, Kyle Koning, L, 42.54.

B: 1, Terrell Williams, RI, 40.42; 2, Kirkland Thornton, T, 42.12; 3, Bradley Gross, Gale., 42.47; 4, Adam Michalski, L, 42.84; 5, Temayne Wright, P, 42.88; 6, Jonathan Nelson, NC, 42.95.

C: 1, Jeff Fager, P, 43.48; 2, Chase Martin, EP, 44.65; 3, Garry Barton, Gale., 45.20; 4, Kyle Swynenburg, L, 45.38; 5, Jeff Heldberg, NC, 45.57; 6, Caleb Dierick, Gen., 46.80.

200

A: 1, Jeremy Johnson, T, 21.96; 2, Wayland Ryan, RI, 22.55; 3, Brandon Cates, H, 22.90; 4, Brent Pegues, PR, 22.90; 5, Derrick Fisher, HF, 23.14; 6, Randy Griffin, L, 23.30.

B: 1, Stephen Taylor, T, 22.48; 2, KC Martin, RI, 22.83; 3, Chris Ellwood, PR, 23.21; 4, Matt Ziska, L, 23.54; 5, Nick Porter, H, 23.79; 6, Aaron Kuban, Gen., 23.81.

C: 1, Andre Butler, T, 23.07; 2, Dondre Williams, PR, 23.35; 3, Nathan Gibbs, RI, 23.61; 4, Jovan Washington, HF, 23.66; 5, Sean Russell, Gen., 23.98; 6, Jerry Goldsmith, H, 24.02.

1600 relay

1, RI (Lawrence Davis, Mike Adamson, Davarus Branigan, Dillon Smith) 3:23.99; 2, T, 3:29.71; 3, Gale. (Wesley Brandenburg, Bradley Gross, Mycal Weaver, Chris Thierry) 3:29.75; 4, NC, 3:30.87; 5, L, 3:33.70; 6, P, 3:36.66.

2003 Rock Island Inv. 4/25/03

Results

(All times FAT)

Host Site: Rock Island Public Stadium

Conditions: 48 and Windy

Team Scores: 1.) Rock Island 242; 2.) Thornwood 202.5; 3.) Lockport 192; 4.) Moline 127; 5.) Machesney Park (Harlem) 119; 6.) Geneseo 112; 7.) Peoria H.S. 78; 8.) Peoria (Richwoods) 77; 9.) Homewood-Flossmoor 76; 9.) Naperville (Central) 76; 11.) Bartlett 59; 12.) Rockford (Guilford) 52.5; 13.) Galesburg 36; 14.) United Township 32; 15.) East Peoria 21; 16.) Rock Island (Alleman) 5

Discus A: 1.) King (Rock Island) 160' 02"; 2.) Behling (Harlem) 154' 10"; 3.) Humbles (Richwoods) 152' 10"; 4.) Holt (H-F) 152' 10" 5.) Jansen (Lockport) 147' 10"; 6.) Kory Klemmer (Geneseo) 142' 10"

Discus B: 1.) Williams (Rock Island) *155' 09"; 2.) Gonzalez (Lockport) 142' 08"; 3.) Chumbley (Richwoods) 140' 08"; 4.) Purington (Harlem) 139' 10" 5.) Silerzio (Naperville Central) 126' 08"; 6.) Chris Springer (Geneseo) 122' 00"

Discus C: 1.) Johnson (Rock Island) *147' 00"; 2.) Kinney (Harlem) 132' 06"; 3.) Mitchell (Lockport) 125' 03"; 4.) Sutton (Richwoods) 122' 02" 5.) Wight (Galesburg) 120' 06"; 6.) Boirum (Peoria H.S.) 115' 05"; 7.) John Kroener 112' 08"

High Jump A: 1.) Hopkins (Thornwood) 6' 04"; 2.) Williams (U.T.) 6' 02"; 3.) Curt Russell (Geneseo) 6' 00"; 4.) Henderson (H-F) 5' 10"; 5.) Schanz (Naperville Cen.) 5' 10"; 6.) Strickland (Rock Island) 5' 10"

High Jump B: 1.) Luke Reschke (Geneseo) 5' 10"; 2.) Lloyd (Rock Island) 5' 10"; 3.) Borg (Harlem) 5' 08"; 3.) Hines (Peoria H.S.) 5' 08"; 3.) Griffin (Lockport.) 5' 06"; 6.) Jones (Thornwood) 5' 08"

High Jump C: 1.) Harris (Peoria H.S.) 6' 01 1/2"; 2.) Jim Kiss (Geneseo) 6' 00"; 3.) Smith (Rock Island) 5' 10"; 4.) Smith (Harlem) 5' 06"; 5.) Keppner (Lockport) 5' 06"; 6.) Griffin (H-F) 5' 06"

Long Jump A: 1.) Curt Russell (Geneseo) 21' 03 1/2"; 2.) Burkes (Lockport) 21' 03"; 3.) Majors (Thornwood) 21' 02 3/4"; 4.) Williams (Rock Island) 20' 11 1/2"; 5.) Hitchcock (Guilford) 20' 07"; 6.) Mosley (H-F) 20' 03"

Long Jump B: 1.) Luke Reschke (Geneseo) 20' 01 1/2"; 2.) Caunca (Bartlett) 20' 01 1/4"; 3.) Lloyd (Rock Island) 20' 01"; 4.) Allison (Thornwood) 19' 04 1/4"; 5.) Michalski (Lockport) 19' 02 1/2"; 6.) Lance (Moline) 19' 01 1/2"

Long Jump C: 1.) Johnson (Thornwood) 19' 01"; 2.) Josh Reschke (Geneseo) 18' 10"; 3.) Taylor (Moline) 18' 09 1/2"; 4.) Kelley (Harlem) 18' 05"; 5.) Smith (Rock Island) 18' 03 1/2"; 6.) Morrissey (Galesburg) 17' 10"

Pole Vault A: 1.) Miller (H-F) 14' 06"; 2.) Jensen (Lockport) 13' 00"; 3.) Brown (Peoria H.S.) 13' 00"; 4.) Zieman (Harlem) 12' 06"; 5.) Williams (Rock Island) 12' 00"; 6.) Loduha (Guilford) 12' 00" 7.) Aaron Kuban (Geneseo) 12' 00"

Pole Vault B: 1.) Lave (Lockport) 12' 00"; 2.) Field (Guilford) 11' 06"; 3.) Koehler (Thornwood) 11' 06"; 4.) Lovelace (Harlem) 11' 00"; 5.) Devnar (Naperville Cen.) 11' 00"; 6.) Alex Henry (Geneseo) 10' 06"

Pole Vault C: 1.) Eliason (Guilford) 12' 00"; 2.) Shaun Russell (Geneseo) 11' 06"; 3.) Swynenburg (Lockport) 10' 06"; 4.) Turnbull (Naperville Cen.) 10' 00"; 5.) Doyle (Moline) 10' 00"; 6.) Howard (Peoria H.S.) 9' 06"

Shot Put A: 1.) King (Rock Island) *57' 09"; 2.) Humbles (Richwoods) 53' 09"; 3.) Holt (H-F) 51' 11 1/2" 4.) Behling (Harlem) 49' 10"; 5.) Mitchell (Lockport) 48' 03 1/4"; 6.) Blackwell (Galesburg) 47' 04 1/2"; 7.) Kory Klemmer (Geneseo) 47' 00"

Shot Put B: 1.) Williams (Rock Island) 50' 04"; 2.) Taylor (H-F) 49' 06 1/2"; 3.) Purington (Harlem) 46' 01" 4.) Knoblock (East Peoria) 44' 03"; 5.) Chumbley (Richwoods)

44' 02 1/2"; 6.) Lakis (Galesburg) 44' 02 1/2" 9.) Shane Verstraete (Geneseo) 42' 07 1/2"

Shot Put C: 1.) Jones (Rock Island) 49' 03 1/4"; 2.) Forsberg (H-F) 47' 01 1/2"; 3.) Jansen (Lockport) 43' 09" 4.) Woolard (East Peoria) 42' 10"; 5.) Kelley (Galesburg) 42' 08 1/2"; 6.) Anderson (Harlem) 41' 10"; 11.) Matt Paulson (Geneseo) 38' 10"

Triple Jump A: 1.) Majors (Thornwood) 44' 03"; 2.) Cook (Moline) 43' 02"; 3.) Josh Reschke (Geneseo) 42' 11 1/2"; 4.) Michalski (Lockport) 42' 08 1/2"; 5.) Lloyd (Rock Island) 42' 00 3/4"; 6.) Brooks (U.T.) 41' 01 1/4"

Triple Jump B: 1.) Curt Russell (Geneseo) 42' 11";
2.) Burkes (Lockport) 42' 08"; 3.) Lance (Moline) 42' 04
1/2"; 4.) Smith (Rock Island) 41' 09"; 5.) Mosley (H-F)
39' 08"; 6.) Henry (Thornwood) 39' 05"

Triple Jump C: 1.) Shaun Russell (Geneseo) 41' 03 1/2";
2.) Taylor (Moline) 38' 05 1/2"; 3.) Dairo (Thornwood) 37'
09"; 4.) Hughley (Naperville Cen.) 37' 08"; 5.) Shelby (H-
F) 37' 05"; 6.) Jones (Peoria H.S.) 36' 06 1/2"

3200 Meter Relay: 1.) Lockport (Williams, Skinner,
Saginus, Zalewski) 8:06.68; 2.) Moline 8:12.87; 3.)
Thornwood 8:13.20; 4.) Guilford 8:18.28; 5.) Bartlett
8:19.53; 6.) Harlem 8:28.81; (no Geneseo entry)

400 Meter Relay: 1.) Thornwood (Davis, Taylor, Majors,
Johnson) 42.02; 2.) Rock Island 43.01; 3.) Richwoods
43.13; 4.) Harlem 43.37; 5.) Lockport 43.79; 6.) Peoria
H.S. 43.88; 8.) Geneseo (Luke Steinkopf 11.78, Aaron
Kuban 10.73, John Kroener 10.71, Curt Russell 11.00)
44.57

3200 Meter Run A: 1.) Steffens (Moline) 9:50.89; 2.)
Smith (Bartlett) 9:50.98; 3.) Brenner (Guilford) 9:56.01;
4.) Hardy (Naperville Cen.) 10:07.97; 5.) Hird (Alleman)
10:08.56; 6.) Kyle Fluck (Geneseo) 10:13.81

3200 Meter Run B: 1.) Hutchins (Moline) 10:04.85; 2.)
Nathan Schlindwein (Geneseo) 10:28.25; 3.) Pomrenke
(Bartlett) 10:30.82; 4.) DeBuck (Naperville Cen.)
10:35.93; 5.) Moeller (Rock Island) 10:44.71; 6.)
Mathews (U.T.) 10:47.73

3200 Meter Run C: 1.) Creger (Rock Island) 10:35.74;
2.) Brown (Moline) 10:40.56; 3.) Christ (Bartlett)
10:43.70; 4.) Summers (Naperville Cen.) 11:09.51; 5.)
Mathews (U.T.) 11:25.79; 6.) Tony Lyttles (Geneseo)
11:31.89

110 Meter High Hurdles A: 1.) Hopkins (Thornwood)
14.71; 2.) Parer (Rock Island) 15.01; 3.) Cook (Moline)
15.35; 4.) Williams (U.T.) 15.48; 5.) Jenkins (Peoria

H.S.) 15.56; 6.) Koning (Lockport) 15.61 10.) Luke
Thompson (Geneseo) 16.35

110 Meter High Hurdles B: 1.) Williams (Rock Island)
15.26; 2.) Michalski (Lockport) 15.75; 3.) Thompson
(East Peoria) 15.81; 4.) Thornton (Thornwood) 15.86; 5.)
Lance (Moline) 16.51; 6.) Wright (Peoria H.S.) 17.25;
10.) Andre Jackson (Geneseo) 18.59

110 Meter High Hurdles C: 1.) Branigan (Rock Island)
16.06; 2.) Humbles (Peoria H.S.) 16.34; 3.) Martin (East
Peoria) 16.53; 4.) Jou (Naperville Cen.) 17.65; 5.)
DeBuysere (Moline) 17.71; 6.) Luckenbarg (Harlem)
17.29; 10.) Eric Darwin (Geneseo) 19.35

100 Meter Dash A: 1.) Johnson (Thornwood) 10.91;
2.) Ryan (Rock Island) 11.00; 3.) Ellwood
(Richwoods) 11.17; 4.) Fisher (H-F) 11.44; 5.) Cates
(Harlem) 11.49; 6.) Hood (U.T.) 11.56; 9.) Luke
Steinkopf (Geneseo) 11.78

100 Meter Dash B: 1.) Pegues (Richwoods) 11.26;
2.) Martin (Rock Island) 11.35; 3.) Davis
(Thornwood) 11.38; 4.) Goldsmith (Harlem) 11.63; 5.)
Grafton (U.T.) 11.70; 6.) Amato (Moline) 11.99; 13.)
Augie Anderson (Geneseo) 12.41

100 Meter Dash C: 1.) Taylor (Thornwood) 11.21;
2.) Kelly (Harlem) 11.72; 3.) Washington (H-F) 11.77;
4.) Gibbs (Rock Island) 11.82; 5.) Kokshin (Moline)
11.95; 6.) Richter (Richwoods) 12.06; 14.) Kyle Glazier
(Geneseo) 12.38

800 Meter Run A: 1.) Williams (Lockport) 1:58.85;
2.) Richardson (Harlem) 1:59.54; 3.) Justin Trujillo
(Geneseo) 1:59.67; 4.) Medinger (Moline) 1:59.94; 5.)
Eckhardt (Peoria H.S.) 2:01.00; 6.) Newton (Guilford)
2:01.88

800 Meter Run B: 1.) Skinner (Lockport) 2:00.33; 2.)
Verre (Moline) 2:03.11; 3.) Liss (Naperville Cen.)
2:03.53; 4.) VanLandegen (Rock Island) 2:05.05; 5.)
Brooks (Thornwood) 2:05.32; 6.) Gelacio (Guilford)
2:06.18; 15.) Robert Reese (Geneseo) 2:23.03

800 Meter Run C: 1.) Susin (Naperville Cen.) 2:02.84;
2.) Patterson (Moline) 2:06.14; 3.) Johnson (Harlem)
2:08.29; 4.) Moran (Lockport) 2:08.63; 5.) Seiver (Rock
Island) 2:08.86; 6.) Brodie (Bartlett) 2:09.09; 10.) Cody
Haars (Geneseo) 2:16.93

800 Meter Relay: Rock Island (Ryan, Davis, Smith,
Adamson) 1:29.88; 2.) Harlem 1:31.94; 3.) Lockport
1:32.00; 4.) Geneseo (Luke Reschke 24.19, Aaron Kuban
22.31, Shaun Russell 23.02, Luke Steinkopf 23.37)
1:33.17; 5.) Galesburg 1:33.32; 6.) Peoria H.S. 1:34.65

400 Meter Dash A: 1.) Johnson (Thornwood) 49.15; 2.)
Branigan (Rock Island) 49.93; 3.) Pegues (Richwoods)
50.38; 4.) Ford (Naperville Cen.) 51.13; 5.) Griffin
(Lockport) 51.20; 6.) Rodriguez (Moline) 52.81 (No
Geneseo Entry)

400 Meter Dash B: 1.) Tillman (Thornwood) 51.27; 2.)
B. Smith (Rock Island) 51.77; 3.) Hawthorne (Lockport)
51.91; 4.) Terry (H-F) 52.79; 5.) Kesler (Richwoods)
53.34; 6.) Shelton (Bartlett) 53.48; (No Geneseo Entry)

400 Meter Dash C: 1.) Reeder (Thornwood) 52.62; 2.)
Watson (Rock Island) 53.82; 3.) Washington (H-F) 53.97;
4.) Knuckles (Naperville Cen.) 54.07; 5.) Hall (Moline)
55.87; 6.) Milburn (Harlem) 56.13; (No Geneseo Entry)

300 Meter Intermediate Hurdles A: 1.) Parer (Rock
Island) 39.28; 2.) Hopkins (Thornwood) 40.03; 3.) Cook
(Moline) 42.19; 4.) Jenkins (Peoria H.S.) 42.41; 5.)
Butherus (Naperville Cen.) 42.54; 6.) Koning (Lockport)
42.54; 12.) Luke Thompson (Geneseo) 44.55

300 Meter Intermediate Hurdles B: 1.) Williams (Rock Island) 40.42; 2.) Thonrton (Thornwood) 42.12; 3.) Gross (Galesburg) 42.47; 4.) Michalski (Lockport) 42.84; 5.) Wright (Peoria H.S.) 42.88; 6.) Nelson (Naperville Cen.) 42.95; 10.) Andre Jackson (Geneseo) 45.68

300 Meter Intermediate Hurdles C: 1.) Fager (Peoria H.S.) 43.48; 2.) Martin (East Peoria) 44.65; 3.) Barton (Galesburg) 45.20; 4.) Swynenburg (Lockport) 45.38; 5.) Helberg (Naperville Cen.) 45.57; 6.) Caleb Diericx (Geneseo) 46.80

1600 Meter Run A: 1.) Williams (Lockport) 4:22.44; 2.) Comiskey (Thornwood) 4:25.72; 3.) Goodyear (Peoria H.S.) 4:28.83; 4.) Brenner (Guilford) 4:31.70; 5.) Brechtel (Bartlett) 4:33.27; 6.) Steffens (Moline) 4:33.98; 7.) Justin Trujillo (Geneseo) 4:41.95

1600 Meter Run B: 1.) Saginus (Lockport) 4:34.75; 2.) Medinger (Moline) 4:36.54; 3.) Martinez (Guilford) 4:37.21; 4.) Smith (Bartlett) 4:38.55; 5.) Kyle Fluck (Geneseo) 4:39.57; 6.) Tucker (Thornwood) 4:47.18

1600 Meter Run C: 1.) Skinner (Lockport) 4:36.66; 2.) Galloni (Bartlett) 4:39.49; 3.) Hutchins (Moline) 4:42.25; 4.) Cameron (U.T.) 4:51.77; 5.) Nathan Schlindwein (Geneseo) 4:54.76; 6.) Clark (Thornwood) 5:02.22

200 Meter Dash A: 1.) Johnson (Thornwood) 21.96; 2.) Ryan (Rock Island) 22.55; 3.) Cates (Harlem) 22.90; 4.) Pegues (Richwoods) 22.90; 5.) Fisher (H-F) 23.14; 6.) Griffin (Lockport) 23.30; 8.) Luke Steinkopf (Geneseo) 23.72

200 Meter Dash B: 1.) Taylor (Thornwood) 22.48; 2.) Martin (Rock Island) 22.83; 3.) Ellwood (Richwoods) 23.21; 4.) Ziska (Lockport) 23.54; 5.) Porter (Harlem) 23.79; 6.) Aaron Kuban (Geneseo) 23.81

200 Meter Dash C: 1.) Butler (Thornwood) 23.07; 2.) Williams (Richwoods) 23.35; 3.) Gibbs (Rock Island) 23.61; 4.) Washington (H-F) 23.66; 5.) Shaun Russell (Geneseo) 23.98; 6.) Goldsmith (Harlem) 24.02

1600 Meter Relay: 1.) Rock Island (Davis, Adamson, Branigan, D. Smith) 3:23.99; 2.) Thornwood 3:29.71; 3.) Galesburg 3:29.75; 4.) Naperville Central 3:30.87; 5.) Lockport 3:33.70; 6.) Peoria H.S. 3:36.66; 8.) Geneseo (Luke Reschke 51.89, Jim Kiss 54.76, Blake Widick 56.07, Josh Reschke 55.34) 3:38.89