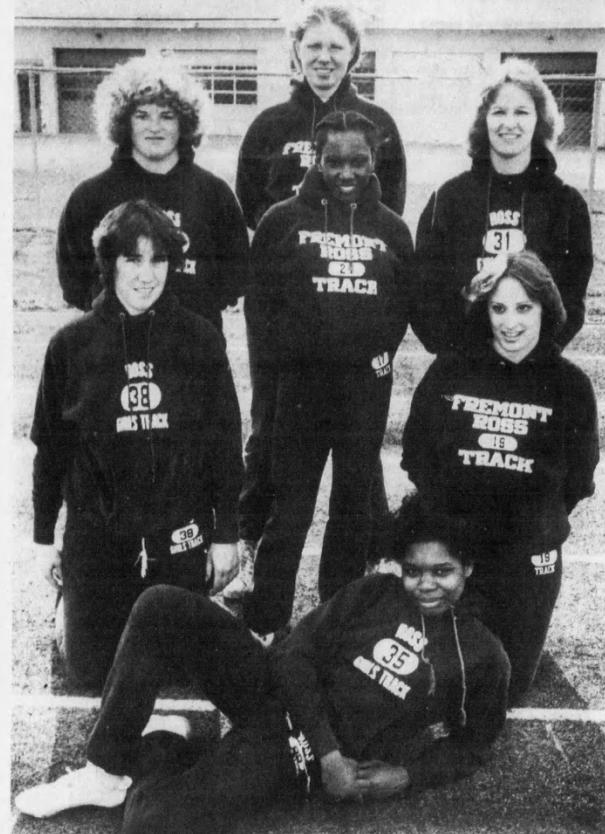


1981 Season Preview...



LETTER winners for the Ross girls track team which will open today in the Bill Krause Memorial Relays. Front: Della Hall; kneeling (left to right) are Laurie Smith and Tammy

Haas; third row: Johanna Hawk, Lisa Jones, Joan Osman; back: Amy Lindstrom. Judy Krock is not in the picture.

Ross track teams open today at Tiffin relays

The Ross girls and boys track teams will kickoff the season today in Tiffin at the Bill Krause Memorial Relays.

Norm Bray is back for his third year as the head coach of the Ross boys while Harold Zienta will guide the Lady Little Giants for the first time.

Six lettermen and eight letterwomen will lead the teams.

Tony Gant, a near 23-foot long jumper as a sophomore will lead the boys. Sprinter and hurdler Tom Pendrey, and Todd Johnson are a co-captain.

Other returning lettermen for Ross include Curtis Lee, Mike Mowry and Fred Hepp.

Record setting sprinter Lisa Jones, a junior, is back for the Lady Little Giants. Tammy Haas, another sprinter is aiming for her third letter.

Other Ross girls veterans include

Della Hall, Joan Osman and Judy Krock, all sprinters of distance letter winners from last season. Amy Lindstrom, who tied the high jump school record last year, along with Johanna Hawk and Laurie Smith are the field event returnees.

The Krause Relays begin at 10 a.m. today with the field events. The boys four-mile relay begins at 1 p.m. with the girls running events starting at 2 p.m.

At 6:15 p.m., the awards ceremonies will begin.

Ross holds the record in five of the 14 events. Little Giants teams hold the shot put (all field events are in relays), shuttle hurdles, 880 relay, mile relay and the pole vault. The shot put mark of 145 feet, three inches has stood since 1972; the pole vault record of 36-feet, since 1973.

Nelson strokes a 68

Grand Prix: great

By RICK WHEELER
Gannett News Service

"There is immeasurable public awareness in Europe of Grand Prix racing," said Mario Andretti, the only current successful U.S. driver on the Grand Prix circuit and the 1978 world driving champion.

"Their fervor is unbelievable. You can go into European airports, or restaurants, and if you're a regular on the Formula One tour you're next to God in their eyes. You can do no wrong."

"Each team has a certain individuality, as there are only one or two drivers. Each team really has its own design concept. A touch of Europe in the And each team travels around the world as a unique billboard to

"Essex spends money on millions and millions of racing because it knows it will make money in

"Corporations like that return," said Michael Tee, individuality, and that's former managing editor why Essex (Overseas (and now a director) of

Petroleum Co., representing Team Lotus) spent so much in entertaining the racing public."

Included in that entertainment was a double-tiered London bus painted Essex blue, that Andretti said "traveled to every race in 1980. It provided all the comforts of home, and it even made it down the Amazon to one of our South American races. They spared no expenses to make us comfortable."

At Watkins Glen, Essex set up the bus behind the pits. It landscaped, paved and fenced off the area to make it look like a European outdoor cafe. A touch of Europe in the middle of 1,100 acres of around the world as a unique billboard to

Motoring News of England.

"My company (CSS Promotions Ltd.) handled that Royal Albert Hall affair last year. It was a sit-down dinner for 800, with about 200 special guests, and I do mean special.

Money In

"I'd have to feel that the party, and probably the entire racing season, were paid for by the morning after the party ended by the oil deals David Thieme (the 38-year-old American who formed Essex Petroleum) was able to put together that weekend."

Thieme said that participation in Formula One racing is "a backcloth against which we can entertain some of our most important clients in our business, and it's been a



RETURNING letter winners for the Ross boys track team are, front, seated, left to right: Mike Mowry, Todd Johnson, Tony Gant; standing: Fred Hepp, and Tom Pendrey.

Ross girls team runnerup, boys 3rd in Krause Relays

TIFFIN — Ross's girls finished second and the boys third in the Bill Krause Memorial Relays Saturday.

The Lady Little Giants, with three firsts, three seconds, two thirds, two fourths and a fifth scored 76 points to finish behind Whitmer's 102. Whitmer also won the boys portion of the meet with 120. Bowling Green was second with 76 and Ross was two points off that mark.

The meet was scored by combined distances or times for three and four-person teams.

The Ross girls' threesome of Johanna Hawk, Amy Lindstrom and Laurie Smith picked up a pair of firsts, setting a record in the process. The three bettered their own 1980 record in the shot put with a combined 102-2½, one inch better than the old mark.

In the discus, Hawk, Lindstrom and Smith won the event with a 265-2 effort.

Joan Osmon, Lisa Arndt, Sandy Long and Tammy Haas recorded a 10:55.2 in finishing first in the two-mile relay.

The Lady Little Giants' 880 relay team of Della Hall, Beth Randolph, Long and Haas was second in 1:53.2. The 880 medley squad of Gloria Heidelberg, Traci Beard, Lisa Jones and Long was runnerup in 2:04.0 and the mile relay of Osmon, Arndt, Hall and Haas also took second with a 4:36.0 clocking.

Ross's thirds were in the 440 relay and 100-meter dash. The fourths were in the long jump and the mile run. The high jump team was fifth.

Ross's boys team recorded three first,

winning the shuttle hurdles, 880 relay and the 440 relay. Ross was second in the 100 meters and had thirds in the four-mile relay, two mile relay, mile relay and the pole vault. Fourts came in the shot put and the mile run while the discus team was fifth.

Eric Bates, Ron Thrun, Ron Bliss and Tom Pendrey won the shuttles in 1:03.1 while Rick Heidelberg, Mark Balsizer, Bates and Pendrey won the 880 relay in 1:36.6. The 440 relay team of Curtis Lee, Heidelberg, Balsizer and Pendrey took the event in 45.5 seconds.

Lee finished second in the 100 meters in 11.4.

Ross's distance teams were the team's biggest surprises. The four-mile team of Andy Logan, Fred Hepp, Cho Yong and Oliver Zimmerman finished third in 20 minutes and 38 seconds.

The two-mile team was third with Yong, Hepp, Zimmerman and Balsizer finished in 9:18.7.

The mile relay of Bates, Jock Hicks, Heidelberg and Todd Johnson recorded a 3:40.9 for its third place finish.

Zimmerman's 4:59.1 got him fourth in the mile run and the shot put team of Tom Schaeffer, Jim Casey and Orlando Carter was fourth with a combined toss of 116-0.

Ross's fifth place came in the discus with Jeff Ruggerio, Clay Keim and Troy Bartson tossing the platter 305 feet, 10 inches.

Ross will host Tiffin Columbian Tuesday in a combined girls and boys meet. The first event begins at 4 p.m.

Boys high school track

Ross edges Columbian

Ross won eight of 15 events while defeating Tiffin Columbian 68-59 in boys high school track Tuesday afternoon.

It was Ross's dual meet

Sixers

Rockets 107, Spurs 98

Houston, still riding high after knocking off the defending champion Los Angeles Lakers, surprised the Spurs at San Antonio behind 27 points by Moses Malone and 21 by Calvin Murphy.

San Antonio led 27-18 late in the first quarter, but 15 second-period points by Murphy helped Houston to a 62-53 halftime lead and the Spurs came no closer than six after that.

The Rockets limited San Antonio to 42.6 percent shooting while hitting 50.5 percent themselves.

Suns 102, Kings 80

While San Antonio lost after coming off a nine-day

debut after a third place finish Saturday in the Bill Krause Relays at Tiffin. The Little Giants swept the top two spots in three events to pick up valuable points.

Tom Pendrey and Oliver Zimmerman were double winners for Ross. Pendrey won both hurdles events, taking the highs in 15 seconds and the 300 meter lows in 40.3.

Zimmerman pulled the iron man trick, winning the 1600 and 3200 meter runs. He took the shorter race in four minutes and 50 seconds while running a 10:36.7 in the longer.

Larry Peck of Columbian won three events — the 100 (11.2), 400 (51.8) and the 200 (23.2).

In other meets, Elwood stopped Gibsonburg's dual meet winning streak at seven with a 70-66 win. The Golden Bears were 7-0 last season. Danbury ruined Old Fort's opener, winning 93-34 and Bellevue edged

Clyde 65-61.

Mike DeAngelis, Herm Reineck and Larry Foos won two events apiece for Gibsonburg. DeAngelis won the discus (139-2), shot put (44-5) with Reineck taking the high hurdles (15.4) and the lows (42.4).

Foos won the mile in 4:42.2 and the two mile run in 10:39.9.

Old Fort had four firsts in the loss to Danbury. Brett Fry won the long jump and Tony Miller's 11-6 won the pole vault. Jim Ahle took the high hurdles in 16.8 while Clark Sturgill won the 3200 meters in 10:37.0.

Todd Gillette won the pole vault for Clyde with an 11-6 effort. The Fliers took the top two spots in the 100 meters with Chuck Hermes first and Scott Keegan second. Russ Hush won the low hurdles and Jim Hammer took the discus.

Clyde won both the 400 and mile relays.

Girls track

Lady Little Giants run past Columbian

The Ross girls track team had seven first place finishes to claim its first dual meet win of the season Tuesday afternoon 64-46 over Tiffin Columbian.

Laurie Smith, Lisa Jones and Tammy Haas paced the Lady Little Giant victory.

Smith captured firsts in the discus (105-4) and the shot put (37-1), breaking her record of 35-10 1/4 in the shot put set in 1980.

Haas had firsts in the 100 meter hurdles (16.1), the 800 run (2:33.2) and was a part of the winning 3200 relay team.

Jones sprinted to firsts in the 100 and 200 meter dashes in 13.0 and 28.2.

Ross also recorded firsts in the 400 run and the 400 and 800 relays.

At Oak Harbor, the Lady Rockets took first and second in five events to bury Woodmore 82 1/2-27 1/2.

Gina Opfer and Connie Cook ruled the shot put for Oak Harbor with tosses of 31-5 1/4 and 31-2 and Annette Millie and Donna Hetric dominated the discus in 36-0 and 31-9.

Other one-two finishes came in the hurdles (Sue Dueschle and Judy Ruff), the 100 meter dash (Cindy Kern and Kim Mackey) and the 220-yard dash (Mackey and Kern and Jacki Harder).

At Bellevue, the Clyde girls suffered their second setback of the season, dropping a 64-46 decision to the Lady Redmen.

Mary Gravin was a double-winner for Clyde with victories in the mile (6:01.9) and the 880 (2:39.1). Other winners were Sue Killian in the discus, Rhonda Kiesel in the long jump, and the two-mile and mile relay teams.

Lakota had seven firsts and six seconds in its romp of Otsego, 63-47.

Deb Dennis took two firsts for Lakota in the field events, capturing the discus (107-4) and the shot put (33-9). Annette Hammer won the long jump (14-9 1/2), Nancy Wonderly the hurdles (16.8) and Angie Holman the 440 dash (68.9).

The 3200 and mile relay teams also won for Lakota.

At Gibsonburg, Ann Stevenson, Annette Roepke and the two-mile relay team finished first but the Lady Golden Bears lost to Elmwood 61-48 in their season debut.

Roepke was first in the mile and 880 in 6:31.96 and 2:53.82 and Stevenson jumped 12-9 to win the long jump. The two-mile relay team won with a time of 11:52.89.

Tennis

Ross nips Mansfield 3-2

MANSFIELD — Ross won its opening tennis match of the season Tuesday, stopping Mansfield 3-2.

The Little Giants won the first singles and both doubles matches for their match points.

Matt Collins of Ross downed Tony Feagin 6-2 and 6-1 in the first court singles while Brian Beck of the Little Giants was turned back by Mark Brumm 6-1, 4-6 and 6-7, losing the tie-breaker 5-4.

In the third singles match, Scott Kohheiser of Mansfield defeated Dennis Eickert 6-1 and 6-4.

Kevin Adams and Ross Paulson, Ross's first doubles team, turned back Jerry Botdord and Steve Calvert in straight 6-3 sets. In the second doubles, Ross's team of Robert Lopez and Tom Polk posted 6-3 and 6-2 set wins over Mansfield's duo of Todd Grogg and Paul Smith.

"We need a lot of work," Ross Coach Pete Michaels admitted, "our game needs to improve. We have a long season but it's nice to win the first match."

Ross will host Tiffin Columbian today at Rodger Young Park. The first matches get started at 4 p.m.

Track summ.

Boys

Field events

Long jump: 1-Ron Thrun (R) 19-11, 2-Brian Riley (C); Shot put: 1-Harbough (C) 46-5, 2-Baker (C); Discus: 1-Scaife (C) 122-9½, 2-Baker (C); High Jump: 1-John Culver (C) 5-10, 2-Thrun (R) 5-4; Pole Vault: 1-Mike Mowry (R) 11-6, 2-Green (C).

Running events

High hurdles: 1-Tom Pendrey (R) 15.00, 2-Ron Bliss (R) 17.23; 100 meters: 1-Larry Peck (C) 11.2, 2-Mark Balsizer (R) 11.4; 1600 meters: 1-Oliver Zimmerman (R) 4:50.0, 2-Gleen Sannon (C); 400 relay: 1-Ross (Eric Bates, Rick Heidelberg, Balsizer, Pendrey) 45.8; 400 meters: 1-Peck (C) 51.8, 2-Todd Johnson (R) 54.51; Low hurdles: 1-Pendrey (R) 40.3, 2-Bates (R) 42.55; 800 meters: 1-Dan Martin (C) 2:10.8, 2-Mark Walther (R) 2:13.24; 200 meters: 1-Peck (C) 23.2, 2-Pendrey (C) 23.5; 3200

meters: 1-Zimmerman (R) 10:36.7, 2-Fred Hepp (R) 10:43.8; 1600 relay: 1-Ross (Bates, Walther, Johnson, Heidelberg) 3:36.5.

Elmwood 70, Gibsonburg 66

Field events

Long jump: 1-Matt Cessna (E) 17-5, 2-Scott Stebbins (E) 17-3; Triple jump: 1-Paul Schwartz (G) 36-6, 2-Bob Jividen (G) 35-8; Discus: 1-Mike DeAngelis (G) 139-2, 2-Mark Damschroder (G) 108-9; Pole vault: 1-Todd Holcomb (G) 11-0, 2-Mike Halsey (E) 9-6; High jump: 1-Cessna (E) 5-8, 2-Jamey Long (E) 5-8; Shot put: 1-DeAngelis (G) 44-5, 2-Rod Chamberlain (E) 43-2.

Running events

High hurdles: 1-Herm Reineck (G) 15.4, 2-Cessna (E) 17.1; 100 yards: 1-Gill (E) 10.9, 2-Stone (E) 11.1; Mile run: 1-Larry Foos (G) 4:42.2, 2-Bob Jividen (G) 5:12.0; 440 relay: 1-Elmwood (Bob Rosendale, Halsey, Bob Rice, Gill)

Girls

Ross 64, Columbian 46

Field events

Discus: 1-Laurie Smith (R) 105-4, 2-Johanna Hawk (R) 90-10; High jump: 1-Sharon Widman (C) 4-8, 2-Celenea Simmoms (R) 4-6; Long jump: 1-Focht (C) 15-1½, 2-Zoeller (C) 14-8; Shot Put: 1-Smith (R) 37-1, 2-Fruth (C) 34-1;

Running events

Hurdles: 1-Tammy Haas (R) 16.1, 2-Zoeller (C) 18.75; 3200 relay: 1-Ross (Haas, Sandy Long, Simmons, Joan Osmon) 10:58.9; 100 meters: 1-Lisa Jones (R) 13.00, 2-Focht (C) 13.6; 1600 meters: 1-Vera (C) 5:53.3, 2-Simmons (R) 6:12.52; 400 relay: 1-Ross (Della Hall, Gloria Heidelberg, Beth Randolph, Jones) 53.5; 400 meters: 1-Osmon (R) 1:07.2, 2-Zoeller (C) 1:10.62; 800 relay: 1-Ross (Jones, Randolph, Heidelberg, Hall) 1:52.8; 800 meters: 1-Haas (R) 2:33.2, 2-Vera (C) 2:38.7; 200 meters: 1-Jones (R) 28.2, 2-Focht (C) 29.4; 1600 meters: 1-Columbian (Frontz, Rhod, Rider, Arndes) 4:30.0.

Season record: Ross 1-0.

Pendrey racks up three firsts in Ross track loss

Tom Pendrey won three events and Ross took eight first place finishes but dropped a 68-59 decision to Bowling Green in boys high school track Thursday afternoon at Ross.

Pendrey won the 110 high hurdles (15.6), the 100 meter dash (11.4) and the 300 low hurdles (40.0). He also was on the winning 400 relay team.

Other winners for Ross were Oliver Zimmerman in the 1600 run (4:41.0), Todd Johnson in the 400 dash (52.7), Mike Mowry in the pole vault and the 1600 relay team (3:35.5).

Bowling Green won the meet by virtue of its second place finishes. The Bobcats had 11 seconds compared to Ross's four. Bowling Green also had seven firsts.

In other boys track, Fostoria defeated Clyde 78-49, Oak Harbor walloped Margaretta 105-22 and Woodmore won a tri-meet from Old Fort and Bettsville 91½-65½-2, respectively.

Clyde's sprinters led the Fliers in their loss to Fostoria.

Charlie Hermes and Scott Keegan finished one-two in both the 100 and the 200 meter dashes. Hermes' winning times were 11.3 and 23.2.

That duo also sparked the Clyde 400 relay team which won in 45.8.

The only other first place finish for the

Fliers was recorded by Jim Hammer in the discus (129-10¾).

At Oak Harbor, the Rockets took first and second in nine events to clobber Margaretta.

Jim Silverwood was first in the 100 meter dash and the 220-yard dash in 11.7 and 24.6. Tim Gates won the high hurdles (17.7) and took second place finishes in the pole vault and low hurdles.

Other firsts for Oak Harbor came from Ray David in the long jump, Paul Bowersox in the shot put, Norm Cook in the high jump, Jeff Arnold in the mile run, Dennis Shiels in the low hurdles, Steve Anderson in the 880 run and Jack Qusino in the two mile run.

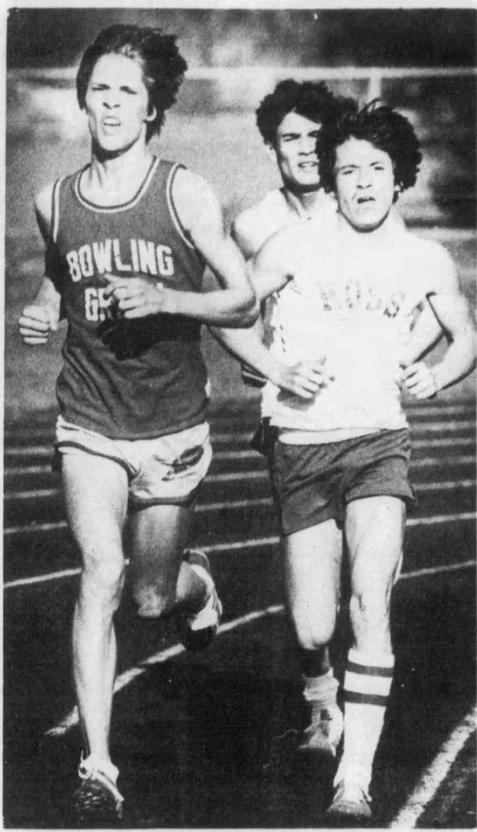
Both Oak Harbor relay teams also won.

At Old Fort, Woodmore took 10 firsts and Old Fort five.

Pat Johnson and Mark Nedelco were double winners for the Wildcats.

Johnson won the 100 and 200 meter dashes in 11.8 and 25.4 while Nedelco, a long distance runner, won the 1600 and 3200 meter runs in 4:44 and 10:13.5.

Jim Ahle and Dan Phillimore had two firsts apiece for Old Fort. Ahle won the long jump with a leap of 19-6½ and Phillimore the 400 dash in 55.5. Both tied for first in the 110 high hurdles in 17.3.



OLIVER ZIMMERMAN, right, of Ross is about to move ahead of a Bowling Green runner during the 1600 meter Thursday at the Ross High School track. Zimmerman won the event. (N-M photos by Bill Kennedy)

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ORLANDO CARTER of the Little Giants bites his lip shortly after letting go of the shot put. He finished second.

St. Joe picks up 1st win

PORT CLINTON — The St. Joe tennis team got its first win of the 1981 season defeating Sandusky Bay Conference foe Port Clinton here Thursday afternoon 4-1.

Dan Leite, Mike Reardon and Tom Stotz earned singles victories for the Streaks. Leite defeated Doug Molnar 5-7, 6-1, 6-3; Reardon downed Don Kurtz 6-1, 6-1; and Stotz trimmed Chris Duhamel 6-1, 6-0.

In the doubles competition, Mike and Terry Sullivan of St. Joe beat Todd Tibbs and Scott Zura 6-3, 2-6, 6-0 but Jack Hoffman and Brian Tiell lost to Kevin Keefer and Kip Bidnel 3-6, 5-7.

The triumph gives St. Joe a 1-3 overall record, 1-2 in the SBC.

The Streaks will be off until Tuesday when St. Mary's comes to Fremont for a 4 p.m. match at East Side Park.

NEW YORK (AP) — It

was a baseball fairy tale acted out in front of 55,123 fans — the largest opening day crowd in the 58-year history of Yankee Stadium — and Bobby Murcer turned out to be Cinderella.

Hanging onto his roster spot by the narrowest of threads, Murcer responded to a standing ovation from the record stadium crowd Thursday by wallop a pinch-hit, grand slam homer in the New York Yankees 10-3 rout of the Texas Rangers.

The fans are aware of

chills through my body."

The count went to 3-2 — just like in the fairy tales — and Murcer connected for the sixth grand slam of his career and fourth as a Yankee. The roar of the fans was a factor, he said.

"Fan reaction plays a big part for a player, I think. It built me up a little extra. When you have their support you give it that little extra. It really got me going. It showed me the people are behind me all the way. It was very

Girls track and field

Smith's record paces Ross

Laurie Smith set a school record in the discus and also won the shot put as the Ross girls won their second track meet in a row 67½-42½ over Bowling Green.

The win gives the Lady Little Giants a 2-0 dual meet record after finishing second in the Tiffin relays Saturday.

Smith tossed the discus 113-10, breaking the old record of 113-10 set in 1979 by Margaret Van Gilder. Smith also won the shot with a toss of 35-4.

Tammy Haas won two events, the 100 meter hurdles and the 400 dash, in 16.3 and 61.0 and also was a member of the winning 3200 relay team.

Sophomore Beth Randolph was first in the long jump (14-9½) and second in the 200 meter dash (29.05). Joann Osmon took first in the 800 run (2:38.11).

In all, Ross won nine events, had seven second place finishes and five thirds.

In other girls track, Woodmore was first in a tri-meet with Old Fort and Bettsville, tallying 96 points. Old Fort was second with 35 and Bettsville third with 8. Sandusky dumped Clyde 85-25 and Old Fort whipped Margaretta 98½-11½.

At Old Fort, the Woodmore Lady Wildcats won every event but two. Regi

Dunn paced Woodmore in the field events with a first in the discus (83½) and a second in the shot put. In the running events, Woodmore had four different persons finish first as well as the 3200, 400, 800 and 1600 relay teams.

Donna Kelser was first in the 100 dash (13.9) for Old Fort and took second in the high jump (4-8¾).

At Sandusky, Mary Gravin and Christi Mossholder were the only bright spots for Clyde. Gravin had seconds in the 1600 run (5:51.7) and the 800 run (2:36.7) and Mossholder was first in the low hurdles (17.4). Clyde's 3200 relay team was also first (10:22.1).

At Oak Harbor, the Lady Rockets captured every event to bury Margaretta.

Double winners for Oak Harbor were Annette Millie, Mary Huske, and Cindy Kern. Millie won the discus (83-6) and the long jump (14-6½), Huske the high jump (4-9) and the mile run (6:21) and Kern the 100 dash (13.0) and the 220 (28.3).

Gina Opfer set a school record for Oak Harbor in the shot put with a toss of 31-9½. The old record was 31-6.

LA's Sonora sensation baffles Houston 2-0

By JOHN NELSON
AP Sports Writer

In their 24 years in Los Angeles, the Dodgers never had started a rookie pitcher on opening day — until, that is, a chubby 20-year-old named Fernando Valenzuela strode to the mound.

Valenzuela, a left-hander from Sonora, Mexico, still hasn't learned to speak English, but he had no trouble understanding Houston's batters. He tossed a five-hit shutout and led Dodgers to a 2-0 victory Thursday over the Astros, last season's nemesis.

Valenzuela, the youngest player in the major leagues, was pressed into service when Jerry Reuss pulled a muscle in his calf on Wednesday. He now has pitched 262 2/3 major league innings without yielding an earned run since being called up by the Dodgers last Sept. 10.

"He pitched like a man with 10 years' experience," said former Dodgers pitcher Don Sutton, now with the Astros.

Valenzuela said through an interpreter that he didn't expect to extend his string of scoreless innings much farther. "I'm not superman," he said. He did add later, though, that he felt no trepidation in filling the historic role.

Expos 6, Pirates 5

Gary Carter's run-scoring single off Pirates reliever Kent Tekulve snapped a 5-5 tie in the top of the ninth and boosted Montreal over Pittsburgh before 40,332 Pirates fans. Andre Dawson led off the Montreal ninth with a single off Tekulve and stole second. He went to third on a

Season record: Ross 1-1, Johnson 1-1.

Heidelberg 1-1, Balsizer 1-1, Pendrey 1-1.

Whitmer trims Ross

TOLEDO — Laurie Smith captured two of Ross's four first places as Whitmer handed the Lady Little Giants their first track loss in three outings 81-28.

Smith won the discus with a toss of 114 feet, one inch and came back to take the shot put with heave of 36-2.

Another first place was taken by Tammy Haas in the 800 meter run with a clocking of 2:29.4. The fourth win generated by the Ross squad went to the 3200 relay team of Haas, Lisa Arndt, Sandy Long and Joan Osmon in 11:07.6.

Seconds for Ross went to Lisa Jones in the 100 meters, Amy Lindstrom in the shot, the 400 and 800 meter relays.

Clyde, Lakota, Genoa pick up track wins — Track

Wednesday

Ross lost to Marion Harding while Clyde, Lakota and Genoa picked up victories in high school boys track and field Tuesday.

The Prexies handled Ross easily 96-31, winning 13 of the 15 events. The only wins for the Little Giants at the Harding home was in the 400 meter relay and the low hurdles.

The Ross relay team of

Sam Lindsey, Rick Heidelberg, Mark Balsizer and Tom Pendrey posted a 45.6 for the one trip around the track. Pendrey won the lows in 39.3.

Seconds for Ross were in the 100 and 200 by Balsizer, the 400 by Todd Johnson, Pendrey in the high hurdles and Oliver Zimmerman in the 800.

Clyde won a triangular from Old Fort and Huron.

The Fliers had 74 1/2, Old Fort 49 and Huron 34 1/2.

Clyde won four of the five field events, losing only the pole vault to Old Fort's Tony Miller with a vault of 12-6. Matt Hoeflich won the shot, Jim Hammer took the discus with Scott Keegan winning the long jump and Dale Tea the high jump.

In the running events, Old Fort's Clark Sturgill

won the 1600, 800 and 3200 meter runs. The Fliers won both the 400 and 1600 meter relay.

The Clyde foursome of Charlie Hermes, Keith Hackenburg, Jeff Schermerbeck and Scott Keegan posted a 47.5 in the 400 and the squad of Hermes, Jamie Burkholz, Greg Rodriguez and Jeff Ealderson won the mile in 3:50.8.

Gene Hoffman won the weight events for Lakota in a 94-42 win over Woodmore. Hoffman took the shot with a heave of 43-11 and the discus with a toss of 137-7.

In the running events, hampered by 40 mph wind gusts, Woodmore's Pat Johnson won the 100 meter

and 220 yard dashes. Mark Nedelco, also of Woodmore, won the mile and two-mile runs.

Lakota's team of Andy Boice, Rick Miller, Skip Teeple and Steve Holman won the 440 relay in 49.4 while the Raiders foursome of Gary and Steve Holman, Dave Ritter and Rick Ealderson won the mile relay in 3:59.8.

Genoa knocked off Elmwood 77 1/2-53 1/2. The Comets' Bob Claus won the high and low hurdles and took second in the triple jump to lead the victory.

Scott Waldmann won the triple jump and finished second in the high jump and the discus.

Marion Harding 96, Ross 31
Field events

Long jump: 1-Canada (MH) 22-3, 2-Ross (MH); Shot put: 1-McKensey (MH) 47-9 1/2, 2-Scott (MH); Discus: 1-Kepler (MH) 142-3, 2-Scott (MH); High jump: 1-Hill (MH) 6-0, 2-(tie) Steven and Shafer (MH); Pole vault: 1-(tie) Day and Simmons (MH) 12-0.

Running events

High hurdles: 1-Hill (MH) 14.5, 2-Tom Pendrey (R) 14.52; 100 meters: 1-Klaus (MH) 11.3, 2-Mark Balsizer (R) 11.37; 1600 meters: 1-Hoover (MH) 4:54.7, 2-Jolliff (MH); 400 relay: 1-Ross (Sam Lindsey, Rick Heidelberg, Balsizer, Pendrey) 45.6; 400 meters: 1-Canada (MH) 53.4, 2-Todd Johnson (R) 54.7; Low hurdles: 1-Pendrey (R) 39.3, 2-Pittman (MH); 800 meters: 1-Shafer (MH) 2:12.6, 2-Oliver Zimmerman (R) 2:14.37; 200 meters: 1-Hill (MH) 22.6, 2-Balsizer (R) 23.38; 3200 meters: 1-Hoover (MH) 10:46.3, 2-Jolliff (MH); 1600 relay: 1-Marion Harding (Pittman, Boyd, Klaus, Shafer) 3:40.1.

Field events

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Long jump: 1-Canada (MH) 22-3, 2-Ross (MH); Shot put: 1-McKensey (MH) 47-9 1/2, 2-Scott (MH); Discus: 1-Kepler (MH) 142-3, 2-Scott (MH); High jump: 1-Hill (MH) 6-0, 2-(tie) Steven and Shafer (MH); Pole vault: 1-(tie) Day and Simmons (MH) 12-0.

Running events

High hurdles: 1-Hill (MH) 14.5, 2-Tom Pendrey (R) 14.52; 100 meters: 1-Klaus (MH) 11.3, 2-Mark Balsizer (R) 11.37; 1600 meters: 1-Hoover (MH) 4:54.7, 2-Jolliff (MH); 400 relay: 1-Ross (Sam Lindsey, Rick Heidelberg, Balsizer, Pendrey) 45.6; 400 meters: 1-Canada (MH) 53.4, 2-Todd Johnson (R) 54.7; Low hurdles: 1-Pendrey (R) 39.3, 2-Pittman (MH); 800 meters: 1-Shafer (MH) 2:12.6, 2-Oliver Zimmerman (R) 2:14.37; 200 meters: 1-Hill (MH) 22.6, 2-Balsizer (R) 23.38; 3200 meters: 1-Hoover (MH) 10:46.3, 2-Jolliff (MH); 1600 relay: 1-Marion Harding (Pittman, Boyd, Klaus, Shafer) 3:40.1.

Marion Harding 59, Ross 51 Field events

High jump: 1-McDuffier (MH) 4-6, 2-Amy Lindstrom (R) 4-6; Shot put: 1-Laurie Smith (R) 34-8 1/2, 2-Lindstrom 31-10; Long jump: 1-Anthony (MH) 16-8, 2-Randolph (R) 15-0; Discus: 1-Smith (R) 108-0, 2-Lindstrom (R) 96-2.

Running events

Hurdles: 1-Pereira (MH) 17.8, 2-Almendinger (MH) 18.7; 100 meters: 1-Anthony (MH) 12.9, 2-Lisa Jones (R) 13.0; 1600 meters: 1-Tammy Haas (R) 6:18.5, 2-Rentsehler (MH) 6:28.0; 400 relay: 1-Ross (Celenea Simmons, Randolph, Traci Beard, Sandy Long) 57.6; 400 meters: 1-Anthony (MH) 1:08.8, 2-Joan Osmon (R) 1:09.75; 800 relay: Marion Harding (Toney, Pereira, Freslaais, Fostor) 2:33.2; 800 meters: 1-Haas (R) 2:28.0; 2-Rife (MH) 2:32.85; 200 meters: 1-Anthony (MH) 27.6, 2-Randolph (R) 28.3; 1600 relay: 1-Marion Harding (Newsome, Yost, Rife, Rentsehler) 4:40.7.

Ross boys knock off Elyria

Tom Pendrey won three events and Tony Gant added a victory and a second place finish as Ross defeated Elyria 68-59 in a Buckeye Conference meet Tuesday afternoon.

Pendrey won the both hurdle events (15.5 and 40.3) and the 200 dash (23.0). Pendrey also ran the last leg for the winning

400 relay team.

Gant won the long jump (20-6) and was second in the 100 dash (11.63).

Curtiss Lee won the 100 dash for Ross (11.5) and Orlando Carter finished first in the shot put (45½). Todd Johnson captured the 400 dash (44.3).

Oliver Zimmerman had two second place finishes

for the Little Giants, one in the 800 run and one in the 1600 run.

In the only other boys track meet, Lakota and Elmwood got every event in but two before the rain hit as Lakota downed Elmwood 85-37.

Dave Ritter and Rick Balderson were double winners for Lakota. Ritter won the low and high hurdles (44.5 and 15.9) and Balderson was first in the 440 and 220 sprints (54.2 and 25.7).

Tom Henry and Doug Graber added a pair of firsts and seconds for Lakota, Henry winning the discus and finishing second in the shot put and Graber first in the triple jump and second in the long jump.

Gary Holman and Paul Smith were other winners for Lakota.

Women's softball teams needed

BELLEVUE — The Bellevue Community center is looking for softball teams for a women's softball tournament this weekend.

The tourney, a 12-team round robin affair, will be Sunday, May 3. The drawing will be held Thursday, April 30 at the community center.

Interested teams should contact the community center at 483-5555.

Genoa Little League Tournament

The Genoa Recreation Department and Ol' Buddies Dairy Dip are sponsoring a Little League Baseball tournament beginning in May.

Ross-Elyria

Elyria captured eight first place finishes and five runnerup spots to down Ross.

The Little Giants were led by Laurie Smith and Tammy Haas.

Smith won the discus (111-11) and was second in the shot put (32-11½) while Haas won the 800 run (2:29), was a part of the winning 3200 relay team and was second in the hurdles.

Other winners for Ross were Della Hall, Amy Lindstrom and Celenea Simmons.

Elyria 60 $\frac{2}{3}$, Ross 49 $\frac{1}{3}$

FIELD EVENTS

Long Jump: 1-Della Hall (R) 14-6, 2-Carla Smith (E) 14-6; High Jump: 1-Vicki Porter (E) 4-8, 2-Smith (E) 4-8; Shot Put: 1-Amy Lindstrom (R) 33-4, 2-Laurie Smith (R) 32-11 $\frac{1}{2}$; Discus: 1-Smith (R) 111-11, 2-Smith (E) 96-8.

RUNNING EVENTS

3200 relay: 1-Ross (Tammy Haas, Sandy Long, Celenea Simmons, Joan Osmon) 10:45.6; Hurdles: 1-Porter (E) 15.7, 2-Haas (R) 15.9; 100 meters: 1-Porter (E) 13.2, 2-McGowen (E) 13.5; 1600 meters: Simmons (R) 5:58.0, 2-Julie Hyre (E) 6:00.0; 400 relay: 1-Elyria (Michelle, Harris, McGowan, L. Porter) 53.2; 400 meters: 1-Karen Curry (E) 61.2, 2-Judy Krock (R) 67.0; 800 relay: 1-Elyria (L. Porter, McGowan, Montgomery, Harris) 1:51.0; 800 meters: 1-Haas (R) 2:29.0, 2-Osmon (R) 2:39.1; 200 meters: 1-Curry (E) 27.3, 2-Hall (R) 28.0; 1600 relay: 1-Elyria (V. Porter, Jackson, Todd, Harris) 4:33.0.

Boys

Ross 68, Elyria 59

FIELD EVENTS

Discus: 1-Bryan Henry (E) 122-10, 2-Shane Obitts (E); Pole Vault: 1-Jim Harjo (E) 10-0, 2-Steve Slatter (R) 9-0; Long jump: 1-Tony Gant (R) 20-6, 2-Troy Smallwood (E); Shot Put: 1-Orlando Carter (R) 45-1 $\frac{1}{2}$, 2-Tom Schaffer (R) 40-0; High jump: 1-Henry (E) 5-10, 2-Scott Ashley (E).

RUNNING EVENTS

High hurdles: 1-Tom Pendrey (R) 15.5, 2-Shawn Simms (R) 16.5; 100 meters: 1-Curtiss Lee (R) 11.5, 2-Gant (R) 11.63; 1600 meters: 1-Jim Silver (E) 4:45.0, 2-Oliver Zimmerman !R\$ 4:49.2; 400 relay: 1-Ross (Lee, Gant, Mark Balsizer, Pendrey) 44.3; 400 meters: 1-Todd Johnson (R) 52.5, 2-Ray Herod (E); Low hurdles: 1-Pendrey (R) 40.3, 2-Eric Bates (R) 41.1; 800 meters: 1-Jerome Gibson (E) 2:06.7, 2-Zimmerman (R); 200 meters: 1-Pendrey (R) 23.0; 2-Ashley (E); 3200 meters: 1-Silver (E) 10:19.4, 2-Fred Hepp (R) 10:47.0; 1600 relay: Elyria (Mark Griffin, Harold Washington, Godd, Harod) 3:33.0.

Tammy Haas won three events by herself and one with some help but Sandusky's team strength was too much as Ross fell to the Blue Streaks 67-42 in a girls Buckeye Conference track meet Thursday afternoon.

Haas won the 100 hurdles (16.3), the 400 dash (61.7) and the 800 run (2:40.7) with no help from anyone but teamed up with Joan Osmon, Celenea Simmons and Sandy Long to capture the 3200 relay (10:27).

Sandusky, however, won eight events, took eight second place finishes and six thirds to pull away from Ross.

Loudon and Bettsville. Hopewell was the winner, piling up 71 points to Old Fort's 61 and Bettsville's 10.

In the only boys meet of the day, Old Fort won a tri-meet 80-79-0 over Hopewell-Loudon and Bettsville, respectively.

Laurie Smith took first in the shot put (31-1) and Lisa Jones won the 200 dash (27.0) for Ross's other first place finishes.

Simmons, Amy Lindstrom and Johanna Hawk picked up second place finishes for the Little Giants.

Hopewell-Old Fort-Bettsville (girls)

Clyde wins, Ross loses in track

Clyde won but Ross lost in high school girls track and field meets Monday.

At Clyde, the Lady Fliers rolled past Edison 63-47 while Toledo Start stopped the Lady Little Giants 73-37 at the Ross field.

Clyde swept all four relays in defeating Edison. The Lady Fliers took nine first place with five winning individual events.

Sue Killian, shot put, Rhonda Kiesel, long jump, Mary Garvin, 1600 meters, Jenny Bible, 800 meters, and Becky Nesselhauf, 200 meters, were the Clyde individual winners.

Laurie Smith and Tammy Haas won two

events for Ross but Start won 10 events to roll to the win.

Smith won the shot put and the discus while Haas won the hurdles and 800 meter run.

Clyde 63, Edison 47

Field Events

Shot put: 1-Swicken (E) 30-11, 2-Cheryl Mesnard (C) 30-3; Discus: 1-Sue Killian (C) 89-9, 2-Rutherford (E) 80-10½; Long jump: 1-Rhonda Kiesel (C) 16-2½, 2-Malone (E) 14-8; High jump: 1-Danda (E) 5-1, 2-Janine Nesselhauf (C) 4-8.

Running events

3200 relay: 1-Clyde (Jenny Bible, Vicki Golembiowski, Wendy Scheck, Maggie Fultz) 10:55.4; Hurdles: 1-Hight (E) 17.0, 2-Christy Mossholder (C) 17.1; 100 meters: 1-Weilnow (E) 13.1, 2-Hohenstein (C) 13.3; 1600 meters: 1-Mary Garvin (C) 5:41.8, 2-

Budder (E) 6:11.9; 400 relay: 1-Clyde (Jackie Gray, Mossholder, Becky Nesselhauf, Holly Streeter) 53.2; 400 meters: 1-Weilnow (E) 63.3, 2-Jackie Hammer (C) 64.5; 800 relay: 1-Clyde (Gray, Mossholder, Kiesel, Streeter) 1:54.6; 800 meters: 1-Bible (C) 2:40.9, 2-McDonald (E) 2:48.1; 200 meters: 1-B. Nesselhauf (C) 28.2, 2-Ritz (E) 28.5; 1600 relay: 1-Clyde (Scheck, Rose Goebel, Kiesel, Teri Passante) 4:29.4.

Start 73, Ross 37

Field events

Shot put: 1-Laurie Smith (R) 35-6½, 2-Amy Lindstrom (R); Long jump: Anna Smith (S) 14-9½, 2-Beth Randolph (R); Discus: 1-Smith (R) 98-4, 2-Johanna Hawk (R); High jump: 1-Denise Kanyo (S) 5-0, 2-Smith (S) 4-10.

Running events

3200 relay: 1-Start (McDonald, McGuire, Bennins, Gibson) 10:27.42; Hurdles: 1-Tammy Haas (R) 15.38, 2-Riley (S); 100 meters: 1-Marilyn Gamble (S) 12.7, 2-Kim Arney (S) 12.9; 1600 meters: 1-Jill McDonald (S) 6:02.06, 2-Lisa Berning (S); 400 relay: 1-Start (Arney, Haas, Riley, Gamble) 51.13; 400 meters: 1-Linda Walkins (S) 1:03.93, 2-Tracy Jamison (S); 800 relay: 1-Start (Hall, Haas, Besfci, Gamble) 1:48.46; 800 meters: 1-Haas (R) 2:33.31, 2-McDonald (S) 2:42.18; 200 meters: 1-Arney (S) 27.31, 2-Lisa Jones (R) 28.08; 1600 relay: 1-Start (Jamison, Haas, Hall, Walkins) 4:38.94.

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Sandusky 'sweeps' edge Ross

SANDUSKY — Ross came close but 1-2-3 sweeps by Sandusky in the 3200 meters and the pole vault handed the Blue Streaks a narrow 65-62 win in high school boys track Tuesday.

Trailing 57-46 going into the 3200 meters, Sandusky cut Ross's lead to 57-56 when Brian Putnam led Sandusky teammates Tony Williamson and Jim King across the finish line in the long distance run.

Putnam was timed in 10:18.6.

Ross increased its lead to 62-56 by winning the 1600 relay in 3:32.1 with the team of Eric Bates, Todd

Johnson, Rick Heidelberg and Tony Gant.

Then the results of the pole vault filtered in and Sandusky had the three-point win. Al Jenkins vaulted 13-feet to finish ahead of Curt Jenkins and Rick Jones of the Blue Streaks.

Gant was a double winner for Ross, taking the long jump with a leap of 21-3 and the 100 in 11.5.

The Little Giants won eight of the 15 events, taking the top two spots in the 100 and 200 meter dashes. Curtis Lee finished second to Gant in the 100 but was first in the 200. Mark Balsizer was second in the 200.

Field events

Long Jump: 1-Tony Gant (R) 21-3, 2-High jump: 1-Charles Abrams (S) 6-0, 2-Ron Thrun (R) 5-8; Discus: 1-Bob Grace (S) 152-2, 2-Joe Provansha (R) 118-6; Shot put: 1-Grace (S) 51-1, 2-Bill Curley (S) 49-2; Pole vault: 1-Al Jenkins (S) 13-0, 2-Curt Jenkins (S).

Running events

High hurdles: 1-Rich Frantozz (S) 14.9, 2-Tom Pendrey (R) 15.3; 100 meters: 1-Gant (R) 11.5, 2-Curtis Lee (R) 11.7; 1600 meters: 1-Oliver Zimmerman (R) 4:34.4, 2-Jarvis Corley (S); 400 relay: 1-Ross (Lee, Gant, Mark Balsizer, Pendrey) 44.3; 400 meters: 1-Todd Johnson (R) 51.7, 2-Bill Poole (S); Low hurdles: 1-Pendrey (R) 39.1, 2-Fantozz (S); 800 meters: 1-Gary Hayman (S) 2:02.1, 2-Zimmerman (R) 2:08.7; 200 meters: 1-Lee (R) 23.4, 2-Balsizer (R) 23.5; 3200 meters: 1-Brian Putnam (S) 10:18.6, 2-Tony Williamson (S) 10:23.0; 1600 relay: 1-Ross (Eric Bates, Johnson, Rick Heidelberg, Gant) 3:32.1.

New record for Haas

Ross girls 'leap' past Findlay

Ross came up with just enough in the high jump to squeeze past Findlay 56-54 in a high school girls track meet at the Ross track Thursday.

Celenea Simmons leaped four feet, eight inches to take second place and picked up three points in the jumping event to give the Lady Giants the win.

In the 1600 meter relay, the Ross girls broke a 48-48 deadlock, winning the event by two seconds over the Lady Trojans. Ross was timed in 4:35.37 while Findlay finished the distance in 4:37.70. Members of the Ross relay were Joan Osmon, Judy Krock, Sandy Long and Tammy Haas.

The narrow Ross victory was highlighted by a record smashing effort by Haas in the 800 meters. The Ross senior ran the two-lap race in 2:25.33, breaking the 1980 mark set by Osmon of 2:26.6.

Ross captured seven of the 14 events with Laurie Smith winning her specialties, the shot put and discus. Haas also won twice, adding a first place in the hurdles to her 800 meter win.

In the shot put, Ross took all three top places with Amy Lindstrom finishing second a Johanna Hawk third. The 1-2-3 sweep offset a top three sweep posted by Findlay in the long jump.

Area track and field

Rockets roll to 6th victory

Oak Harbor won 12 of 16 events on the way to its $96\frac{1}{2}$ -39½ win over Genoa in a Suburban Lakes League boys track meet Thursday afternoon.

The victory keeps the Rockets undefeated in dual meets at 6-0.

Paul Bowersox was the only double winner for Oak Harbor, capturing the discus (120-0) and the shot put (42-6¾).

Other top performers were Norm Cook and Steve Anderson. Cook won the low hurdles (42.8) and took second in the high jump and the pole vault. Distance runner Anderson won the 800 run (2:08.2) and finished second in the mile.

In other boys meets, Perrysburg downed Woodmore 77-50 and in girls meets, Oak Harbor topped Genoa 86-24 and Perrysburg beat Woodmore 68-42.

Perrysburg-Woodmore (boys)

Derek Paetow and Pat Johnson were the bright

one field event to bury Genoa.

Sprinter Kim Mackey won the 100 and 220 dashes (13.2 and 27.3) for Oak Harbor and was a member of the winning mile relay team.

Annette Millie was first in the long jump (15-0) and second in the discus for Oak Harbor.

Woodmore-Perrysburg (girls)

Jackie Lohr, Chris Moellman and Sue Noll were winners for Woodmore.

Lohr was the high jump winner (5-0) while Moellman won the hurdles (17.4) and Noll the 400 dash (16.3).

Boys
Oak Harbor 96½, Genoa 39½

Field events

High Jump: 1-Waidmann (G) 5-10, 2-Norm Cook (OH) 5-10; Pole Vault: 1-Steve Weirich (OH) 10-0, 2-Cook (OH) 10-0; Discus: 1-Paul Bowersox (OH) 120-0, 2-Arnold Johnson (OH) 118-0; Triple Jump: 1-Dan Christie (OH) 18-11½; 2-Measel (G) 18-11½; Shot Put: 1-Bowersox (OH) 42-6¾, 2-Reaper (OH) 37-7¾; Triple Jump: 1-Ray David (OH) 38-7½, 2-Waldmann (G) 38-4½.

Running events

100 high hurdles: 1-Claus (G)

Season record: Oak Harbor 6-0. Perrysburg 77, Woodmore 50

Field events

Shot Put: 1-Craig Bunn (W) 42-3, 2-Bill Kieffer (W) 40-7; Long jump: 1-Derek Paetow (W) 18-5, 2-MacIntorf (P) 18-8; Discus: 1-Ball (P) 129-1, 2-Steve Madaras (W) 125-7½; Pole Vault: 1-Thornt (P) 11-6, 2-Austin (P) 10-6; High Jump: 1-Stanford (P) 5-6, 2-Paetow (W) 5-4.

Running events

High Hurdles: 1-McIntorf (P) 17-0, 2-Paetow (W) 17-1, 100 dash: 1-Pat Johnson (W) 11.9, 2-Track (P) 12.4; 1600 run: 1-Mike Hoffman (P) 4:46.9, 400 relay: 1-Perrysburg 46.0, 400 dash: 1-Ray Goekerman (P) 53.2, 2-Track (P) 55.0; Low hurdles: 1-MacIntorf (P) 42-6, 2-Jan Sammons (W) 43.6; 800 run: 1-Hoffman (P) 2:05.6, 2-Bill Sears (W) 2:06.7, 200 dash: 1-Johnson (W) 23.7, 2-Goekerman (P) 25.5, 3200 run: 1-Nedelco (W) 10:40.8, 2-Hoffman (P) 10:48.9; 1600 relay: 1-Perrysburg 3:31.3.

Girsls
Oak Harbor 86, Genoa 34

Field events

Long Jump: 1-Annette Millie (OH) 15-0, 2-Luann Crosby (OH) 14-6½; High Jump: 1-Donley (G) 4-10, 2-Mary Hueske (OH) 4-10; Shot Put: 1-McLean (G) 30-7, 2-Geneva Opfer (OH) 30-3; Discus: 1-Dreier (G) 85-7, 2-Millie (PH) 80-7.

Running events

Two mile relay: 1-Oak Harbor (Teresa Benner, Sandy Schwartz, Mary Hueske, Michele Burmeister) 11:12, 100 low hurdles: 1-Judy Ruff (OH) 17.0, 2-Sue

FIELD EVENTS

Long jump: 1-Heather Beery (F) 14-6½; Chris Cunningham (F) 13-11½; Shot put: 1-Laurie Smith (R) 35-10½, 2-Amy Lindstrom (R) 34-0½; Discus: 1-Smith (R) 10-9½, 2-Peggy Heldman (F) 95-4; High jump: 1-Libby Westerhauser (F) 4-10, 2-Celenea Simmons (R) 4-8.

RUNNING EVENTS

3200 relay: 1-Ross (Tammy Haas, Lisa Arndt, Joan Osmon, Sandy Long) 10:50; Hurdles: 1-Haas (R) 16.8, 2-Jodi Peeler (F) 16.9; 100 meters: 1-Lauri Francisco (F) 13.84, 2-Della Hall (R) 13.06; 1600 meters: 1-Becca Fariss (F) 5:58.23, 2-Simmons (R) 6:03.21; 400 relay: 1-Findlay (Westerhauser, Cunningham, Beery, Francisco) 53.38; 3400 meters: 1-Kris Mosier (P) 1:03.35, 2-Osmon (R) 1:06.03; 400 relay: 1-Ross Hall, Beth Randolph, Judy Krock, Sandy Long) 1:55.08; 800 meters: 1-Haas (R) 2:25.33, 2-Fariss (F) 2:47.87; 200 meters: 1-Perry (F) 28.49, 2-Randolph (R) 29.06; 1600 relay: 1-Ross (Osmon, Krock, Long, Haas) 4:35.37.



SANDY LONG of Ross bites her tongue while running a leg of one of Ross's relays Thursday. (News-Messenger photo by Bill Kennedy)

Whitmer spoils Pendrey record

Tom Pendrey set a new Ross track and field season point record but Whitmer rolled past the Little Giants 79-48 in high school track Thursday.

Pendrey won the high and low hurdles to give him 145 points for the season, breaking Jeff Brown's record of 133. Brown is now a hurdler at the University of Iowa. Pendrey won the highs in 15.7 and took the lows in 39.1 seconds.

Curtiss Lee won the 100 in 11.7, Tony Gant long

jumped 20 feet, four inches, Jock Hick won the 400 in 52.3 and Mark Balsizer won the 200 meters in 23.6 for Ross's other first places.

Whitmer swept the top three spots in the shot put, discus and pole vault.

Field events

Shot put: 1-Swanson (W) 50-11 1/4, 2-Jones (W); Long jump: 1-Tony Gant (R) 20-4, 2-Childress (W) 19-8; Discus: 1-Gilbert (W) 142-1, 2-Jones (W) 129-11; Pole vault: 1-Meinen (W) 12-0, 2-Mike Mowry (R) 11-6; High jump: 1-Childress (W) 6-0, 2-Meinen (W) 6-0.

Running events

High hurdles: 1-Tom Pendrey (R) 15.7, 2-Jeff Matin (W) 16.63; 100 meters: 1-Curtiss Lee (R) 11.7,

2-Tony Gant (R); 1600 meters: 1-Bill Acker (W) 4:38.2, 2-Oliver Zimmerman (R) 4:42.01; 400 relay: 1-Whitmer (Dan Kackenmeister, Rich Barent, Brian Henry, Scott Wilson) 45.6; 400 meters: 1-Jock Hicks (R) 52.3, 2-Pete Luttmann (W) 54.7; Low hurdles: 1-Pendrey (R) 39.1, 2-Scott Wilson (W) 39.56; 800 meters: Acker (W) 2:06.4, 2-Dave Donavon (W) 2:06.83; 200 meters: 1-Mark Balsizer (R) 23.6, 2-Barent (W) 23.8; 3200 meters: 1-Dave Aldrich (W) 10:16.3, 2-Fred Hepp (R) 10:45.34; 1600 relay: Whitmer (Luttmann, Wilson, Henry, Kackenmeister) 3:30.5.

Logan named to star team

Scott Logan of Ross has



DIANE BORYS, LEFT, TAMMY HAAS, CENTER, AND SHAWN SIMMS

Borys, Haas, Simms win top Ross awards

Shawn Simms, Tammy Haas and Diane Borys won the top three awards handed out at the Ross Spring Sports Awards Program Tuesday.

Simms was declared the winner of the Baron-Sherman Award as the outstanding boys athlete. Athletic Director Dick Sherman pointed out that Simms was the first athlete in more than 30 years at Ross who had lettered in four sports.

Simms, headed for Bowling Green State University this fall, lettered three years in football, once in baseball, basketball and track.

Haas, a three-year letter winner in track and two in basketball, was named the "Outstanding Senior Girls Athlete." As a sophomore, Haas had been named as one of the top cheerleaders at a camp before switching

to basketball the next school year.

Borys won the Ken Svanoe Scholarship Award. The scholarship is for \$300. Borys is a three-year letter winner in softball and a two-year "F" winner in basketball.

In the other portion of the program that honored members of the boys and girls track and field, baseball and softball squads and the boys tennis teams, the coaches of the sports passed out 21 special awards 67 letters.

Tennis Coach Pete Michaels awarded Matt Collins the team's most valuable player honor his second in two years. Ross Paulson won the most improved trophy with Brian Beck and Collins receiving captain's trophies.

Jody Frampum won the softball team's most valuable player honor. She was presented the award by Coach Christy Holland.

Borys and Sue Yingling were named the best defensive softball players and Lisa Pfeiffer won the best offensive player award. The outstanding sophomore player is Pam Conetto while Borys and Yingling were given captain's trophies.

Baseball Coach Tim Pettorini handed Gary Paxson and Scott Logan his team's MVP honor. Paxson, along with Scott Manahan, took home a special award as co-captain and the team's outstanding defensive player which he also shared with Logan.

Jim Burkett was named the most improved baseball player and Doug Gallagher won the outstanding sophomore award.

Hans is the girls track team's most valuable member. She also won the team's outstanding runner award along with a captain's award. Laurie Smith is the team's outstanding field events winner and Beth Randolph was named the team's most improved. Smith and Della Hall also received captain's trophies from Coach Harold Zienta.

Tom Pendrey won the boys track most valuable award. Pendrey, who set a season point record for Ross with 165, was

presented the award by Coach Norm Bray. Pendrey also won the most valuable runner award and took home a captain's trophy.

Tony Gant was named

the outstanding field event performer and Ron Thurn took the most valuable sophomore award. Todd Johnson also received a captain's trophy.

Bray announced that Gant, Mark Balsizer and Eric Bates would serve as the team's tri-captains for the 1982 season.



ROSS BASEBALL and softball winners. Front row, left to right: Doug Gallagher, Pam Paxson, Colette, Sue Yingling, Jody Frampum. Back row, left to right: Jim Burkett, Scott Logan; back row: Jim Paxson, Scott Manahan and Gary Conetto.



WINNERS OF special awards. Front row, left to right: Lisa Pfeiffer, Laurie Smith, Della Hall, Beth Randolph; back row: Tony Gant, Thurn and Todd Tom Pendrey, Ron Johnson.

FREMONT BODY & PAINT

Elmwood keeps SLL baseball lead

Elmwood is in control but Lakota and Eastwood are breathing down its neck as the Suburban Lakes League baseball race heads towards the finish line this week.

Elmwood has two SLL games to go, is on top with a 9-3 league record. Yesterday, the Royals defeated Woodmore 4-2.

Elmwood scored four in the second and two in the sixth to hand the Wildcats, who closed their season, their 16th loss. Woodmore, which had no losses in its team, finished 6-16, 3-11.

Jeff Rospet had two doubles for Woodmore and Jeff Perkins added two hits and one RBI. Dana Busdeker had one hit and two RBI and Bill Yeager slammed a triple.

Elmwood is scheduled to finish a suspended game with Genoa today. In fact it is the only game in the SLL that was suspended because of rain. Genoa was leading 17-14 in the top of the sixth. The

was set last year.

Lakota, 16-7, 9-4, got out in front early with two runs in the first and third innings, and one in the second. The Raiders added a pair in the fourth and one

in the sixth.

Genoa 5, Oak Harbor 4
Randy St. John tossed a five-hitter and won his eighth game of the season as the Comets edged Oak Harbor.

St. John also had two hits and Denny Portridge had two hits and two RBI.

The Comets scored four runs in the second and one in the sixth.

Baseball

National

	EAST				WEST				
	W	L	Pct.	GB	W	L	Pct.	GB	
St. Louis	22	14	.611	—	Baltimore	26	14	.650	
Philadelphia	22	17	.586	1 1/2	Cleveland	23	16	.541	2
Montreal	23	18	.541	1 1/2	Milwaukee	23	18	.561	3 1/2
Pittsburgh	17	18	.486	4 1/2	New York	1	18	.561	3 1/2
New York	12	36	.316	11	St. Louis	22	18	.541	6
Chicago	9	29	.227	14	Detroit	21	21	.500	6

Tuesday's Games
Pittsburgh 6, Chicago 4
Pittsburgh 6, Cincinnati 4
Los Angeles at Atlanta, postponed, rain
San Francisco at Cincinnati, postponed, rain
Seattle 1, Cincinnati 5
Houston 1, San Diego 0
Wednesday's Games
Pittsburgh (Perez 1-0) at Chicago (Caudill 0-3)
St. Louis (Martinez 1-1) at Montreal (Lau 0-1) (12:15 p.m.)

American

	EAST				WEST				
	W	L	Pct.	GB	W	L	Pct.	GB	
St. Louis	31	12	.721	—	Oakland	30	17	.538	2 1/2
Cincinnati	24	18	.561	—	Texas	24	16	.600	3 1/2
San Francisco	23	22	.511	9	Chicago	23	18	.560	7 1/2
Houston	22	22	.500	9 1/2	Los Angeles	22	18	.578	7 1/2
St. Louis	19	21	.473	10 1/2	Seattle	15	20	.478	13
San Diego	17	27	.366	14 1/2	Kansas City	2	24	.333	12 1/2

Tuesday's Games
Cleveland 5, Boston 2
Baltimore 5, Pittsburgh 4
Milwaukee 7, Detroit 3
Texas 2, St. Louis 1
Cincinnati 4, Oakland 1
Toronto 4, California 1
Kansas City 5, Seattle 4
Wednesday's Games