

Geneseo boys finish seventh in strong East Moline meet

Geneseo athletes turned in several fine performances, including one new school record, while finishing seventh in a tough, 12-school field in the fifth annual East Moline Kiwanis Relays Saturday afternoon at Browning Field in Moline.

Moline's deep, talented squad won the meet with 78 points, well ahead of speedy Chicago Wendell Phillips, which scored 58½ points. East Moline was next with 52, followed by Galesburg 51½, Chicago Mendel Catholic 27, Morton West 23½, and Geneseo 21½.

Geneseo's record performance came in the frosh-soph 440-yard relay. The Leaf quartet of Dennis Robertson, Bob Johnson, Randy Farrell and Dave Anderson placed third in the time of :45.8. Winning time was :45.2, by East Moline. The old school record in this event was :46.1, achieved last year by Kurt Farber, Johnson, Anderson, and Randy Russell.

Sophomore Norm Singbush high jumped 6 feet even, highest ever by a Leaf sophomore. It won't stand as a frosh-soph record, however, since it came in a varsity meet. Singbush placed fifth in the event.

Varsity high jumper Gary Cathelyn didn't set a record, but came up with by far his best performance ever, when he cleared 6 feet, 2 inches, to tie for second in the event, which was won by Moline's Rich Phillips at 6-4.

Sophomore Dave Anderson came up with a personal best with a triple jump of 43 feet, 7½ inches, which placed third. Winning jump was 44-5, by Sterlynn Berry of East Moline.

Geneseo got a place finish in the 120-yard high hurdles, but bad luck probably kept the Leafs from having two performers in the finals. Dennis Robertson made the finals, and placed fifth with a clocking of :15.9.

Senior Gary Ong posted the third fastest time of all the runners in the preliminaries, :15.5. But, the two faster times were by athletes who were running in Ong's heat, and only the top two qualified for the finals. Ong would easily have won any other heat with that time.

Geneseo was fourth in the varsity 440 relay with a time of :45.3. Runners were Red Anderson, Pete Poulos, Wayne Strader, and Dave Anderson. One poor handoff may have cost Geneseo a second place finish in the event. Phillips won the event in :43.8.

Geneseo placed fifth in the frosh-soph mile medley. Runners were Dan Carton, Randy Farrell, Dave Anderson, and Keith Kincaid.

Wayne Strader put the shot 50 feet, 6 inches for a fifth-place finish.

Competition in the meet was stiff, and Geneseo barely missed place finishes in several events. Leaf Coach Bob Reade feels running against tough competition is good for the athletes, and that it's also to Geneseo's

advantage to run early in the season on Moline's track, where the District Meet will be conducted later this spring.

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TEAM SCORING

Moline 78, Chicago Wendell Phillips, 56½, East Moline 52, Galesburg 51½, Chicago Mendel Catholic 27, Morton West 25½, Geneseo 21½, Alleman 14, Rockridge 10, Macomb and Dixon 3, Crete-Monee 2.

PLACE FINISHERS

120-yard high hurdles - 1, Harris, Phillips, 5, Dennis Robertson, Geneseo, :13.3.

100 - 1, James, Mendel, :9.7.

Two-mile - 1, Bellmyer, Moline 9:51.7.

440 - 1, McKinley, Mendel, :50.3.

330-yard low hurdles - 1, Curtis, Phillips :39.4.

Shot put - 1, Piha, Morton, West, 5, Wayne Strader, Geneseo, 58-4.

Mile - 1, Willems, Moline, 4:25.9.

Discus - 1, Cumberworth, Moline 158-5.

Long jump - 1, Berry, East

Moline, 21-2½.

High jump - 1, Phillips, Moline, 2, tie, Gary Cathelyn, Geneseo, and Hinton, Morton West, 5, Norm Singbush, Geneseo, 6 feet, 4 inches.

Triple jump - 1, Berry, East Moline, 3, Dave Anderson, Geneseo, 44-6.

Pole vault - 1, Howard, East Moline 12-6.

Frosh-soph 440 relay - 1, East Moline, 3, Geneseo (Dennis Robertson - Bob Johnson - Dave Anderson - Randy Farrell), :45.2. Geneseo's time, :45.8, new school record. Old mark, :46.1, by Kurt Farber - Bob Johnson - Randy Russell, Dave M. Anderson, 1976.

440 relay - 1, Phillips, 4, Geneseo (Red Anderson - Pete Poulos, Wayne Strader - Dave Anderson) :43.8.

Frosh-soph mile medley - 1, Moline, 5, Geneseo (Dan Carton - Randy Farrell - Dave Anderson - Keith Kincaid), 3:43.6.

Mile relay - 1, Mendel 3:23.9.

Two-mile relay - 1, Moline 7:58.7.

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	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
120 High Hurdles	Wendell Phillips Harris, K. 14.2	Wendell Phillips Curtis, J.	Galesburg - Allen, L.	Moline - Parks, G.	Geneseo - Robertson, D.
100* Tie Dash	Mendel Catholic James, R. 9.7	Mendel Catholic Palmer, A.	Wendell Phillips Carter, D.	Wendell Phillips Adams, H.	Galesburg - Parmenter, J.
Two Mile	Moline - Bellmeyer, J.	Alleman - Hanrahan, P.	Moline - Hansen, S.	Rockridge - Whiteside, R.	East Moline - Kimman, E.
440 Dash	McKinley, K. Mendel Catholic 50.3	Galesburg - Goddman, F.	Wendell Phillips Nash, J.	Tie for 3rd Galesburg - Parmenter, J.	Mendel Catholic Pamplin, R.
330* Tie Low Hurdles	Wendell Phillips Curtis 39.4	Moline - Johnson	Moline - Parks, G.	Galesburg - Wignall, C.	East Moline - Darby, S.
* Shot Put	Morton West - Piha, T.	Moline - Cumberworth	Galesburg - McKillip	Morton West - Piha, S.	Geneseo - Strader
Mile Run	Moline - 4:25.9 Willens, R.	Alleman - Fitch, P.	Edlund, R. - Moline	East Moline - Evans, D.	Macomb - Helwig, M.
Discus	Moline - Cumberworth	Morton West - Piha, Tom	Galesburg - McKillip	Crete-Monee - Leoni	Morton West - Piha
Long Jump	East Moline - Berry, S. 21/24"	Wendell Phillips Welch, F.	Wendell Phillips Curtis, J.	Galesburg - Finley C.	Morton West - Hinton, G.
High Jump	Moline - Phillips	Morton West - Hinton	The Geneseo - Cathryn	Moline - Swanson	Geneseo - Singbush
Triple Jump	East Moline - Berry, S. 44' 5"	Galesburg - Finley	Geneseo - Anderson	Galesburg - Schumann	Wendell Phillips Lancaster
Pole Vault	Howard, E.M. 12' 6"	Morton West - Kendra	Mason, - Moline	Morton West - Misherski	Dixon, - James

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45.2 F.S. 440 Relay	East Moline - Parker, Reasby, Cuerington, Dozier 45.2	Wendell Phillips Starling, James, Nix, Monix	Geneseo - Robertson, Johnson, Lanell, Anderson	Rockridge - DeClerck, Miller, Foster, Schoolen	Dixon
440 Relay	Wendell Phillips Welch, Nix, Adams, Carter 43.6	Galesburg - Wignall, Schumann, Allen, Loneless	Moline - Barks, Roche, Ende, Johnson	Geneseo - Anderson, Poulos, Strada, Anderson	East Moline - Parker, Reasby, Cuerington, Stotmeister
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* F.S. Mile Medley	Moline - Ende, Purmentice, Mitchell, Dombek 3:43.6	East Moline - Lara, Curington, Dozier, Pirmann	Galesburg	Rockridge - Foster, DeClerck, Lincoln, Woodin	Geneseo - Carton, Tanell, Anderson, Kincaid
* Mile Relay	Mendel Catholic Sals, Pamplin, McKinley, James 3:23.9	Wendell Phill. Tie for 2nd Partee, Carter, Harris, Nash	Galesburg	Moline -	East Moline - Nache, Orewiler Dowell, Cooper
* Two Mile Relay	Moline - 7:58.7 Strom, Dombek, Edlund, Willemis	East Moline -	Alleman -	Galesburg - Harshberger, Armstrong, Parmenter, German	Maconb -