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And they were running

Olean boys, girls drop Fredonia in Division 1

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OBSERVER Photo by Ben Tadt
Fredonia's Alex Crise competes in the 3,000-meter event Tuesday, during his team's CCAA Division 1 track and field meet against Olean.

The Fredonia Hillbillies fell to the Olean Huskies 88-53 in boys' track and field on Tuesday.

Dylan Cassidy and Josh Szukala each won two events. Cassidy took the 400-meter hurdles and the high jump, while Szukala had wins in the 1,600 and the 3,200.

Also picking up a victory for Fredonia was Alex Crise in the 800.

The Olean girls' track and field team took an 88-52 over the Fredonia Lady Hillbillies on Tuesday.

Lauren Reyda was Fredonia's top performer as she took first place in the 800, 1,500, 3,000 and was a part of the 4x800 relay team.

Ashley Skelly and Courtney Styborski each picked up first place finishes for Fredonia. Skelly took the 200 while Styborski took first place in the discus.

Gowanda boys, girls lose to ALCS

GOWANDA - The Gowanda boys' and girls' teams fell to Allegany-Limestone Tuesday, in CCAA Division 1 track and field action.

In the boys' meet, the Gators topped the Panthers, 71-69, while in the girls' meet, the Lady Gators dropped the Lady Panthers, 87-53.

Kevin Brown won the distance races for the Panthers in the boys' meet, taking first in the 1,600-meter (4:59.3) and 3,200 (11:20.7). Also for Gowanda, Christian Igielinski took first place in 100 hurdles, as well as the 800, in respective times of :16.7 and 2:12.2.

In the girls' meet, Lady Panther Emily Steves took first in the 1,600 (5:14.9), 800 (2:31.1) and the pole vault (6-feet 9-inches).

Samantha Stayer won three events for the Lady Gators, taking the 400 (1:08.5), shotput (33-1) and discus (102-10). Also for Allegany-Limestone, Mallory Clark took first in 100 (:12.8), 200 (:26.8) and triple jump (30-10).



Kenny, Howard win three each in win over Clymer

CLYMER - Steve Kenny and Craig Howard won three events apiece and Cody Thomas claimed two to help Chautauqua Lake post an 80-51 non-league victory over Clymer.

Kenny captured the 100 meters, 200 and discus, Howard the 400, long jump and triple jump, and Thomas the 110 high hurdles and the 400 hurdles for the winners.

Shantell Nichols was a triple winner, Holly Eliason, Alyssa Cole and Amy Sands each won two events and the Clymer girls' track and field team easily defeated Chautauqua Lake, 95-35, in non-league action on Tuesday.

Nichols crossed the finish line first in the 100 with a time of 13.8, the 400 hurdles with a time of 1:11.6 and the 200 with a time of 28.5.

Eliason, meanwhile, won the 800 (2:45.2) and the 1500 (5:48) while Cole took first with a time of 13:55.2 in the 3000 event and then won the high jump with a height of 4-4.

Sands won the shot put and discus events with distances of 25-9.5 and 72-10.

The Lady Pirates won 14 out of 16 events during the meet, losing only the 400 relay and the triple jump.

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