

1976 Sectional Meet

Sherman wins AAA century

SANDUSKY — Jim Sherman won the 100-yard dash and Fremont Ross finished sixth in the Class AAA Sectional Track Meet here Saturday.

Sherman's surprise win paced a six-man contingent which will represent Ross in next Saturday's Class District Meet at the Lucas County Recreation Center in Toledo.

The 100-yard dash win was the only top spot for Ross in the meet which was won by Mansfield Malabar with 91 points. Second went to Sandusky Perkins with 65 3/7 while

third belonged to Sandusky at 45 3/7. Rounding out the top seven were Findlay (42 3/7), Mansfield Senior (42 3/7), Ross at 38 3/7, and Bellevue with 34 3/7.

Bellevue qualified three for district competition.

Sherman recorded a 10.2 in winning the century, only the second time he has won at that distance this season. Eddie Holmes leaped 21-4 3/4 for second spot in the long jump for Ross and Sam Starks recorded a 1:58.7 to finish second in the 880.

Dave Liggins vaulted 12-6 to take fourth and qualify for the district in the pole vault and the mile relay team of Terry Bates, Denny Smith, Terry Holmes, and Starks ran a 3:29.0 for the fourth spot.

The top four finishers in the sectional moved on to the district.

Also scoring points for Ross in the meet were Dan DeLeon, fifth in the high hurdles at 15.5 and Garry Clark, fifth in the mile with a 4:35.6. Sherman picked up points in the high jump with 5-9 which tied seven other jumpers.

Clark, still feeling the effects of the flu and a cold, was Ross's biggest disappointment in the meet. Two weeks ago, the Ross senior had ran the state's sixth fastest mile, 4:22.8, and was a big favorite going into the sectional.

Bellevue's district qualifiers were shot put winner Kent Eisenhauer, 54-7 1/2; Dan Ryan, third in the high jump, and John Rutherford, fourth in the mile.

TEAM STANDINGS: Malabar 91, Perkins 65 3/7, Sandusky 45 3/7, (tie) Findlay and Mansfield 42 3/7, Ross 38 3/7, Bellevue 34 3/7, Madison 31 3/7, Ashland 23, Gallon 22, Lexington 15, Marion Harding 12, Columbian 11.

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Stout contributing RBI singles in the victory.

Ross scored three runs in the third and added two more in the fourth.

In the nightcap, Mansfield scored three runs in the second and two in the third to whip Ross. Brady Fry gave up only two hits to Ross in the shortened game.

Belch, who started the game on the mound for Ross and took the loss, singled and Matthews doubled for Ross's only hits. Ray Long was hit with a pitch to force in Ross's only run in the fifth inning.

First game
Ross 7, Mansfield 2
Score by innings

	R	H	E
Ross	003	200	2-7 10 1
Mansfield	002	000	0-2 5 3

BATTERIES: John Kiser and Jerry White; Mike Woogerd and Jeff Cassaway
WP: Kiser; **LP:** Woogerd

Second game
Mansfield 5, Ross 1 (5 innings)

	R	H	E
Ross	000	01-1	2 3
Mansfield	032	00-5	6 1

BATTERIES: Pat Belch, Kevin Casey (5), and Mike McGilton; Brady Fry and Cassaway
WP: Fry; **LP:** Belch

Ross girls finish second

MANSFIELD — Fremont Ross finished second in the Class AAA Girls Sectional Track Meet Saturday.

The Little Giants tallied 65 points and will send five individuals and four relay teams to the district meet at Bowling Green State University Saturday.

Marion Harding topped the meet with 77 points while third went to Madison with 56.

Ross had only two first places: Sue Buehler in the discus and the 440-yard relay team of Stephanie

qualifiers

cats. Lohr was second in the low hurdles and fourth

Brown, Denise Szymanowski, Desiree Knighton, and Toby Tate. Buehler soared the discus 99-9 while the relay team was clocked in 51.7 for the top spot.

The 880-yard relay team of Szymanowski, Knighton, Kay C. Krock, and Roxie Price was second with a new school record of 1:55.0.

Taking third places for Ross were the 880-yard relay team of Mari Martinez, Angie Eyster, Krock, and Szymanowski in 1:52.1; the mile relay team of Gail Recktenwald, Krock, Mary Hasselbach, and Price with a 4:21.1; and Lisa Meek in the 880 in 2:34.1. Tate was third in

the 220 with a 26.6, tying the Ross school record set by Gloria Graham in 1974.

Lena Mercer was fourth in the shot put with 33-11 $\frac{1}{4}$ heave and Brown took a fourth in the 100-yard dash in 11.9.

The top four finishers in each event qualified for the district meet.

Scoring points for Ross but not finishing in the top four were Tate, sixth in the 100 in 12.3; Stacey Root, sixth in the mile in 6:02.4; Price, sixth in the long jump with a 15-4 $\frac{1}{2}$; and a fifth by Melanie Taylor in the 440 in 65.5.

TOP 10 TEAMS: Marion Harding 77, Ross 65, Madison 56, Malabar 47, Ashland 43, Gallon 39, Mansfield Senior 26, Port Clinton 18, Sandusky 17, Findlay 13.