



LATE SEASON BLIZZARD

Pictured is a shot of the late season blizzard that hit the Midwest

LEAFS ENJOY STRONG DAY AT TOP TIMES INV.

Getting things started were our 60 Meter Hurdlers Colton Pischke and Reed Vanderheyden. The hurdle field was one of the strongest ever assembled at the Top Times Inv. Reed qualified for the finals for the 4th straight year by sprinting to a time of 8.46. That extended the "Vanderhurdles" family streak to EIGHT STRAIGHT YEARS (Hannah also qualified 4 straight years.) That is AMAZING. Colton was just a bit off early in the race but closed nicely to end up 15th overall

Swartzendruber who blasted another sub 50 second FAT converted split as he ran 49.94cr. The team's final time was 3:31.46 which was 2nd to a strong Burlington Central team and enough to barely hold off the unusually fast first section. Way to Roll Men! BRING ON OUTDOORS.



BRINGING HOME "da BACON"

down Semi Trucks. NASTY. Several prayers were said and obviously answered

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Geneseo coach Don Fredericks nicknamed the Vanderhurdles after the Leafs' Reed Vanderheyden qualified for the finals at the Illinois Top Times for the fourth consecutive season.

A senior, Reed followed in the footsteps of his older sister Hanna who also qualified for the finals at the Illinois Top Times in hurdles all four years.

"It's really hard to qualify for the finals in the 60-meter high hurdles," Fredericks said. "One little mistake and you are not going to make it."

Fredericks believed the hurdles field this season was one of the strongest ever assembled.

However, Vanderheyden got the job done and finished eighth in the finals with a time of 8.81, at Illinois Wesleyan University's Shirk



Photo by Melissa Pischke

THE MAPLE LEAFS' 4x400-relay team finished runner-up at the Illinois Top Times meet at Illinois Wesleyan University. Pictured are, from left: Reed Vanderheyden, Kaden Rink, Colton Pischke and Nick Swartzendruber.

in 8.68 in the 60 hurdles 20-meter lead on the field. With about 50-meters prelim.

"He surprised the field," to go, Swartzendruber was With less than a lap to go Fredericks said. "He left kicked down by Nick Oakley



Photo by Jarrin Williams

NICK SWARTZENDRUBER, right, battles with Nick Oakley for the 800 title at the Illinois Top Times meet, at the Shirk Center, in Bloomington.

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"I talked with Oakley after, and he though Swartzendruber had stolen the race," Fredericks said. "He didn't think he was going to catch him, but Nick kind of ran out of gas. He said himself, 'I just went a bit too early. We are really proud of his effort having the guts to go for it.'"

Vanderheyden, Kaden Rink, Colton Pischke and Swartzendruber finished runner-up with a time of 3:31.46.

While happy with a strong finish at the Top Times meet, Fredericks continues to have the Maple Leafs focused on peaking during the postseason.

"It's going to be fun to see how fast our guys

- Reed Vanderheyden: 8.46 (8th)
- Colton Pischke: 8.68 (15th)

FINALS

60 METER HIGH HURDLES

- 8.) Reed Vanderheyden: 8.81

800 METER DASH

- 2.) Nick Swartzendruber: 1:58.40 (58 – 60)

1600 METER RELAY 3:31.46 (2nd Place)

- Reed Vanderheyden: 53.74cr
 - Kaden Rink: 54.04cr
 - Colton Pischke: 54.44cr
 - Nick Swartzendruber: 49.94cr
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7 #	1166 Schenck, Brett	SR Princeton	7.16	7.12
8 #	1211 Clinton, Tori	SR St. Laurence	7.15	7.16
Preliminaries				
9 #	994 Mack, Amonde	JR Drw Trading	7.21	
10 #	1223 Haynes, Tahrhon	SO St. Rita	7.21	
11 #	1074 Frazier, Jalen	SR Marian Catho	7.22	
12 #	1060 Cook, Marshaun	JR MacArthur	7.22	
13 #	1148 Davy, Nic	JR Morris	7.23	
14 #	1113 Wilson, Eddie	SR Mascoutah	7.23	
15 #	1153 Gordon, Vondariou	SO North Chicag	7.24	
16 #	1195 Diekoff, Josh	SR Richwoods	7.26	
17 #	1010 Hill, Terrance	SR Effingham	7.26	
18 #	980 McKinnley, Joseph	SR Decatur Eise	7.28	
19 #	1156 Dixon, Kevin	SO Plano	7.29	
20 #	1171 Gavin, De Shon	SR Providence C	7.33	
21 #	1072 Schirmer, Finniga	SO Marengo	7.36	
22 #	1056 Williams, Mulik	SR Lanphier	7.38	
23 #	995 Owens, Devinn	JR Drw Trading	7.48	
-- #	1247 Caswell, Johnnie	JR Triad	DNS	
-- #	1270 Phillips, Christi	SO Urbana	DNS	
-- #	996 Clark, Romell	SR Dunbar	DNS	
-- #	1070 Hukan, Torlandis	SR Manual	DNS	

Boys 200 Meter Dash

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All Time: %	21.72	1996	Anthony Moorman, Roselle Lake Park	
Class 2A: M	21.88	3/28/2015	Josh Eiker, Galesburg	

Name	Year	School	Seed	Finals	H#
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Finals					
1 #	1072 Schirmer, Finniga	SO Marengo	22.78	22.60	4
2 #	1214 Hamer, Matthew	SR St. Laurence	22.93	22.99	4
3 #	1195 Diekoff, Josh	SR Richwoods	23.43	23.05	2
4 #	1226 Venson, Javon	JR St. Rita	23.39	23.19	2
5 #	977 Patrick, Matthew	SR Centralia	23.29	23.32	3 23.311
6 #	1242 Pollard, Leondre	JR Thornridge	23.00	23.32	4 23.313
			23.42	23.34	2 23.322

13 #	1162 Lee, Ethan	SR Pontiac	54.04	53.58	1
14 #	1150 Ochoa, Alejandro	JR Morris	52.99	53.69	3
15 #	961 Knight, Austin	SR Cartersville	52.55	54.15	3
16 #	1052 Dejesus, Melcon	FR Kewanee	54.08	54.18	1
17 #	1058 Casas, Jesse	SO LaSalle-Peru	53.98	54.41	1
18 #	1087 Surburg, Timothy	JR Marion	53.54	54.56	2
19 #	1249 White, Sean	SR U-High Chica	52.66	55.02	3
-- #	1206 Baumbach, Dylan	JR Sandwich	53.63	DNS	1
-- #	997 Mallett, Justard	JR Dunbar	53.04	DNS	2
-- #	1172 Jaime, Gavin	SR Providence C	49.29	DNS	4
-- #	957 Taylor, Damonta	JR Cahokia	52.99	DNS	2
-- #	969 Kries, Adam	JR Central (Bur	53.03	DNS	2

Boys 800 Meter Run

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All Time: % 1:53.38		1998	Jason VanSwol, Lincoln Way	
Class 2A: M 1:56.45		2014	JD LaFayette, University - Normal	
Name		Year School	Seed	Finals
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1 #	979 Oakley, Nick	SR Charleston	1:58.05	1:58.01
2 #	1044 Swartzendruber, N	SR Geneseo	1:58.17	1:58.40
3 #	1203 Cable, Josh	SR Rochester	1:58.92	2:00.21
4 #	1115 Kremer, Mitchell	SR Mattoon	2:01.97	2:00.35
5 #	1105 McNicol, Mathew	SR Mascoutah	2:00.56	2:00.45
6 #	1271 Kirkham, Cayden	SR Waterloo	1:59.94	2:00.47
7 #	1059 Jones, Blake	SR Lincoln	2:00.60	2:00.60
8 #	1262 Schuckman, Jared	SR University (	1:58.52	2:01.07
9 #	961 Knight, Austin	SR Cartersville	1:59.99	2:01.90
10 #	969 Kries, Adam	JR Central (Bur	2:02.74	2:02.48
11 #	1061 Reed, Micha	JR MacArthur	2:02.60	2:02.77
-- #	1193 Degroot, Nick	SR Richmond-Bur	2:01.89	DNS

Boys 1600 Meter Run

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All Time: % 4:09.94		2009	Jeff Thode, Conant		
Class 2A: M 4:16.35		2012	Michael Clevenger, Decatur MacA		
Name	Year	School	Seed	Finals	

14 # 1272 Arellano, Julio	JR Woodstock	10:05.54	10:18.08
15 # 1261 Woodard, Cameron	JR Unity (Tolon		

Boys 60 Meter Hurdles

Top 8 Advance by Time

All Time: %	7.95	2014	tifonte Hunt, Thornton
Class 2A: M	8.16	2013	Marcus Greer, East St. Louis
Name	Year	School	Seed Prelims H#

Preliminaries

1 # 1246 Wilson-Smith, Sol	SR Tinley Park	8.22	8.17q	3	
2 # 1037 McShane, Deion	SR Freeport	8.20	8.18q	3	
3 # 1047 Neal, Niko	SR Harrisburg	8.03	8.21q	2	
4 # 1053 Broomfield, Marvi	JR Lanphier	8.45	8.29q	2	
5 # 1075 Adkinson, Stuart	JR Marion	8.33	8.36q	1	
6 # 1256 Migut, Steven	SR Unity (Tolon	8.23	8.38q	2	
7 # 989 Harrison, Jared	SR Dixon	8.47	8.40q	3	
8 # 1045 Vanderheyden, Ree	SR Geneseo	8.56	8.46q	2	
9 # 985 Forrest, Brayden	JR Dixon	8.48	8.47	3	
10 # 1191 Robertson, Donnel	JR Rantoul	8.69	8.51	1	
11 # 1072 Schirmer, Finniga	SO Marengo	8.58	8.55	1	
12 # 1171 Gavin, De Shon	SR Providence C	8.64	8.61	2	8.608
13 # 1142 Hope, Cameron	SR Morgan Park	8.58	8.61	1	8.609
14 # 1245 Hilson, Adell	SR Tinley Park	8.72	8.68	2	8.674
15 # 1040 Pischke, Colton	JR Geneseo	8.67	8.68	2	8.678
16 # 972 Wagner, Connor	JR Central (Bur	8.65	8.69	3	
17 # 1228 Hancock, Sam	SR Sycamore	8.64	8.73	3	
18 # 1149 Hatcher, Austin	JR Morris	8.80	8.74	2	
19 # 1164 Krieger, Aidan	SR Prairie Cent	8.76	8.79	3	
20 # 1081 Kinell, Dylan	JR Marion	8.71	8.82	1	
21 # 1036 Johnson, Jaden	JR Freeport	8.42	8.90	1	
22 # 955 Harris, Stephen	SO Cahokia	8.85	8.99	1	
23 # 1130 Skinner, Jamonny	JR Monmouth-Ros	8.76	9.08	3	
-- # 1210 Dannis, Bret	SR St. Bede	7.99	DNS	1	

12 Rantoul 'A'	1:35.14	1:36.16	3	
13 Plano 'A'	1:35.84	1:36.38	1	
14 Metamora 'A'	1:35.48	1:37.19	2	
-- Richwoods 'A'	1:35.98	DQ	1	Zone Violation
	1:33.36	DNS	4	

Boys 4x400 Meter Relay

All Time: % 3:21.95 2000		Proviso West		
Class 2A: M 3:26.00 2014		Cahokia		
School	Seed	Finals	H#	
1 Central (Burlington) 'A'	3:31.74	3:29.10	2	
2 Geneseo 'A'	3:33.06	3:31.46	2	
3 Mahomet-Seymour 'A'	3:33.94	3:31.63	1	
4 Dixon 'A'	3:34.30	3:32.19	1	
5 St. Laurence 'A'	3:33.32	3:34.08	1	
6 Thornridge 'A'	3:32.43	3:36.01	2	
7 Dunlap 'A'	3:32.21	3:36.94	2	
8 St. Rita 'A'	3:35.22	3:37.41	1	
9 Marion 'A'	3:35.76	3:40.34	1	
10 Cahokia 'A'	3:35.07	3:40.77	1	
-- Mascoutah 'A'	3:33.30	DQ	2	Interference
-- Providence Catholic 'A'	3:29.55	DNS	2	

Boys 4x800 Meter Relay

All Time: % 7:56.16 2009		Schaumburg		
Class 2A: M 7:58.68 2011		Belvidere North		
School	Seed	Finals		
1 Mascoutah 'A'	8:24.27	8:06.05		

4 # 1252	Decker, Jonathan	SR Only (1010)		
5-11	6-01 6-03 6-04 6-05 6-06			
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5 # 1161	Dawson, Cameron	SR Pontiac	6-06.00	J6-05.00
5-11	6-01 6-03 6-04 6-05 6-06			
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6 # 1073	Shepard, Aaron	JR Marengo	6-02.00	6-01.00
5-11	6-01 6-03			
	O XO XXX			
7 # 1143	Iyoila, Fawaz	SR Morgan Park	6-03.00	J6-01.00
5-11	6-01 6-03			
	O XXO XXX			
8 # 1114	Grasl, Ethan	SR Mattoon	6-04.00	5-11.00
5-11	6-01			
	XO XXX			
8 # 1194	Baer, Cody	JR Richwoods	6-02.00	5-11.00
5-11	6-01			
	XO XXX			
8 # 1034	Smith, McKallen	SO Freeburg	6-02.00	5-11.00
5-11	6-01			
	XO XXX			
8 # 1144	Lawson, Zhamond	SR Morgan Park	6-03.00	5-11.00
5-11	6-01			
	XO XXX			
12 # 1011	Line, Kody	SR Effingham	6-02.00	J5-11.00
5-11	6-01			
	XXO XXX			
-- # 1010	Hill, Terrance	SR Effingham	6-02.00	NH
5-11				
	XXX			
-- # 1212	Colbert, Tyree	SR St. Laurence	6-02.00	NH
5-11				
	XXX			
-- # 1054	Lee, A'Jonte	SR Lanphier	6-04.00	NH
5-11				
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9 #	1096	Saloga, Andrew	SO Marmion Acad	13-00.00	J13-00.00	
	12-06	13-00	13-06			
	XO	O	XXX			
9 #	1259	Shannon, Quinn	JR Unity (Tolon	13-00.00	J13-00.00	
	12-06	13-00	13-06			
	XO	O	XXX			
11 #	1175	Planeta, Nico	SR Providence C	13-06.00	J13-00.00	
	12-06	13-00	13-06			
	XO	XO	XXX			
12 #	1151	Badger, Eli	JR Mt. Vernon	13-06.00	12-06.00	
	12-06	13-00	13-06			
	O	P	XXX			
12 #	1012	Morrissey, Alec	SR Effingham	13-00.00	12-06.00	
	12-06	13-00				
	O	XXX				
-- #	1046	Cavender, Kody	JR Harrisburg	13-00.00	NH	
	12-06					
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Boys Long Jump

Start:

Finish:

All Time: % 24-04.25 1993 Reggie Torrian, Thornwood

Class 2A: M 23-05.75 3/28/2015 Ja'Mari Ward, Cahokia

Name	Year	School	Seed	Finals
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1 #	1216	Saunders, Alex	SR St. Laurence	21-05.25	22-03.50
	22-02.25	FOUL	21-01.75	FOUL	20-09 22-03.50
2 #	968	Kalusa, Michael	SR Central (Bur	21-01.00	21-11.00
	FOUL	19-07.25	21-04	20-01.75	20-10.75 21-11
3 #	942	Houston, Justin	JR Brooks Colle	22-03.00	21-09.00
	21-09	20-02.25	FOUL	20-02.50	FOUL 21-01
4 #	1211	Clinton, Tori	SR St. Laurence	22-02.25	21-03.50
	20-05.50	19-10.75	19-01	FOUL	21-03.50 21-02

6 #	1207 Emuze, David	SO Southeast (S	42-09.00	42-05.50
	FOUL 38-05.25	FOUL 42-05.50	FOUL FOUL	
7 #	1022 Green, Kobe	SR Evergreen Pa	43-04.00	42-04.75
	FOUL 40-10.25	42-00.25	FOUL FOUL	42-04.75
8 #	1152 Owens, Evan	SR Mt. Vernon	43-00.25	42-02.25
	FOUL 41-06.25	41-01.75	42-02.25	42-00.50
9 #	1161 Dawson, Cameron	SR Pontiac	42-09.50	42-00.75
	41-11.50	42-00.75	41-10.50	FOUL FOUL PASS
10 #	1211 Clinton, Tori	SR St. Laurence	42-03.75	41-07.25
	FOUL 41-07.25	40-07.75	PASS PASS PASS	
11 #	1125 Poston, Ethan	SR Metamora	42-10.50	41-05.75
	41-05.75	40-07.25	41-03	FOUL PASS PASS
-- #	958 Ward, Andra	JR Cahokia	47-05.00	DNS

Boys Shot Put

Start:

Finish:

All Time: % 63-06.50 2011 Jeremy Klien, Lake Park

Class 2A: M 59-06 2010 Logan Pflibsen, Streator Twp

Name	Year	School	Seed	Finals
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1 #	1065 Hendershot, Hunte	SO Mahomet-Seym	55-07.00	56-05.00
	50-00.50	51-10.50	51-07	53-07 52-11.50 56-05
2 #	1005 Klockenga, Austin	SR Dunlap	54-03.50	53-09.75
	51-07.50	53-09.75	51-04	50-07 52-01.50 50-09.50
3 #	960 Currie, Jack	SR Carterville	52-10.00	52-01.50
	51-06	51-07.25	52-01.50	FOUL FOUL 50-02.25
4 #	956 Jefferies, Bryce	SR Cahokia	51-01.00	51-05.00
	50-00	51-05	51-03.75	FOUL FOUL FOUL
5 #	1085 Schmid, Josh	SO Marion	50-07.75	50-11.50
	50-11.50	FOUL 47-02.75	47-01	47-09.75 FOUL
6 #	1048 Wells, Gage	SR Herrin	51-02.50	50-10.50
	FOUL 50-10.50	50-00.75	FOUL FOUL FOUL	